

Living through the COVID-19:

Thursday 05/14/20:

Today I woke up at 7 am and couldn't believe it myself. The reason why I was up earlier than usual was because me and my group members agreed to work on a project together. Unfortunately, only me and one of my group members woke up early and my second group member was running a bit late. Honestly, I had like 4 hours of sleep. So, waking up felt like I've only closed my eyes for a bit and didn't really sleep. But overall, I was up and working on my assignment with group member.

Earlier today I called my best friend to check-in with her because she told me about having a busy schedule. Lately she's been lacking in waking up early, just like me. I called and to my surprise she was up, that's good. Throughout our conversation that's when she tells me about the recent announcement that the Governor of MN said. Apparently, the Governor of MN announced on Wednesday that malls will begin to reopen. This Sunday will mark the end of staying at home. I was shocked to hear about this and the mall of America won't be opening till June 1st but this still feels pretty soon.

9, FOX. "Minnesota Malls: What Is Opening and When." *FOX 9 Minneapolis-St. Paul*, FOX 9 Minneapolis-St. Paul, 14 May 2020, www.fox9.com/news/minnesota-malls-what-is-opening-and-when.

It was already planned before that me and my friends we were going to do some additional shopping for my best friend birthday party. But the birthday girl herself was dealing with a family emergency and unfulfilled chores she didn't get to finish. She ended up not coming along. So, it was just me and another of the party host. I wouldn't necessarily say she is classified as my friend. But she's my coworker. My day was definitely wasted on this small shopping experience. But I got home around 9 pm and had to reconnect with my group members to continue working on our assignment. We ended up staying up by 2 am.