

# Science and Technology Library, Kyushu University 九州大学 理系図書館 Visitors Guide

https://www.lib.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en

Non-members of Kyushu University can use the Science and Technology Library for the purpose of research and study with library materials. Students under 18 years old and individuals without academic purposes are not

i	9am – 9pm
& National Holidays	10am – 6pm

Bon holidays (in mid-August)

Year-end & New Year holidays

\*On our temporary closure, please check our notice and website.

owing / Returning	[Mon – Fri] 9am – Closing Time [Holiday] 10am – 6pm	
Reference	[Mon – Fri] 9am – 5pm	
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L Speech Synthesizer	[Mon – Fri] 9am – 10 min. before closing [Holiday] 10am – 5:50pm	
al Diet Library (NDL) Collections (Reading)		

# Borrowing Limit & Period

	2 items (Books only)	
	2 weeks (Renewal is not permitted)	

# Library Card

A library card for visitors is necessary to visit the library continually and borrow the materials. We issue the card at the circulation desk.

### <Application Procedure>

Purpose	For Reading Only	For Borrowing
Requirement for Issue	<ul> <li>Application sheet</li> <li>Identification with your current address</li> <li>(Driver's license, Passport, Health insurance card, etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Application sheet</li> <li>Identification with your current address         <ul> <li>(Driver's license, Passport, Health insurance card, etc.)</li> <li>Photo (3 × 2.5 cm)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Issue Date	- Every Thursday After issue, you can visit us and receive the card at the circulation desk anytime.	

## Renewal of Your Library Card

Visitor's library card is valid until March 31. The card can be renewed at the circulation desk. The card itself and your identification with your current address are necessary.

## Entrance / Exit Gates

### Entrance

Please touch your card on the barcode reader of the entrance gate, wait until the gate opens fully, and pass it through one by one.

If you do not have your card, please call us on an intercom at the library lobby.

### Exit

The exit gate opens automatically when you stand in front of it. Please do not bring out library materials without checking out.

## Reading

You are free to read the materials on the open stacks. After reading, please put books back where it was.

Closed-stacks materials can be requested at the circulation desk.

# "Collections" (Kyushu University Library Catalog)

The online library catalog "Collections" covers printed materials in Kyushu University.

As for materials of the Central Library and the libraries of other campuses, please contact the library which has it directly.

### Borrowing / Renewing / Returning ۹

### Borrowing

The holder of the library card for borrowing can check out the book (only in the open stacks and the Automated Storage and Retrieval System) at the circulation desk.

We may recall the book before your due date according to the needs of members of Kyushu University.

If you deface or lost a book, we will demand satisfaction for a book.

### Returning

Please return library materials at the circulation desk by the due date. Here you can return the materials of the other libraries of Kyushu University.

When the library is closed, the book drop on the side of the entrance is available.

If you have not returned materials by the due date, you cannot borrow new materials for the days overdue.

### **Reference Desk** ۲

Reference librarians support your literature research at the reference desk.

Hours: 9am – 5pm on weekdays

# Shelf Guides

Science and Technology Library's collection mainly covers the fields of mathematics, natural sciences, engineering, information science, agriculture, and liberal arts.

Floor	Location	Materials
3F		Mathematical Books, Geological Maps,
	Open Stacks	Whether Maps, Sugi Coll., Watanabe Coll.,
		Morinaga Coll., Esaki Coll.,
		The John Lossing Buck Library,
		Audiovisual Materials
		Books (NDC 460-999),
2F	Open Stacks	Paperbacks, Reference Books,
	International Lounge	Language Textbooks,
		Large-sized Books
	Open Stacks	Books (NDC 000-459),
1F	Entrance Plaza	New Arrival Books, Current Journals,
		Newspapers, Magazines
		Secondary Sources, Statistical Books,
BF	Compact Shelving	Former Colonies Books, Large-sized Books,
		Kyushu University-related Publications,
		Government Publications
	ASRS	Books for Research, Back Issues of Journals,
	Theses (Closed Stacks)	Theses

### National Diet Library Digital Collections ۵

The holder of the library card can read the digital contents of the National Diet Library (NDL), and get copies of them in the library.

Please make an application at the reference desk.

Library.

- Library Facilities
- Reading Desks
- Search Terminals
- Wireless LAN
- network.

There are 5 audiovisual booths on the 3rd floor. Audiovisual materials in the library are available here.

# Copy Machine (1F / 2F)

whole items.

# Braille and Speech Synthesizer (1F)

Braille materials and a magnifying reader are available. The room key can be borrowed at the circulation desk.

# Refresh Room (2F / 3F)

It is a break room that you can talk, but please be considerate of other groups. Users can eat and drink in this space. When using this space, please keep the area quiet and clean for the other users.

\*From 2022, individuals can access this service by registering with the National Diet

You are free to use the reading desks in the library.

You are free to search with the Collection in the search terminals in the library.

Visitors from an eduroam participating institution can use the eduroam

Please check the instruction of your institution and set up your device.

# Entrance Plaza "Q-Bridge" (1F)

Newspapers and casual magazines are located.

# Audiovisual Booth (3F)

The circulation desk lends you a headphone and a remote control.

There are self-service copy machines on the 1st floor and the 2nd floor.

Payment can be done by coins or 1,000-yen bills.

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