



MERU UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

(A World Class University of Excellence in Science and Technology)

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

S/No.	PREMISES	PROTOCOLS	ENFORCEMENT
1.	University Gates	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be escorted to the University hospital for further medical screening and management.
		Hand washing	All individuals entering the University must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> All individuals entering and within the University must wear recommended face masks. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin.
2.	Lecture Rooms	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be escorted to the University hospital for further medical screening and management.

		Hand washing	All individuals entering and within the Lecture rooms must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the Lecture rooms must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin
		Social Distancing	Chairs are arranged on the markings on the lecture room floor at a distance of 1.5m
		Group discussions	No group discussions or meetings should be held in the University.
		Movement within the lecture rooms	No movement within the lecture rooms.
3.	Laboratories/ Workshops	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. 2. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be escorted to the University hospital for further screening and management.
		Hand washing	All individuals entering and within the Laboratory/Workshop must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the Laboratories/workshop must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin.
		Group discussions	No group discussions or meetings should be held in the University.

		Movement within the laboratory/workshop	No movement within the laboratory/workshop
4.	Library	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. 2. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be directed to the University hospital for further screening and management.
		Hand washing	All individuals entering the Library must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the University must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin.
		Social Distancing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Patrons are advised to use online library services 2. Chairs are arranged on the markings on the library floor at a distance of 1.5m.
5.	Hostels	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. 2. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be directed to the University hospital for further medical screening and management.
		Hand washing	All individuals entering the Hostel must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the University must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin
		Social Distancing	Students are not allowed to move from their room to another room.

6.	Cafeteria	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. 2. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be directed to the University hospital for further medical screening and management.
		Hand washing	All individuals entering the Cafeteria must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the University must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin
		Social Distancing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students should observe 1.5m while queuing to pay for food. 2. Sitting distance while eating should be 1.5m
7.	Offices	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. 2. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will be directed to the University hospital for further medical screening and management
		Hand washing	All individuals entering the offices must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the University must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin
		Social Distancing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In every office staff must sit at least 1.5m apart 2. No movement from one office to another 3. No circulation of hard copy documents 4. Regular sanitizing of pens and registers 5. Keys management to be handled by the officer distributing the keys i.e recording out and in

			6. Students must call and make appointments before visiting an office.
8.	Hospital	Temperature checks using thermo guns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All hospital protocols will be adhered to including the Ministry of Health guidelines. 2. Any person with temperature below 37.3°C will be allowed in. 3. Any person with a temperature of 37.3°C and above will undergo a medical screening and further management.
		Hand washing	All individuals entering the hospital must wash hands with soap and water or sanitize with alcohol based sanitizers.
		Face masks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All individuals entering and within the University must wear recommended face masks. 2. Face mask must be worn properly, completely covering the face from the bridge of nose to the chin
		Social Distancing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students and staff are encouraged to call the hospital first in case of a suspected case or in case of an emergency. 2. Only those seeking health services will be allowed in.
10.	Recreation facilities	Sports	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contact games and indoor games have been temporarily suspended e.g basketball, volleyball, rugby etc 2. Individualized games such as jogging, walking, running, yoga etc will be allowed subject to observing social distancing.
11.	Worship facilities		Government of Kenya guidelines on places of worship shall be strictly adhered to.
12.	University transport		The Government of Kenya guidelines on use of institutions transport shall be adhered to by both staff and students