



*The UNIVERSITY of OKLAHOMA®*  
*Office of the Senior Vice President and Provost*

October 2, 2025

Dear Faculty,

In preparation for *Showtime on the Soval* featuring Dan + Shay, please be aware that the Norman Campus, OU Health Campus (all sites, including remote locations), and OU-Tulsa will suspend normal academic and campus operations for students and employees, beginning at 3 p.m. on Thursday, October 23. Further details are provided below.

**Showtime on the Soval featuring Dan + Shay || Thursday, October 23 | 7 p.m.**

- Open exclusively to full-time OU students, faculty, and staff
- **Free admission | Tickets required** [[See your October 1 email from Oklahoma Sooners](#)]
  - Limit: 1 per student, 2 per faculty/staff
  - Ticket claim window: October 1-13 or while supplies last
  - Faculty and staff must show a valid university ID at the gate along with their ticket.
- Gates open at 5 p.m.
- Concessions available
- Venue Security Protocols
  - [Clear Bag Policy](#) | No lawn chairs or backpacks | [Allowed and Prohibited Items](#) | [Safety Protocol Information](#)
- **Academic and Campus Operations**
  - The Norman Campus, OU Health Campus (all sites, including remote locations), and OU-Tulsa will suspend normal academic and campus operations for students and employees, beginning at 3 p.m. on Thursday, October 23.
  - **Effective at 3 p.m. on Thursday, October 23:**
    - **In-person classes on all campuses will be canceled.** For OU Health Campus programs, students on rotation or in clinicals should contact their faculty or preceptors for scheduling information. Students in online courses will continue regularly scheduled instruction.
    - **On all campuses, only essential employees should remain in or report to their on-campus position.** No remote work; eligible employees will be granted administrative leave. Please check with your supervisor if you are unsure of your work schedule. OU Health and OU Health Clinics are not impacted by this closure.
  - The university will resume normal operations at all locations, including regular class and work schedules, on Friday, October 24.

For more information about the Soval Series, please visit [ou.edu/soval-series](https://ou.edu/soval-series).

Sincerely,

André-Denis G. Wright, Ph.D.  
Senior Vice President and Provost, Norman Campus