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1st Pandemic-Related Questionnaire for Undergraduate and Graduate Students Undergraduate Students' Voices (Digest)

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About the questionnaire

Survey method: Web-based survey

Subject: Undergraduate and graduate students

Period: Mon, April 20 – Thu, April 30, 2020

Number of responses: Undergraduate students: 35,542 responses

Notes on the survey results:

- ✓ Possible non-student responses due to anonymity, multiple responses, or inappropriate responses.
- ✓ The representativeness of the survey results cannot be determined, e.g., some universities or grades (academic year) have a high number of responses.



I can't get a part-time job, and I'm very worried about my finances.

I regret getting into university.

My family's business situation has deteriorated and I can't even talk to my parents about it.

My part-time work hours are extremely short and I can't pay my tuition fees.



Will you consider a reduction or refund of tuition fees?

I had to pay the full cost of experiment. It's not fair.

I can't even afford the postage for the textbooks.

Online classes are mentally and financially painful.



I don't have a real social connection and I feel anxious every day.

I've been living in a boarding house since spring. I cry every day.

When things get settled, please make programs for making new friends.

There is no one nearby that I can consult to.

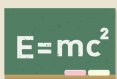


I am very anxious about the future of job hunting and qualification exams.

Job hunting itself is a tiring process. And now this?!

The internship was postponed and I may not be able to qualify for the national exam.

I can't wait to understand the prospect ahead.



I want to take face-to-face classes! Is it possible to review the academic year under this pandemic?

I want to start over next year with the same grade.

Please don't start this semester half-hearted.

All students may have to stay on for a year.

See the details here

Over 35,000 undergraduate students responded to the survey. Thank you for taking part in the survey.

The preliminary data is available on the website of the National Federation of University Co-operative Associations (NFUCA).

<https://www.univcoop.or.jp/covid19/enquete/index.html>



If you have any questions, please contact the National Student Council (nfuca-gakusei@univ.coop). We will discuss our future activities based on the analysis of the results. Let's keep our spirit high!