Beginning on Friday April 3, people joining UWSP Zoom meetings will be required to authenticate with Zoom before joining a meeting.

That means all UWSP Students, Faculty, and Staff should double check to make sure their UWSP Zoom account is active.

To make sure your account is active, go to https://zoom.uwsp.edu and click Sign in.

Next, enter your UWSP username and password.

Your Zoom Profile page will display. Take a few minutes to orient yourself. At the left, you will see links to change your Zoom Settings, schedule a meeting or webinar, and access any recordings that are available.

Finally, on the device you use to connect to zoom meetings, make sure you Sign-in with your UWSP account. More details are provided at this page.

UWSP's Information Technology department took additional steps to ensure secure classrooms:

1. "Enable join before host" was changed to "off" for all users. This means people that try to join a meeting before the host will see a pop-up dialog that says "The meeting is waiting for the host to join." Once the host joins the meeting, the other participants are joined to the meeting.

2. Passwords for meetings were turned on for all meetings.

3. The default for screen sharing was changed from "All Participants" to "Only Host".

4. The “Waiting Room” feature is enabled by default beginning April 3. Use the ‘Manage Participants’ button to admit individuals or all to the meeting, or to send an individual to the waiting room.