**Self-regulation and recommendations for wearing a mask during class**

As of January 30th, 2023, according to the guidance of the quarantine authorities and the Ministry of Education, wearing masks during class indoor at the University shall be as follows.

Wearing masks indoor during class shall not be obligated anymore, but to be conducted by oneself autonomously. Wearing masks indoor shall be recommended in case that are essential for one’s health and the safety of high-risk groups to Covid 19.

Wearing masks indoor shall be obligated for whom using buses or subways or other public transportation, etc. related to commuting, events, experience activities.

In case of following situations, wearing masks shall be actively recommended

A. Suspected COVID-19 symptoms or high-risk COVID-19 group\*\*j

\* Sore throat, cough, stuffy nose or runny nose, fever, etc.

\*\* Those over 60 years of age, immunocompromised, underlying patients, etc.

B. Contact with a person with suspected COVID-19 symptoms or a high-risk group

C. If you have recently contacted a COVID-19 confirmed patient (recommended to wear it for 2 weeks from the date of contact)

D. Where a large number of people are concentrated in a space where ventilation is difficult (where it is difficult to maintain a physical distance of 1m from others) Including field trips, etc.

E. Where there are many acts of generating droplets, such as shouting, chorus, or conversation, in a situation where a large number of people are concentrated;

**[Example]**

1. When taking chorus classes in classrooms, auditoriums, etc.

2. In situations where a large number of people are concentrated in the stands, such as indoor gymnasiums (when it is difficult to maintain a physical distance of 1m from others), there are many cases of droplet generation due to cheering, conversation, etc.

3. In the case of singing the school song, national anthem, etc. at the entrance ceremony, graduation ceremony, etc. held indoors.

4. Where it is judged that the head of an educational facility (school principal, etc.) is necessary due to the large number of droplets generated in a dense indoor situation.