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OUR MISSION

The Disabled Students Program & Services (DSP&S) Office at Long Beach City College provides access to postsecondary education through academic adjustments for students with qualifying disabilities. The academic adjustments assist in the facilitation of creating an equitable educational experience for students with disabilities at Long Beach City College and promote full participation in educational programs and activities. Through a multimodal approach, DSP&S aims to assist students to thrive academically, in order to reach their educational goals of certification, graduation and/or transfer. DSP&S also strives to provide campus wide education regarding abilities and diversity in order to promote an inclusive campus.

WHAT IS AN ACCOMMODATION?

- A "reasonable accommodation" is a reasonable modification or adjustment to a class or program, or the provision of auxiliary aids/services that allows a student with a disability equal opportunity to participate in LBCC programs and activities.
- Accommodations do not give students an unfair advantage, instead they level the playing field.

ACADEMIC ADJUSTMENTS OFFERED



- ADAPTIVE FURNITURE
 - RNITURE LIASON ASSISTANCE
- ALTERNATE MEDIA

- PRINT ENLARGER & MAGNIFIER
- ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY
- PRIORITY ENROLLMENT
- ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES
- REAL TIME CAPTIONING

in-class aide

- RECORDING OF LECTURES
- INTERPRETER SERVICES
- TESTING ACCOMMODATIONS
- NOTE TAKING SERVICES

ACADEMIC SERVICES OFFERED







HOW TO REGISTER WITH DSP&S

1 Attend a DSP&S Student Orientation

Attend an Intake Appointment with a DSP&S Counselor

DSP&S SUMMARY REPORT

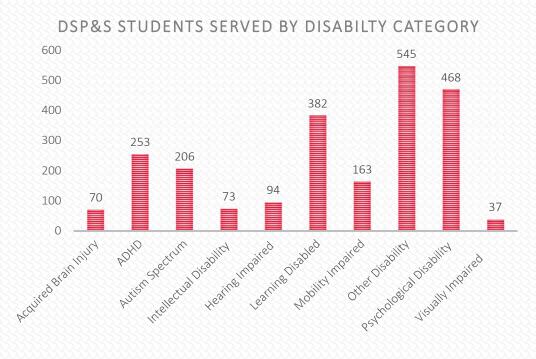
2017-2018 Academic Year

2,291

2018-2019 Academic Year

2,390

2017-2018



9/9/2019



Promoting Private Self-Disclosure/Syllabus Statement

- It is a good idea to invite students to privately self-disclose their need for disability-related adjustments and auxiliary aids. An accessibility statement should be made on the first day of class, and a similar written statement should be included in the course syllabus.
- Such a statement might state, "Students needing academic accommodations based on a disability must contact the Disabled Student Program & Services Office at (562)938-4558 (LAC) or (562) 938-3921 or present in person at LAC-A1134 or PCC-GG107. As the professionals delegated authority from the campus to determine reasonable disability accommodations, DSP&S will assess all requested accommodations and communicate appropriately with faculty. In the event that a student has approval for proctoring arrangements during exams, please inform your respective professors before date of exam(s). When possible, students should contact the DSP&S prior to or within the first three weeks of the semester, as reasonable notice is needed to coordinate accommodations. For more information, visit https://www.lbcc.edu/disabled-student-services."

OBTAINING NOTIFICATION FOR THE NEED FOR ACCOMMODATIONS

• If a student is requesting accommodations for your respective course, you will be notified via email to log into your Faculty Portal to access their accommodation letter.



FACULTY PORTAL



Courses Accommodation letters Help

Instructor Information

Welcome to the Long Beach City College Disabled Students Programs & Services Instructor Information website. You can use this website to:

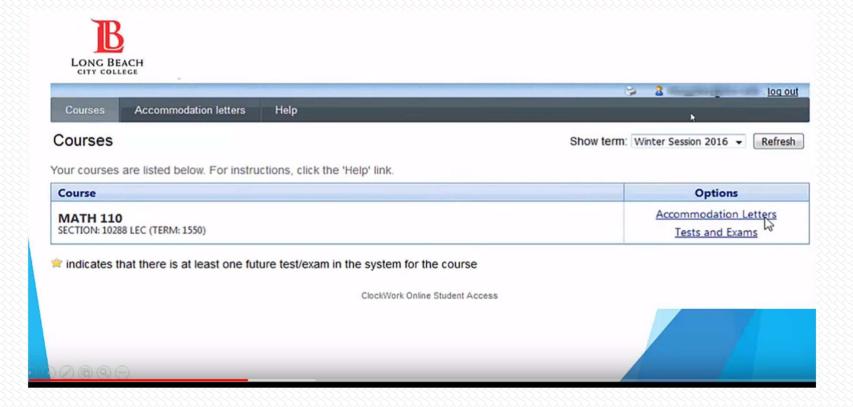
- · View DSPS approved accommodations that have been provided to your students
- Tell us about your upcoming mid-terms, finals or quizzes

