



LA Status COVID-19 **Updated: March 20, 2020**

The Lee Strasberg Institute is committed to your health, well-being, and training. Courage, patience, and perseverance are hallmarks of work in theatre and in all the arts disciplines. Positive attitudes are important elements in building the strength and cohesion necessary for success in any time, and especially in difficult times. Setbacks and frustrations should not daunt us, but rather teach us, and inspire ever greater success. Current realities will not last indefinitely, our individual and collective efforts and work can and will lead us through these challenging times.

The Institute will continue to monitor the situation and update its plan accordingly, consistently putting the health of its students, faculty and staff at the forefront, while continuing to honor the integrity of its training in The Method.

The City of Los Angeles has issued a “Safer at Home” Order. This prohibits gatherings of 10 or more (public or private) through April 19.

Institute Winter Classes: The Institute will conduct all classes virtually through the end of the term. See [Upcoming Events](#) for Virtual Events.

The Institute currently has virtual office hours of 9AM-7PM (Monday-Friday).

<https://meet.google.com/qgc-bnr-b-oaj>

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The Institute will undergo a deep clean prior to returning to in-person classes.

Institute Spring Classes: We will be postponing the Institute Spring start until April 20th.

Spring dates: April 20-July 2. Virtual Orientation April 17th at 1PM PST

If the LA County Order is not lifted by this time, classes will begin virtually, but classes will begin as scheduled for the Spring 2020 term April 20th regardless of the platform. All other session dates will remain the same.

Young Actors at Strasberg: Saturday Young Actors Program has concluded its Winter 2020 term. The Spring session will begin April 18th through the virtual platform (Google Meet). If the Order is lifted, in-person classes will resume April 25th.

This is part of your creative journey, and we can't stop no matter what obstacles may come along. It's a chance to get back to the fundamentals and essentials of your training.