After each class

1. Leave the classroom as it is. Do not remain behind as the room will probably be occupied by another group.

2. Remember to again wash your hands with soap and water after each class.

3. Social distancing should also be practiced in the staff and administration offices. Therefore, students are expected to come as individuals and not in groups to consult or seek help from their lecturers/tutors.

What to do if you think you have COVID-19

The **SIGNS & SYMPTOMS** of COVID-19 include:

- Fever
- Coughing
- Sneezing
- Shortness of breath

If you think you have any of these symptoms, please **DO NOT COME TO CLASS**-stay at home. If the symptoms are becoming worse and you think you need to get tested for COVID-19, **CALL 115** or **25256**. Do not go directly to the clinic or hospital!

For more information visit [www.solomons.gov.sb](http://www.solomons.gov.sb) or call the 23650 OR 7522202.

Corona-related information at the Solomon Islands National University can be obtained from the office of the Dean of FNMHS.

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Coronavirus (COVID-19) is a large family of viruses known to cause illness, ranging from the common cold to more severe diseases. COVID-19 is a new strain of coronavirus that is affecting humans.

What is coronavirus?

How does it spread?

- Close contact with another person who has the virus.
- Fluid droplets from sneezing or coughing.
- Exposure to surfaces and or items that have been sneezed or coughed upon by infected individuals.

Before entering the classroom

1 Wash your hands with soap and water before entering the classroom.

2 Members of a class should practice social distancing of 1.5 meters when entering or leaving a classroom.

3 Chewing and spitting of betel nut is strictly prohibited on all SINU campuses.

4 Always cover your mouth while coughing and sneezing. The best way to do that is to cough or sneeze into a bent elbow.

5 Don't shake hands or share hugs.

Inside the classroom

1 Remain 1.5 or MORE meters from each other by sitting in the designated areas separated by the RED tapes. Please avoid unnecessary movements around the classroom unless you are told to do so by your lecturer/tutor.

2 Don't cough or sneeze openly while you're in the classroom. Always cover your mouth when you want to do so. The best way to do that is to cough or sneeze into a bent elbow. If you're having trouble with this, kindly ask permission to leave the classroom.

3 To practice social distancing, do not ask the lecturer/tutor to load soft copies of their notes onto your USBs/flash drives. Depending on your lecturers/tutors, arrangements will be made to enable you to access the notes online—that is through Moodle or your private emails.