Notice to current students (undergraduate and graduate student) and new students of graduate school.

Announcement of rent-free Wi-Fi router in year 2023

Hokkaido University (HU) have announced and requested previously to all HU's student to equip internet connectable environment in order to take online classes. However, in case of any difficulties due to financial reason, HU is providing a rent-free Wi-Fi router (20GB). The purpose of providing rent free router is as temporary and emergency measure up to equipping own internet environment.

Available number of the router is limited, therefore the university is taking necessary procedure for selection of applicants and providing the router for the selected students only.

(1) Applicants

Current students (undergraduate and graduate student) or new students of graduate school who meets to the following conditions (① and ②) and also who is having intention to equip own internet connectable environment during the period of borrowing the rent free-WIFI outer.

The following student shall not apply this scheme (HU's rent free Wi-Fi router).
The student who is not yet to return the rent-free Wi-Fi router borrowed in academic year 2022.

•The student who is in suspension period.

① The student who apply the scheme of reduction or waiving of tuition fees of the first half year 2023.(Including the student who has plan to apply the scheme.)
※Eventually, in case of not apply this scheme, HU will cancel your application.

② The student who is under considerable situation, such as followings.

In the past year, primary responsible person to pay tuition fee died or main financial supporter of family finance and/or the applicant suffered general disaster (flood, typhoon, earthquake etc.

•The student whose primary responsible person to pay tuition fee is unemployed (jobless) or under long-term cure

. The student who belongs a family of recipients of livelihood protection,

•The student who is recognized as being under unavoidable circumstances in accordance with the above (Please describe it)

(2) Appreciation period from Tuesday, 14 March 2023 to Sunday, 19 March 2023. Please

fill in designated WEB page (<u>https://forms.gle/66U9WhgCSgiUHzvg7</u>).

(3)Notice of determination and how receiving the rent-free router.

- The notice of determination is informing at the beginning of April 2023 by email.
- Shipping to the address where you designate in application form. (At the beginning of April 2023)

(4)Rental period: April 2023 to Thursday, 15 February 2024 (Maximum) %The borrower shall immediately return the router any time after you equip your own Wi-Fi router by yourself, or any time after eliminating the reason you borrow the Wi-Fi router from HU (e.g. suspension, leaving, expel from HU)

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 $\%\,$ Your contact is available only by Email (Shall not contact by telephone)

<Regarding a free-rent lap top PC>

Depend on the available number of our stock of a rent-free PC, it is possible to provide it. In case of you need it to take online classes, please contact above email address. (Requirement of applying rent-free PC is same as above description (1)Applicants.)