

Information for students with disabilities and learning difficulties

Our purpose built Queens's Drive campus has been planned for accessibility. Ongoing improvements demonstrate our commitment to supporting students and adult learners with disabilities, medical conditions and learning differences. We are always grateful to receive suggestions and comments.

Before you apply

We aim to ensure our website is accessible. Let us know if you require College or course information in an alternative format. We hold regular informal Open Evenings and Advice Days. You can also request a tour of our premises and the opportunity to speak to a member of staff about your requirements. When we offer education or training at another venue or through your employer, we will also offer support. Email info@newcollege.ac.uk

When you have chosen your course

Apply early so that we can plan for your individual needs. Applicants are asked whether they have any Learning or Medical needs, or a Disability, on the application form or at interview. Depending on your course and your individual circumstances, you may be asked for more information, invited for a discussion or offered a diagnostic interview. Please supply specialist reports, if they would help. Students who are currently in education will be asked about support they receive and special arrangements for exams. We will agree a support plan or recommendations with you and you will be asked to consent to information sharing to support your studies and ensure your success. If you have questions or concerns, email additionalssupport@newcollege.ac.uk

While you are learning with New College

You will have a Tutor as your main point of contact. You can make an appointment to meet the Additional Support team who can provide support services, specialist information, advice and tuition, resources and equipment for loan. At our Queen's Drive site we have a nurse on duty and a medical room with shower, toilet and hoist.

Examinations

Be aware that access arrangements for exams must be requested and evidence provided, long before the exam or assessment date in order to meet deadlines imposed by exam boards and awarding bodies. **Contact Additional Support when you start your course.**