Dear CNCC Student,

First and foremost I want to say thank you for choosing Colorado Northwestern. I hope your summer has been going well and that you are safe and healthy.

We are looking forward to having you and your classmates back on campus. This last year was a challenge for all of us. We were able to be successful, and our students worked hard to complete courses under very unusual circumstances. This fall we plan to be back to our face to face classes but will also be providing our students with alternative class options. We want all of our students to feel comfortable when they return to CNCC or start their educational quest here. Of course, we know that the State of Colorado can make changes so we will make sure we keep you up-to-date on all things that pertain to our students and the college.

Colorado Northwestern is committed to providing a safe environment for our students, faculty, staff, and visitors. Over the next several weeks you will be receiving updated information to inform you about the protocols we will be following for the safety of everyone. One of the things we will be doing in the fall is requiring our students, faculty, and staff to wear face coverings while in class, in groups, or around others. This is to protect you and to protect those around you. If you have a medical reason for not wearing a face covering, we will need something from your doctor.

You will find a mask enclosed with this letter to demonstrate our commitment to your health and safety. We did a lot of research and then had these made especially for CNCC students, faculty, and staff. However, if you have your own mask you would like to wear, you are welcome to do so.

Again, I hope your summer has gone well, and we look forward to you being on campus this fall.

Sincerely,

Ronald Granger, President