

USMANU DANFODIYO UNIVERSITY, SOKOTO

(Office of the Registrar and Secretary to Senate)



PRESS STATEMENT

In compliance with the directive of Federal Government of Nigeria, the University Senate has, at its 337th (Special) meeting held on Monday, 18th January, 2021, approved the reopening of the Institution for both physical and digital academic activities beginning, **Monday, 25th January 2021**. Students are requested to note that:

- ❖ No student will be allowed into the halls of residence earlier than Sunday, 24th January, 2021;
- ❖ Every student is expected to sign an undertaking that he will abide by Covid-19 protocols while he/she is on the campus;
- ❖ The form for the undertaking can be accessed at the University website, a completed hard copy should be submitted at the Dean, Student Affairs office. **Postgraduate students are to submit their forms at the office of the Secretary, Postgraduate School;**
- ❖ Hand washing materials will be provided at the hostels, lecture theaters, Libraries, Laboratories, recreational areas and worship places. Students are advised to wash their hands regularly;
- ❖ Students are to come along with a sizable number of facemasks, either reusable or disposable. The facemasks shall be used avidly within and outside the University premises;
- ❖ No student will be allowed into lecture halls, Hostels, libraries, Laboratories or any recreational area without a facemask;
- ❖ Each student is advised to come along with enough hand sanitizer that will permit him to sanitize his/her hand as regularly as possible;
- ❖ In order to avoid congestion and to ensure physical distancing in the halls of residence, all visitors and squatters are prohibited from entering all the hostels until further notice;
- ❖ All social gatherings of more than 10 people are henceforth prohibited on the two campuses of the University until further notice;
- ❖ At the lecture Halls, lecturers will ensure physical distancing that is practically possible and students are advised to ensure windows are widely opened for cross ventilation;
- ❖ The Health Services Department has made provision for antigen screening test kits for Covid-19, thus, suspected cases among students will be screened at the University Health Center and confirmed cases will be referred home for community recovery/self-isolation;
- ❖ Students who are yet to complete their registration for the 2019/2020 academic session should do so immediately starting from Wednesday, 20th January, 2021. The registration portal is open for that purpose; and
- ❖ The approved revised calendar for the resumption of academic activities can be accessed on the University website- www.udusok.edu.ng

(Signed)

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