

March 5, 2021

To All student

Student and Educational Affairs Division

Classes in April 2021 and Medical Checkup

Online classes are conducted for 2 weeks from the beginning of the first quarter

The current infection state of Covid-19 seems to be calm in nationwide. However, we see this situation still need to be taken careful countermeasures for a while.

In the point of view, we have decided that we set “Health monitoring period” that students do not go to campus except for medical checkup and research activities and stay home in principle in early April 2021, and KUT conduct online classes.

For all of students, we kindly ask you to act with infection prevention in your mind continuously for welcoming new academic year healthy. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

1 Health monitoring period (period to stay home)

- Health monitoring period : April 4th Sunday – 18th Sunday
- Face to face classes start from April 19th Monday
Online classes are provided from April 8 Thursday to April 18th Sunday in the beginning of first quarter.
*University facilities such as Work Station Rooms, library and etc. are available for students who have a trouble in network environment or information devices to take online classes at home.
- Orientation is provided on online.
*For international students, we provide orientation for new students who enroll in April 2021.
- During the health monitoring period, extracurricular activities in group and social events such as networking event for new students and current students are prohibited for all grade students. Also requesting to avoid going out unnecessarily.
*If your organization have a special circumstances such as participating an official competitions, please contact Student Affairs Section.
- Research activities are allowed during the Health monitoring period with careful countermeasures, such as preventing the three C's etc.

2 Medical checkup (in face to face)

We conduct “medical checkup” in face to face with thorough infection prevention measures as an exemption for the reason that it is difficult to conduct medical checkup with online. Because it is during the period you are supposed to stay at home, each of you must act with infection prevention in your mind such as refraining from chatting and keeping social distances.

<Date>	<Reception hours>	<Subjects>
April 1(Thu)	8 : 00 - 11 : 00	School of Systems Engineering (Second and Third grade)
	13 : 00 - 16 : 00	School of Systems Engineering (Third and Fourth grade)
April 2(Fri)	8 : 00 - 11 : 00	School of Information (Second and Third grade)
	13 : 00 - 16 : 00	School of Environmental Science and Engineering (Second and Third grade) / School of Information (Fourth grade)
April 6 (Tue)	8 : 00 - 11 : 00	School of Environmental Science and Engineering (Fourth grade) / Master program (First year)
April 7(Wed)	8 : 00 - 11 : 00	Master program (Second year) / Doctoral program (First to Third year) and International Students (Kami campus)
April 10 (Sat)	8 : 00 - 11 : 00	School of Economics and Management (Third and Fourth grade) / International Students (Eikokuji campus)
	13 : 00 - 16 : 00	School of Economics and Management (Second and Fourth grade)

*We will inform you of further information. (We will make timetable in accordance with your student ID number to avoid 3C's situations.)

*Carrying out medical checkup at Eikokuji campus on April 10th.

3 In case you are coming from outbreak areas

We still have asked for avoiding traveling to “outbreak areas”^{*1}. If you must travel to those area due to unavoidable circumstances, stay at home and monitor your health for a period of 14 days, with the day following your return to Kochi counted as the first day. Accordingly, please plan your travel to come back to Kochi 2 weeks before from the date of your medical checkup if your travel destination is designated as an outbreak area. You cannot join the research activities in campus as well for 2 weeks if you travel to “outbreak areas.”

^{*1} 【Outbreak areas】

Prefectures where the number newly infected per 100,000 people is 15 or greater

*Each Friday, the outbreak areas have been updating on the university website below.
("Precautions regarding university-related activities and travel per start of the
Supplementary Classes" → "Outbreak Areas as of DATE")

<https://www.kochi-tech.ac.jp/english/news/2021/005097.html>

We would like to ask for same response for new students as well. However, since we understand it is difficult for most of them in considering moving etc., we will deal with new students differently.