

## Announcement about the Entrance Examination to be held in October 2022

September 14, 2022

The entrance examination of the Astronomical Science Program is scheduled to be held at Mitaka Campus with measures taken to prevent infection. We will take measures to ensure safe entrance examination, such as wearing masks and sanitizing hands, keeping a wide space between seats, and reducing contact with others.

However, depending on the future expansion of covid-19, the entrance examination will be conducted online. If there are any changes in the examination method, examination schedule, or other details of the examination, it will be announced on the website of SOKENDAI. We will compensate for any cancellation fees for travel expenses including accommodation due to the change in the method of conducting the entrance examination.

If the entrance examination is held online, applicants will need to secure a venue suitable for taking the examination (a room that can be occupied by a single person exclusively is acceptable), an environment with a stable network connection, hardware (electronic device with a camera and microphone) and software to participate in a remote conference system using zoom, etc., and a device to scan your answer sheets on the spot at the end of the examination (a smartphone is acceptable). If you have any difficulty with the above, please contact Graduate Student Affairs Unit, National Astronomical Observatory of Japan.

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