

Leveling the Playing Field

The Importance of Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

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For Students

Accommodations

Academic Accommodations

Housing Accommodations



Accommodations -- Our Obligation

LEGAL

- The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)
- Section 504 of the Rehab Act
- Colleges required to provide "reasonable accommodations" UNLESS
 - Financial burden
 - Fundamental alteration of the course

ETHICAL

- Give students the opportunity to succeed
- Inclusive and welcoming environment
- It's the right thing to do.

Vision

ADHD

Autism

Brain Injury

Physical

Types of Disabilities

Mental Health Health

Hearing

Learning

Accommodations

- Volunteer Note-Taker
- Preferential Seating
- American Sign Language Interpreter
- Remote Captioning
- Adaptive Furniture
- Exam Accommodations



Exam Accommodations

Extended Time on Exams

Reduced Distraction Environment

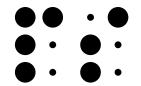
Access to Assistive Technology













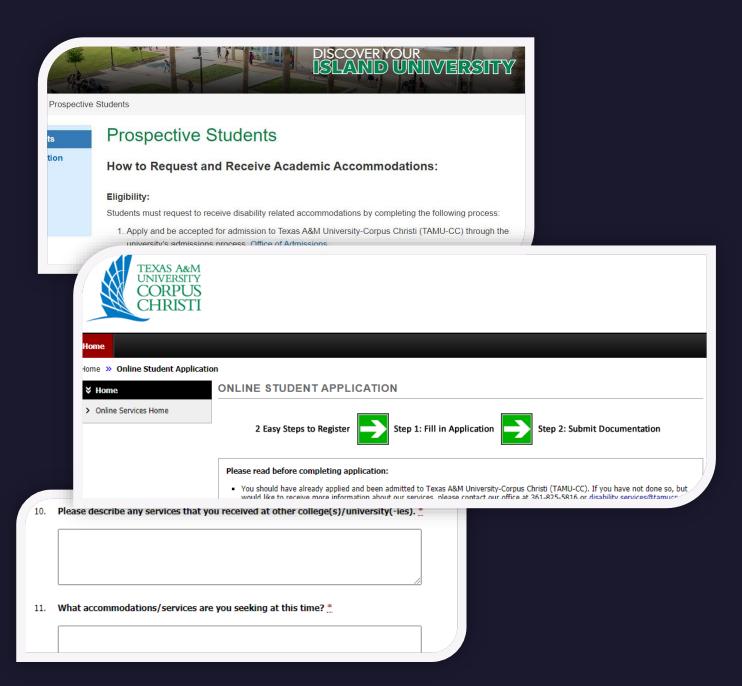
- Alternative FormatTextbooks
- Assistive Software
- Braille Devices
- Assistive Listening Devices

- Magnification Programs and Devices
- Notetaking apps and dvices
- Alternate Computer Input and Output



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Thank You

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