



Supporting your move to Oxford

Help us to help you if you have a disability or specific learning difficulty



Thinking of applying to Oxford



Our **Disability Advisory Service** is able to help you if you have any additional needs, for example, if you are disabled, have sensory impairments, have difficulties with mental health or eating disorders, long term health conditions, Asperger syndrome or a specific learning difficulty, such as dyslexia.

You may not think you need **study support**, but applying to University can present new challenges. Oxford is committed to making sure that all its students are able to benefit from the great opportunities available here.

You might think that **mentioning your disability** or specific learning difficulty would affect your application. We can assure you this is not the case: admissions decisions are made on academic grounds alone.

Please do tell us about **any disability**, seen or unseen, on your UCAS application. We can decide together if any support is needed. The earlier you tell us, the better prepared you will be.

Teachers – If you teach students who are academically able and registered as having a special educational need please do encourage them to consider Oxford.

students with dyslexia, dyspraxia and other specific learning difficulties

> students with Autistic Spectrum conditions

1,800+ students registered with Oxford's disability

service

students with any longterm mental or physical health condition



Have a look at the students with disabilities' videos at

ox.ac.uk/disabilityvideos

and hear from current Oxford students. Check out *Dyslexia Unbound*, a 15 minute film made by Oxford tutors for students with specific learning difficulties.

Do you already have examination arrangements such as extra time? If so – qet in touch.



If you have any questions, please contact the Disability Advisory Service. We are happy to offer informal **advice** when you are first thinking of applying, help you with arrangements for attending open days, and assist with implementing study support requirements if your application is successful.



You can find detailed access information and helpful photos for individual University and college buildings in the online access guide at

www.admin.ox.ac.uk/access

and use the interactive map at

www.maps.ox.ac.uk

to plan your way around the city.



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Call +44 (0)1865 280459 for an informal chat or email disability@admin.ox.ac.uk

Come and see us at the Open Day Information Centre at a University open day. ox.ac.uk/opendays

See our website at

www.ox.ac.uk/students/welfare/ disability



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