

## **Severe Weather – On-Campus Morning Classes Cancelled March 11**

**March 11, 2026**

Dear Learners and Colleagues,

Environment Canada has issued an Orange Weather Warning for our region. **Freezing rain is expected early Wednesday morning**, impacting roads and walkways.

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

**Afternoon classes are currently scheduled to proceed.** If there is any change to afternoon classes, a notification will be sent at approximately 10:30 today.

Please note that **all campuses will remain open on March 11.**

Please 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 will be closed.**

**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 this morning, and where possible, the use of public transportation.

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](#).*