

COVID-19 Mask Use for Children



Children don't need to wear masks at a distance of Approximately 2 meters from others. All preschool children are not required to wear a mask.



6 to 18 years old

(From elementary to high school)

NO MASK in the following cases;

OUTDOORS

- When you have sufficient distance from others
- When you are not talking even without sufficient distance from others

<Example> Exercising at a distance (outdoor activities such as tag)

Classes held outdoors: nature observation and sketching

INDOORS

- When you are not talking while maintaining sufficient distance from others

<Example> Reading and studying alone.

SCHOOL LIFE

You don't need to wear a mask during PE class, indoor/outdoor club activities, or on your way to and from school.

※Follow the guidelines by athletic organization when children join athletic club activity with contact.

※Practice prevention measures such as mask wearing when eating or traveling in groups, or changing in the locker rooms.

Wear a mask when meeting with the elderly or spending time in a hospital.

Children 2 to 5 years old



Children under 2 years old

Mask wearing is not recommended.

Children between 2 to 6 years old

No need to wear a mask regardless of the distance from others.

Attention!

- ▶ Remove masks in the situations as mentioned above, to prevent heatstroke in summer.
- ▶ Practice infection prevention habits, including washing your hands and avoiding crowded areas.
- ※practice infection prevention measures designated by your local municipality.

