



Osaka University supports students with disabilities in accordance with the Act on the Elimination of Discrimination against Persons with Disabilities (Disability Discrimination Act).

Health and Counseling Center Counseling and Support Division

Support Outside of Class

"I just want a little help..." "I don't have a disability ..."

The Health and Counseling Center provides consultation, advice, and information to all students experiencing difficulties with university life. The coordinator-in-charge can provide the necessary support outside of the classroom, even in cases that do not require special assistance or modification in classroom setting.

If you wonder whether you have disabilities or if you are not sure whether your difficulties come from a disability, we can offer guidance or consultation.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you are facing any problems.

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Accessibility Services Simple Handbook for Students

Introduction

Students with disabilities can be provided with reasonable accommodations and necessary support for their studies. If you need special accommodations for your studies or support in class, you would need to submit an application to the Health and Counseling Center or to your department/graduate school. The application form is available at the Health and Counseling Center and at your department/graduate school. It can also be downloaded from our website.

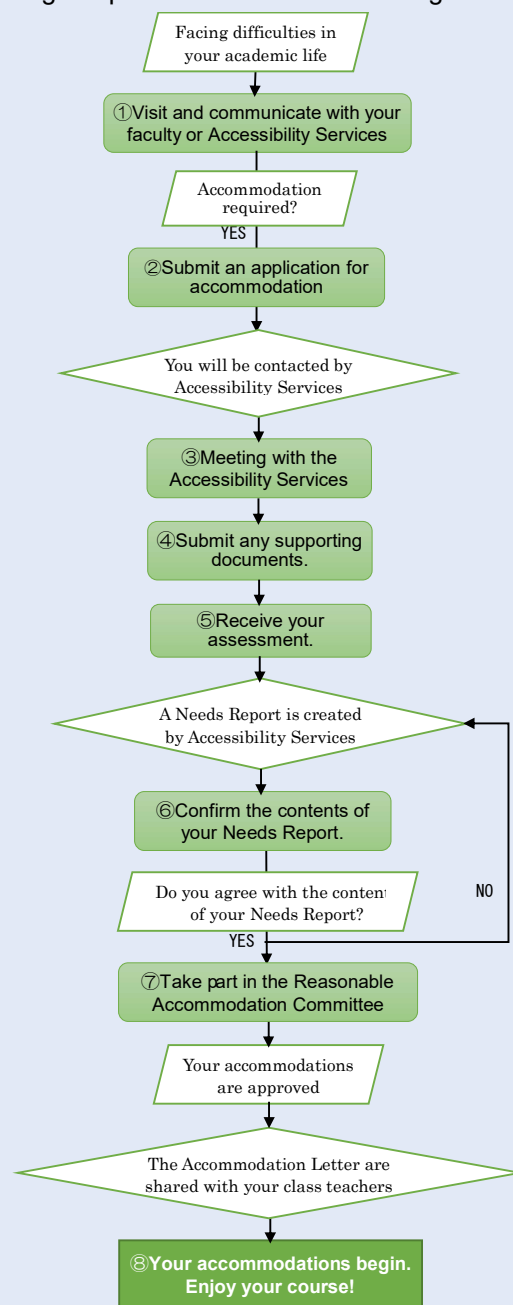
Students who are recognized as having a physical, mental, or cognitive impairment or a chronic medical condition are eligible to avail of reasonable accommodations. The kind of accommodations that you may receive would depend not only on the type and degree of your disability but also on your personal needs and situation. Please feel free to contact us if you would like to discuss your requirements.

Students who face difficulties in studying because of disabilities can receive reasonable accommodations in their classes. To avail of this option, individuals must first submit an application.



Reasonable Accommodation Procedure

A reasonable accommodation can be availed of by following the procedure shown in the diagram below.



There should be a gap of at least one month from the date of your application to the actual starting date of the provision of accommodations. Please apply as soon as possible.

- ① Speak with the school personnel in charge of your department/graduate school or the staff of the Accessibility Services regarding your disability and any current difficulties that you may be experiencing.
- ② If you require academic adjustment or modification in classes, submit an application for the same to your department/graduate school.
- ③ Clarify your needs and the nature of accommodations required through interviews with the specialized staff at the Accessibility Services Office.
- ④ Submit medical certificates and/or other documents that serve as an evidence of your impairment.
- ⑤ Clarify your specific needs based on your impairment and the kind of accommodations required through an assessment.
- ⑥ Confirm the contents of your Needs Report, which is created by the Accessibility Services. The determination of the kind of accommodations required that is summarized in the Needs Report is based on the results of interviews and assessments. If you disagree with the content of your Needs Report, please discuss it further with your coordinator from the Accessibility Services.
- ⑦ The Reasonable Accommodation Committee meeting will be held with the school personnel in charge of your department/graduate school. The practical content of the nature of accommodation provided will then be decided on the basis of the Needs Report mentioned above.
- ⑧ The Accommodation Letter will be circulated to the teachers in charge of your classes. Based on this document, accommodations will then be provided during your classes.