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## **Compton College to Loan 725 Laptops to Enrolled Students for Remote Learning**

Hundreds of Compton College students, with limited or no access to technology to continue their studies at remotely this semester, will be able to borrow college-issued laptop computers beginning March 30, 2020.

Alternative learning methods have become imperative as California residents are urged to stay home to prevent the spread of COVID-19. The Compton College campus was closed on March 21, 2020 according to state and county mandates. The Compton Community College District will distribute the loaner laptop computers *by appointment only* to eligible, currently enrolled Compton College students beginning next week.

Compton College students enrolled in the spring 2020 semester were sent an email from the college on March 25, 2020 outlining the instructions for obtaining a laptop computer by first submitting a Student Laptop Loan Program RSVP online, and waiting for an email confirmation with specific instructions for pick up.

“During this time, it is imperative we, as educational leaders, provide as much support and assistance to our students,” said Compton College President Keith Curry. “The Student Laptop Loan Program will help Compton College students as we transition to remote learning for the spring 2020 semester.”

Compton College also has plans to continue its new Student Laptop Loan Program in the future as part of its regular menu of Student Services to address the technology needs of a percentage of the student population that have limited or no access to computers.

Compton College students may visit the college’s COVID-19 information and resource webpage for a list of alternative resources during the campus closure.

<http://www.compton.edu/adminandoperations/campuspolice/covid-19.aspx>

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### **About Compton College**

Compton College is the community’s education solution offering a full complement of transfer and degree courses, as well as career and technical education. Students may earn an associate degree or certificate, transfer to a four-year university or train for a career. Compton College is located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.

