

**Cancellation of classes and examinations due to suspension of public transport services, weather warnings, evacuation advisories/emergency safety assurance measures, or disaster announcements.**

**(1) Suspension of public transport services (For classes held in the Rokkodai area)**

**All classes, including regular exams, will be cancelled if one of the following two cases applies:**

- ① If two of the following lines are suspended at the same time: JR West (Kobe Line: between Osaka and Himeji stations), Hankyu Railways (Kobe Line: between Osaka-Umeda and Kobe-sannomiya stations) and Hanshin Electric Railways (between Osaka-Umeda and Hanshin stations).
- ② If Kobe City Buses Route 16 and Route 36 services are suspended at the same time  
However, classes will still be held in the following cases: 1. If transport services resume by 6 am, class will be held from the first period 2. If transport services resume by 10 am, class scheduled after 1pm will be held 3. If transport services resume by 2 pm, class scheduled after 5pm will be held

**(2) Issue of weather warnings (For classes held in the Rokkodai area) Any remaining classes (including scheduled examinations) will be cancelled for that day if Nada-ku, Kobe City issues a weather warning for gales/storms, heavy snowfall, blizzards, or an emergency warning. This also applies if a weather warning is issued covering a wider area that includes Kobe City. However, if the weather warning is lifted, classes will be held as follows:**

- ① If the weather warning is lifted by 6am, classes will be held from the first period
- ② If the weather warning is lifted by 10am, classes scheduled after 1pm will be held
- ③ If the weather warning is lifted by 2pm, classes scheduled after 5pm will be held.

**(3) Issuance of evacuation advisories/emergency safety assurance measures Any remaining classes (including scheduled examinations) in the applicable campuses will be cancelled for that day if the Kobe City authorities issue Emergency Safety Measures (Evacuation of the Elderly, etc.) for areas that include campus locations (Rokkodai area, Kusunoki area, Fukae area or Myodani area). However, if the Emergency Safety Measures (Evacuation of the Elderly, etc.) are lifted by 6am, classes will be held from the first period.**

**(4) Special exceptions for class cancellation Notwithstanding the cases 1 to 3 above, the head of the faculty, the graduate school, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences or Global Education Center offering classes may cancel or take other measures as deemed necessary to ensure the safety of students.**

Note: You can use information from the television, radio or internet to confirm the issuance and lifting of weather warnings, Emergency Safety Measures (Evacuation of the Elderly, etc.)