

Zoom FAQ

This page contains frequently asked questions (FAQ) about Zoom. There are Q&As in which the page author answers questions assuming questions, and Q&As based on actual questions.

Question:

How much data traffic does Zoom use?

Answer:

The amount of data varies depending on what kind of data (sounds and images) are exchanged during the meeting, but according to some teacher who examined this, it was about 500 MB per hour. There is no problem as long as you can use the optical line. On the other hand, please pay attention to data traffic when using radio waves. Please check your contract carefully.

Question:

Do I need a camera?

Answer:

During class, a camera is required to communicate with teachers, so please prepare as early as possible. The answer to the question "Is it necessary to turn on the camera during class?" may differ depending on the size of the class, so check directly with the teacher in charge of the course you took.

Question:

Do I need to register for a Zoom account?

Answer:

If the Zoom app is installed on a device that can connect to the Internet, you can take classes without a Zoom account. On the other hand, if you need to be a host (moderator) in exchanges between students, your Zoom account is required. ~~Please do not use the university address (i.e., m-address) and instead use an email address such as Gmail.~~ As of April 10, 2020, if you register an m-address with a free quota, the information such as name and e-mail address will be shared between registrants of the m-address with a free quota.