Careful Planning Pays Off

Plymouth State University worked with federal and state experts to develop a comprehensive and carefully coordinated plan of action that allayed fears, inspired confidence, and shaped a safe and successful semester. Through collaboration and transparency, community members and Plymouth State students, faculty, and staff created a plan for students to safely return to campus, employing public health guidelines and focused on the safety of the entire community. As one community member said, “The University cares about its students, and wanted to protect them, and wanted to give them as many options as possible.” The University adapted to the many challenges of COVID-19, provided flexible modes of learning for students, and kept local residents and the campus community safe.

On March 15, 1871, the New Hampshire legislature chartered the Plymouth Normal School. 150 years later, Plymouth State University continues to serve the State of New Hampshire with innovative teaching and service and continued cooperation with local communities and external partners.

Please join Governor Chris Sununu, Senator Chuck Morse, Representative Matt Wilhelm and the Plymouth State community for a short Founders Day celebration on March 15 at 1:50 p.m.

To attend the March 17 celebration virtually, please click on this link on March 15 at 1:50 p.m. We look forward to seeing you!

Please contact Marcia Schmidt Blaine if you would like more information on the University. For more on the economic and cultural value of higher education, please see Government Relations at Plymouth State University.