#### Journal Entries Covid-19

March 7th, 2020

Today has been a good day by good I mean GREAT. I started off the day off a crazy party the night before, and did what I always do on a Saturday morning went and got some breakfast around 11 and the cafe was serving these hashbrowns that were deadly I had around 5. After splitting off with my friends I had some down time and just chillin. I was then invited to a cookout at a friends house and there had to be around 50 people there. Day party season is approaching and there is a buzz in the air. But tonight I did not go to a party, I went on a date with Anabella, this girl that lives on my floor. We went done to Water Street to Mona Lisa's this Italian place and not gonna lie I think we were clicking and she even went back to my room to watch a movie after. This is all great and all but I am anxious about exams coming up...

March 9th, 2020

As much as I like my friends I wish I could just have new ones they are getting under my skin for some of the smallest shit. Like yes I am going on dates with a girl calm the hell down.

March 11th, 2020

So I have 3 tests Friday, Three! Midterms are really making me regret every decision I have made in the last week, I should have studied. I do have intramural volleyball tomorrow which I can chill out a bit, but otherwise lord have mercy.

March 12th, 2020

Okay, what the hell is going on. Its been a normal day until dinner, absolute chaos. Almost every UW school is closing down for at least 2 weeks, of course we are Eau Claire and we announce things late we will probably close down I guess. I am just confused but also relieved. ALL OF MY MIDTERMS HAVE BEEN MOVED. This is great, I get to play volleyball tonight, don't have to worry about school, and I don't have to wake up early. As much as I love college I cannot wait to come home and have a two week break off school.

March 13th, 2020

Woah, all of a sudden this virus thing is super serious and my dad picked me up, now I am at home. I'm glad I get to see my friends from back home, but I at least wanted to say my goodbyes to my friends at college before I left. Whatever, they said only two weeks and im hanging out with my friends tonight so I will worry about it when I get there

March 16th, 2020

Being back at home had been pretty good, but things are getting weird. Today the boys and I went to Chic Fila to get some chicken patties because in a few days all restaurants are supposed to close along with a lockdown. Its weird to think about such a response to this it almost feels like I am in some post apocalyptic thriller film. Also my dad finally order me inside for the next week so I don't know how that will turn out.

### March 20th, 2020

Welp shit. I have been in this quarantine for like, 3 days and I already want to get the hell out of here. I would rather be in class for 2 weeks straight then this shit. I get it dad I am staying here for the rest of the semester I don't need another goddamn reminder. I just want to see my friends.

### April 1st, 2020

I have not been updating my journal because nothing has happened in the last two weeks. Life is so slow and every day seems like the same thing over and over again. I wish I could travel in a time where I do not have to be anywhere near this place. My Dads pay is getting cut and he is nervous about our financials for this year which makes me a bit anxious. My Mom is also taking an unpaid leave for a couple weeks so lets hope this lockdown does not last long cause this could be a major problem.

# April 7th, 2020

Life just could not get any worse. The girl I have been seeing, Anabella, and I just broke things off. I guess we could not stand each other over quarantine. Even though I have my family around me 24/7 I have never felt more alone in my life. The world is not doing well either, covid cases are booming and people are hoarding toilet paper now. At least I get to start my summer job coming up, give me something to do other than looking at paint dry. I am just excited that something is going to change up my life. I am just grateful for what I have though the amount of people who have been affected by this disease is insane. I am grateful that I have a job because there are millions of people who lost their jobs because of this and live meal to meal. Sometimes I question is this lockdown worth it, many businesses are going to go bankrupt and its kind of sad to think what will happen to those employees.

# November 14th, 2020

I survived this far without getting covid but at the moment I am in quarantine due to being in close contact with someone with the disease. Sooooo I am stuck in this small Suites room by myself I mean it is not the bad, it cant be much worse than the last quarantine. The sad thing is we are being sent home after thanksgiving and are talking about another full lockdown. Even though I cant fathom the idea of another lockdown I am trying to keep my head up at least I got to enjoy this semester. Also I am happily with my girlfriend Anabella and I am planning on being long term with her. I like this semester with the masks it was pretty different, but after a while I definitely got the hang of it. I am now apart of the volleyball team and I am surprised that they were allowed to run all of this time. Wisconsin has been one of the bad states when it comes to covid and we have been skyrocketing in covid cases. Probably because of all the bars being packed over halloween. Overall its weird to think about the lockdown over March and that happening again, I was so happy to go home from school for a break and that just bit me in the ass. I HOPE that doesn't happen again.