

Disability Resources at Seattle Colleges

Disability Services (DS) coordinates services, facilitates accommodations, and arranges academic adjustments for students with disabilities at each of our colleges. We work to provide equal access to college services, programs, and activities in all aspects of campus life.

Services offered include:

- Advising on disability-related issues in class and on campus
- Assistive technology consultation
- Sign language interpreting
- Text in alternative formats
- Testing accommodations

Eligibility

To be eligible for services, students must have a disability (as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act as Amended) and provide documentation of the disability and need for accommodation. Eligible students must also meet the academic and technical standards required for admission to college programs or activities.

Obtaining Services

1. Students should make an initial appointment with the DS office at their college (contact information below).
 - Students need to register for accommodations with DS at their college, as they do not automatically carry over from high school.
 - Students are responsible for self-disclosing their disability to DS and for providing documentation in order to determine eligibility.
 - Some services may require six weeks or more to arrange. Students should contact the DS office at their college as early as possible in their educational planning to avoid delays in service.
2. After the meeting is completed, individualized academic adjustments will be determined. To receive the determined accommodations in class, students must request a letter of accommodation from their faculty. Letters of accommodation need to be requested each quarter.
 - Accommodations in college may not be exactly the same as accommodations in high school, but high school accommodations may inform college accommodations.
 - Students should complete an intake with DS before taking placement exams if they need accommodations for those tests.

Contacts We are currently supporting students remotely.		
North Seattle College Disability Services <i>email:</i> ds@seattlecolleges.edu <i>website:</i> northseattle.edu/ disability-services	Seattle Central College Accessibility Resource Center <i>email:</i> ARC.Central@ seattlecolleges.edu <i>website:</i> seattlecentral.edu/ campus-life/student- support-and-services/ disability-support	South Seattle College Access Services Office <i>email:</i> access.south@ seattlecolleges.edu <i>website:</i> southseattle.edu/ access-services
Washington State Relay Service: 1.800.833.6384 or Text Telephone (TTY): 711		

Seattle Colleges is in accordance with Washington State anti-discrimination laws; Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 as Amended.