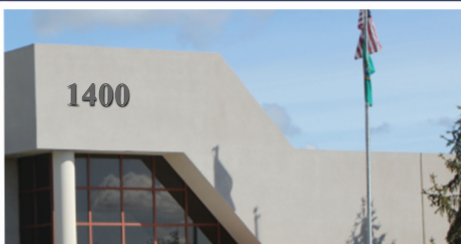




Disability Support Services



The DSS office at Big Bend Community College (BBCC) provides accommodations and support services for students with disabilities. To ensure maximum participation, the college will:

- Provide programs and facilities that are accessible
- Determine and implement reasonable accommodations that meet the individual needs of students

ELIGIBILITY FOR SERVICES

Students that have a disability in one or more of the following categories may be eligible for services.

An intake packet, interview and/or relevant documentation from external sources may be requested to substantiate the student's disability and determine eligibility:

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| • Deaf/Hearing | • Mobility |
| • Speech/Language | • Learning |
| • Blind/Visual | • Chronic/Acute Health |
| • Neurological/ Nervous System | • Temporary disability due to accident, illness, etc. |
| • Psychological/Emotional | • Other |

WHAT IF I NEED HELP?

Meet with the **Accessibility and Accommodation Services Coordinator** to discuss services, determine eligibility and request accommodations.

We value a collaborative process with students as we work to determine and implement reasonable accommodations and services.

Accommodation examples include:

Note taking
Scribe/Reader
Print enlargement
E-text
Testing accommodations
Adjustable furniture
Digital recorders
Assistive technology
Accessible parking
Priority registration
Sign Language Interpreting
Referrals and resources

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Accommodations and Accessibility Services Coordinator

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