

March 11, 2026

Dear Learners and Colleagues,

UPDATE: Environment Canada has issued an Orange Weather Warning for our region. Freezing rain is expected to continue Wednesday morning and into the afternoon impacting roads and walkways.

For the safety of learners and employees, **all on-campus, in-person AFTERNOON classes at Algonquin College Ottawa, Pembroke and Perth campuses are cancelled on Wednesday, March 11.**

All campuses will remain open today, March 11.

All classes will resume as scheduled tomorrow, March 12.

Please also note the following:

- Online and remote delivery courses will continue as scheduled.
- Learners should monitor their College e-mail accounts and Brightspace for updates.
- For learners on co-op work terms or on placements, your safety is the top priority – if you are unable to attend due to weather conditions, please contact your co-op employer or your placement supervisor to make them aware of your situation.
- The Early Learning Centre (ELC) at the Ottawa Campus has been closed, and will reopen tomorrow.

Employees who **are not** involved with maintaining essential operations on campuses should reach out to their People Leader to discuss scheduling options today **as required**.

We are committed to providing a safe learning and working environment for our College community and will continue to monitor this situation. We ask everyone to take extra caution if you are travelling today.

Please continue to watch the College's social media accounts, your email account, and Brightspace account for any updates.

Thank you, and please stay safe,

Cory Haskins

Acting Senior Vice President, Academic

Please note: This message follows communications protocols updated in April 2025 under Policy HS07: Emergency Campus Closing. You are encouraged to review the [revised policy](#).