May 7 - Regarding the lifting of operation restrictions of the Tottori Prefectural Library

Following the outbreak of Covid19 in the prefecture, the library remained opened while offering limited services. As there have been no new cases in the last two weeks, the restrictions have been lifted and the library has been operating as usual since May 7th. However, in order to prevent the future spread of the virus, we would like to ask library patrons to follow the guidelines below:

• Users Experiencing Fever, Sluggishness, Short of Breath, or Otherwise Feeling Sick

Please refrain from using the library if you feel even slightly sick.

• Please keep the duration of your visit short.

Public gatherings increase the risk of transmission of the virus. Please practice social distancing when visiting the library.

• Avoid the Cs: Closed spaces, Crowded spaces, Close-contact settings.

When lining up at the counter, refer to the marks on the floor and keep at least 2 meters away from other people.

• Please wear a mask while inside the building.

The wearing of masks in the library is enforced rigorously for users as well as staff at the counter.

• Wash your hands and follow coughing etiquette.

There are hand disinfectant stations in the library. In addition, please bring and wear a mask, wash your hands, and gargle.

• Please cooperate with the disinfection of PC etc.

Please wipe the computer stations with disinfectant after use. Staff are regularly disinfecting keyboards, workstations, etc. but we kindly request that all users also disinfect them before use.

- Number of Seats Reduced and Space between Seats Increased In order to prevent infection, the number of seats has been reduced to prevent users from becoming densely grouped.
- Periodic Ventilation Staff will open and close windows in order to ventilate the air.
- Change to the number of materials and loan period For the time being, we have changed the number of library materials that can be borrowed to 20 per person, the loan period to 3 weeks, and the number of library materials that can be reserved to 20.

We apologize for any inconvenience and thank you for your cooperation.