

## Student Services

### Disability Services

Disability Services offers a variety of beneficial support services to students with disabilities. Disability Services focus on facilitating opportunities to stimulate and create a barrier free environment, eliminating academic, social, and physical obstacles which impede students' access to a higher education.

We believe every student has the right to achieve to their highest ability academically, socially, and intellectually. Assistance and accommodations are provided on an individual basis and are determined by a student's disability documentation. Appropriate accommodations should be requested by the student after verification of his or her disability is received.

Support services provided by Disability Services include:

Orientation and Registration, Note taking, Test Administration with Accommodations, Reader Services, Physical Adaptations inside and outside of the classroom, Guidance and Counseling, Adaptive Physical Education Course, Priority Registration.

To obtain services students must:

1. Be accepted for admission at ASU-N
2. Complete an application
3. Provide documentation of disability to Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs
4. Complete an intake interview to determine appropriate accommodations.

If you plan to attend ASU-N, contact Student Services before the beginning of your enrollment into the University.

#### **The Goal of Disability Services:**

Arkansas State University–Newport Student Services is committed to providing opportunities in higher education for students with disabilities who demonstrate reasonable ability for college success. Although ASU-N does not offer a specialized curriculum for persons with disabilities or assume the role of a rehabilitation center, ASU-N offers a variety of support services so that students with disabilities are admitted and integrated as completely as possible into the university. Responsibility is shared with the student for modifying campus facilities and programs to meet individual needs.

Disability Services goal is to provide students with disabilities access to resources that will enable them to manage daily activities in the university setting.

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