



We Are Wesleyan Wise!

As members of the North Carolina Wesleyan community, we each have a responsibility to care for ourselves and one another as we navigate these unprecedented times. In order to fulfill our educational mission while mitigating the risk of COVID-19, we must mutually pledge to be Wesleyan Wise.

By enrolling at North Carolina Wesleyan College for the 2020-2021 academic year, students are acknowledging the following:

W North Carolina and Nash County are in the midst of a COVID-19 (Novel Coronavirus) pandemic which has led to the declaration of a public health emergency.

W COVID-19 is contagious and can be spread by person-to-person contact as well as by surface contamination. As such, there is an inherent risk of contracting COVID-19 anywhere others are present.

W NC Wesleyan College will make increased efforts to mitigate this risk. These efforts are detailed in *Wesleyan Wise: Reopening Plan for Spring 2021*.

W Students are required to adhere to all expectations as set forth in *Wesleyan Wise: Reopening Plan for Spring 2021*, as well as the requirements under the then-current response phase for operations, to mitigate this risk.

W Non-compliance with these requirements will result in disciplinary action under the College's Code of Student Conduct and may result in the loss of privileges and/or removal from classrooms, housing, or the campus.

W Students will pledge to be 'Wesleyan Wise'. This pledge is informed by our core values.

Knowledge and Understanding

The more we know and understand how to protect ourselves and others, the more we can do to that end.

Integrity and Accountability

We have a responsibility to do what is right and hold ourselves accountable for our actions.

Patience and Respect

We are in this together.

Kindness and Empathy

What affects one of us affects all of us.

I Pledge to be Wesleyan Wise:

By protecting myself:

- Reporting immediately any COVID-19 symptoms to Health Services.
- Washing my hands frequently with soap and water or using hand sanitizer.
- Reducing physical contact with others.
- Ensuring my vaccinations, including flu vaccination, are up-to-date.
- Staying up-to-date on recommended health safety practices.

By protecting others:

- Wearing a face covering in all common areas including classrooms, hallways, and outdoors when distancing of six feet or more is not possible.
- Maintaining social distancing with others.
- Adhering to campus space capacity limitations.
- Following directional signage inside of campus buildings.
- Isolating myself when I feel sick and notifying campus health services.
- Encouraging my peers to adhere to safety protocols and modeling safe behaviors.
- Supporting my peers who are in need.

By protecting our Bishop community:

- Complying with all safety directives from the campus health center and local and state health departments.
- Participating in contact tracing and testing for community wellness.
- Limiting travel to and from campus.
- Being aware of and adhering to the College's current operational phase.