

I've always taken the academic side of college seriously, I know that if I fall behind at the beginning of the classes, it will be that much more difficult for the rest of the year, and I'm glad to say that I tried to exhibit proper study habits at the beginning of the year, studying often and efficiently. This has continued until now, with my main mode of studying being small blocks of each subject sprinkled throughout the day on a rough schedule, one in the morning, one after lunch, and one at night. I suppose the only change to this formula is the subjects, where before I would focus on one each block, but now I seem to work my way around multiple to keep it fresh. All in all, my study habits are similar for each class, excluding precalculus, where I focus on small bursts of learning which seem to retain more for me than marathon stretches.

On the side of college life, it was exactly what I expected, the campus would have a more limited sensibility, but at the same time, I don't think that's a bad thing, less distractions mean more time for me to focus on my academics. Although I'm glad that not everything was shut down, the SRC definitely helped me to keep active, and relieve stress through something as simple as using the weights while listening to a comedic podcast. On the other end, something that I found less helpful than I would have liked was the math center, I just thought that the options there didn't fit my learning style or my particular needs, although I don't think that's a problem with the center itself, but rather the restrictions brought on by covid-19. Something that I wish I knew earlier in the semester though was the meal swipes, I figured out how to use them pretty quick, but I still lost about \$30-45 on food from the webb center, and I would have liked to use that money on something else. Something that I learned this semester that will help me in the future is definitely the resources available at the library, I took a quick peruse through, and I was not told, nor was I prepared for the truly vast amount of resources there, in fact i am positive that

somewhere, in that library, is some type of book on nuclear physics or something, there's so many books in that library.