

# Compulsory wearing of respiratory protective equipment in all indoor areas of UHK

1. Due to the increased number of persons infected with COVID-19 at the UHK, I am imposing the wearing of respiratory protective equipment, i.e. a respirator, to all students, employees and other persons in all indoor areas of the UHK buildings, including corridors, classrooms, sanitary facilities or other rooms, **with effect from 3 November 2021.**
2. The obligation to wear respiratory protective equipment under point 1 does not apply to:
  - a) employees carrying out work activities in offices and similar rooms, provided that they maintain a spacing of at least 1.5 m,
  - b) teachers and students engaged in educational activities the nature of which does not permit the wearing of protective equipment (in particular gymnastics, singing, playing wind instruments), provided that they maintain a distance of at least 1,5 metres from others,
  - c) teachers teaching with a completed COVID-19 vaccination (teachers without a completed COVID-19 vaccination may substitute a respirator in cases where the students must be able to see the teacher's mouth while teaching, provided that they maintain a distance of at least 1.5 metres from students),
  - d) examinees and examiners during an examination provided that all persons present maintain a distance of at least 1,5 metres,
  - e) persons who cannot wear a respirator for serious medical reasons and can prove this by medical certificate; however, such persons shall be required to wear other respiratory protective equipment specified in the medical certificate, except where the medical certificate specifically states that the person cannot wear any respiratory protective equipment,
  - f) students in residence when staying in their room.
3. For other situations not covered by this Rector's Order, the provisions of the relevant generally binding legislation shall apply.

In Hradec Králové on 2 November 2021

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