

## **Notice on Response Actions for the Novel Coronavirus (25): Compulsory Wearing of Masks on Campus and Body Temperature Screening**

Task Force on Response Actions for the Novel Coronavirus

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Dear Staff and Students,

In view of the ongoing novel coronavirus outbreak and the large number of daily confirmed cases over the recent period, the Senior Management has decided to strengthen our precautionary measures to protect the health of staff and students. More specifically, the following measures are implemented with immediate effect until further notice:

1. All staff, students and visitors are required to wear a mask at any time in public areas or involving people contact within the campus and the student hostels to minimize health risks, except when it is essential to take off the mask (e.g., consuming food or drinks); and
2. Compulsory body temperature screening will be conducted at the entrance checkpoints of the campus and the student hostels.

For public health concerns, you will not be allowed entry to the campus and the student hostels if you do not wear a mask or refuse to have your body temperature taken at the above entrance checkpoints.

Your support to the above strengthened precautionary measures to safeguard the health and safety of the PolyU community is appreciated.

Best regards,

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