Email notifications from the Clockwork system will be directed to your preferred email address as you set using your PeopleSoft account. You may undate your preferred email address by logging into PeopleSoft and navigating to this page. If you have any further questions, please refer to this Instructional Video. When coordinating tests with our testing office, please review our Testing Center Policy.

You may click the courses link in the menu above to get started. You will be asked to login using your Long Beach City College employee ID number and PeopleSoft password.

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FACULTY PORTAL



FACULTY RESPONSIBILITIES FOR TESTING

- > Provide accurate exam dates to students in advance.
 - o Students must schedule their testing appointments at least 5 business days in advance.
- Submit exams to DSP&S
 - o Three ways to submit:
 - 1. Via your Clockwork Faculty Portal
 - 2. Via email to dspstest@lbcc.edu
 - 3. In person at our Proctoring Center: LAC-A1137, PCC-GG107
 - We ask that exams be submitted at least 24 hours in advance of the scheduled exam.
- ➤ Provide Testing Instructions
 - o Provide DSPS with the same testing instructions you will give to the class (e.g. closed book/note, open book/note, calculator, etc.). Additionally, how long the class has to complete their exam.
- ➤ Online exams: For timed online exams, please remember to add extended time for students with accommodations, including those taking the exam at the DSPS Testing Center.

WORKING WITH SERVICE PROVIDERS

- Student (s) in your course may qualify for interpretation services as a reasonable accommodation. These services are facilitated via service providers: American Sign Language Interpreters or Real Time Captioners, to ensure an equivalent educational experience, regardless of disability. Service providers help bridge the communication gap by listening in class and translating lectures and discussion into sign language or real time captioning.
- Interpreters often work in teams. If classes are more than an hour in length or content is complex, there will be two interpreters in the class.
- Interpreters DO:
 - Interpret all spoken information and/or conversations for students
 - May ask instructor/speaker for clarification, pre-conference with instructor/speaker
 - Interpret for the student, the instructor, and classmates
- Interpreters DO NOT:
 - Elaborate or add additional information to spoken messages, interject personal opinions or assist a student with school work.
 - Tutor students or help with class assignments
 - Talk with instructors about student performance
 - Counsel students and help with problems

FACULTY RESOURCES



FACULTY & STAFF PARTNERSHIP GUIDE FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Accommodations Partnership for Students with Disabilities

The commitment to providing equal access to educational opportunities and full participation for students with disabilities and the facilitation of accommodations is an interactive partnership between students, faculty and the Disabled Students Programs & Services (DSPS) staff.

Student Responsibilities

- · Attend DSPS Orientation and complete an intake appointment
- · Provide DSPS with the required documentation and/or forms (medical, psychological, educational, etc.) to verify disability and support for services.
- · Follow the procedures for requesting accommodations for each semester in which the accommodation is needed.
- . Send AAP letter to professors via Online Student Portal.
- · Notify DSPS of any problems or concerns related to accommodations.

- . Engage with student in interactive process to identify reasonable and effective academic adjustments.
- . Inform student of the proper procedure for students to request for approved accommodations.
- Create an Academic Accommodations Plan (AAP) for students to send to their respective faculty members.



Questions? Contact DSPS: (562) 938-4558 LAC, (562) 938-3921PCC dsps-staff@lbcc.edu

Academic Counseling

www.lbcc.edu/counseling LAC-A1111, PCC- GG-202

562-938-4561,LAC 562-938-3920.PCC

Student Health Services

www.lbcc.edu/student-health-services

LAC-A1010, PCC-GG-117

Mental Health Services-Phone Intake

www.lbcc.edu/post/mental-health-services

Evening Safety Escorts

www.lbcc.edu/college-safety-and-campus-police

Refer Student to Ramon Knox, Dean of Student Affairs Consult Gene Durand, AVP, Human Services

Veteran Services

Title IX

www.lbcc.edu/veterans-services LAC-E-08L PCC- GG-102

562-938-4210, LAC

562-938-3992, PCC

562-938-3987

562-938-4910,LAC

562-435-6711.PCC

562-938-4038 562-938-4095

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EQUALITY VS. EQUITY

