



Disability Services FAQ for Students

Q. Are my list of accommodations and documentation automatically sent to the college with my highschool transcripts?

- No, the college does not receive any documentation or information about accommodations when you enroll/apply. You must request that this information be sent to Disability Services.
- To receive accommodations, you **MUST** register with Disability Services and discuss the accommodations with the director

Q. I received accommodations in High School. Will I receive the same accommodations in college?

- Maybe. Some of the accommodations you received in highschool may have been modifications that are not provided at the college level. Discuss your options when you meet with the Disability Services Director

Q. How do I begin the process of requesting accommodations?

- Complete the form located at this link to request accommodations:
<https://www.montgomery.edu/services-support/disability-services-and-support-for-students/>

Q. When should I register with Disability Services?

- Registering with Disability Services prior to your start at MCC is recommended, but you can reach out to Disability Services at any time

Q. What type of documentation is required to receive accommodations through MCC?

- Documentation varies depending on the disability. All documentation needs to include the following information:
 - A formal diagnosis and date
 - Description of evaluation methods and test results
 - Functional impact of the disability
 - Current treatments or supports
 - Prognosis over time
 - Professional credentials of the evaluator

Q. When should I request accommodations?

- Requesting accommodations prior to the start of the semester is recommended
- Some accommodations may take up to three weeks to approve
- Accommodations are **NOT** retroactive. If you request accommodations for a class, those are active from the time you receive approval from the Disability Services Director.

Q. Does the college provide temporary accommodations?

- Yes. Reach out to the Disability Services Director to discuss the temporary situation and provide documentation. Temporary accommodations may be granted for situations such as: broken limb, pregnancy complications, concussion, surgery, etc.