

## Measures against the COVID-19 Pandemic in the 2023 Academic Year

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Following Nagoya University's Guidelines for Activities during the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic, the Graduate School of International Development (GSID) changes the measures against the COVID-19 as stated below. Due to the prevalence of COVID-19 infection, however, these measures may be revised in the course of the academic year.

### **Educational Activities (Lectures and Seminars)**

#### **(1) Mode of Conducting Classes**

In principle, ensuring the necessary measures against the COVID-19, lecture and seminar course subjects are offered in-person, except classes considered by GSID with high educational effect to be offered online.

#### **(2) Exceptional Arrangements for Online Participants**

At the discretion of the instructor, lecture course subjects may be offered simultaneously online through “Zoom,” “Teams,” other platforms, as well as face-to-face for students who are unable to come to the campus for the following reasons:

- ① Students who tested positive for COVID-19\* and who became identified as close contacts;
  - \* Submission of positive proof and negative proof are not required.
- ② Students in poor physical condition (fever, sore throat, malaise);
- ③ Students with other unusual circumstances (Consult with the instructor in charge of the class)

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#### **(3) Other Notes**

- If a faculty member becomes a close contact, the lectures and seminars courses may be held online.
- Online participants will be given sufficient time to ask questions.
- Students joining classes in-person must wear a mask indoors. Students and the instructor must keep a social distance of at least two meters, in case they cannot keep enough distance and have little conversation, they do not need to wear a face-mask.
- Keep some windows and doors open to ventilate the room.

### **Access to the GSID building and rooms**

### **(1) Entrance to GSID**

- Anyone with fever of 37.5 degree Celsius or higher must refrain from coming to GSID.
- In GSID, everyone must avoid Three Cs: “Closed spaces,” “Crowded places,” and “Close-contact settings.”
- Keep one-meter social distance.
- Please follow the [national policy](#) on wearing a mask.

### **(2) Use of Study Rooms**

- Please keep windows and doors open when the study rooms are in use. .
- Students must keep quiet and are not allowed to join lectures or seminars online in the Study Rooms.

### **(3) Use of Seminar Rooms**

- Students may use a vacant seminar room as a WIFI access point for indivisual consultation and guidance online.

### **(4) Use of the Student Lounge on the 2nd Floor**

- Students may use the Room 205 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor) in addition to the Student Lounge on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. However, please refrain from chats and discussions in the Student Lounge.

### **(5) Place to Eat**

- Students are advised to take meals in the Study Rooms or outside the GSID building.

### **(6) Student Activities Other Than Research and Education**

- Please be careful about infection prevention when the students carry out the activities other than research and education in the GSID building .

### **Doctoral Degree Examination and Presentation**

- D1, D2, and D3 presentation and the oral defense by doctoral students may be conducted online or in-person at the academic supervisor’s discretion, considering the student’s needs.