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Support for students with disabilities at the University of Zagreb Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology

Who are students with disabilities?

"...all students who, due to illness, impairment or disorder, regardless of the decision on the determined percentage of physical impairment, have permanent, occasional or temporary difficulties in carrying out everyday academic activities – students:

- **with visual impairments**
- **with hearing impairments**
- **with motor disorders**
- **with chronic diseases**
- **with mental illnesses and disorders**
- **with specific learning difficulties (dyslexia, dysgraphia, ADHD)**

and other health conditions and difficulties that may affect the course of studies"

(Ordinance on amendments to the Ordinance on the organization and operation of the Office for Students with Disabilities of the University of Zagreb, 2013.)

Forms of support at the University of Zagreb

1. **Priority in enrollment** (candidates with 60% or more physical disability and candidates with 2nd to 4th degree of disability).
2. **Adjustments in teaching and exams** (e.g. extended time for writing exams and submitting papers, oral instead of written tests or vice versa, enlarged print, writing on a computer, etc.) – based on the Procedure for adopting recommendations for adjusting the teaching process and taking exams (2017).
3. **Peer Support for Students with Disabilities** – university elective course, 3 models, lasts one semester, 2-5 ECTS credits, providing support to peers in an academic environment.
4. **Additional points for University of Zagreb scholarships.**
5. **Assistance in the student dormitory for students with severe motor disorders** - 24-hour assistance in meeting daily life needs.
6. **ZET transportation by adapted van.**

Other forms of support

1. **Subsidy for participation in study costs (MZOM)** – for students with physical disabilities ($\geq 60\%$ or III degree of disability).
2. **Financial support to cover part of the transportation costs (MZOM)** – for students with physical disabilities (direct entitlement or additional points).
3. **Scholarships** – additional points (MZOM) or special scholarships (City of Zagreb).

How to get information and support?

- **Information about rights and forms of support** - via email, telephone, in person; leaflets and brochures; University Fair (Smotra Sveučilišta)...
- **Procedure for adjusting teaching and exams:**
 1. Submitting a request with medical documentation to the Office for Students with Disabilities (SN „Stjepan Radić”, Jarunska 2, 12 pavillion);
 2. Medical examination (School Medicine Service of the National Public Health Institute Andrija Štampar, Mirogojska 16) → medical certificate;
 3. Recommendation from the Office for Students with Disabilities;
 4. Decision of the Vice-Dean of the Faculty on adjustments.

Who should I contact?

- **Coordinator for students with disabilities at the Faculty:**

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