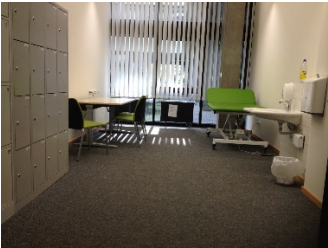


University of Regensburg report on special facilities for students with special needs.

Students who apply for special services, additional time for exams or any other special permissions listed below, should bring recent medical reports and recent documents which show how much additional time or support they need and how much time and support they have been granted in the past. These reports should be in English if they cannot be provided in English.

Please note that some special services need to be financed by students themselves.

Disability	Facilities at UR
Wheelchair	<p>All buildings on campus are accessible for wheelchairs. Furthermore, there are also several sanitary facilities on campus accessible for wheelchairs.</p> <p>Public transportation: All city busses are accessible for wheelchairs.</p> <p>Trains: The German railway companies offer several services to assist passengers with special needs. Please note that you have to register for these special services in advance.</p> <p>Housing: Special housing facilities are available on request. It is recommended to inform the International Office well in advance of any special needs.</p>
Visually impaired	<p>Guide dogs are allowed on campus and all buildings. The campus is partially white cane friendly.</p> <p>Our central library offers special workstations and services for visually impaired students. It is possible to take exams with the help of assistants or at special computer workstations.</p> <p>Housing: Special guide dogs are allowed in student residences.</p>
Room for rest and relaxation	<p>There is a special room available on campus for students who need to take a break and get some rest (building PT 2.0.21)</p> 

Assistance dogs	Dogs which are trained for special assistance are allowed on campus as well as in student residences.
Auditory impaired	It is possible to get special assistants for lectures and seminars. Mobile SM devices for sending audio messages directly on hearing aids are also available on request. Special arrangements for exam situations are possible.
Dyslexia ----- Dyscalculia	The university offers a special software for students with dyslexia which is available at the university's computer center (ClaroRead). Students may also apply for additional time for exams. ----- Unfortunately, currently students with dyscalculia are not eligible for any additional time for exams.
Psychological disabilities (for example: Autism, etc.)	Students may apply for additional time for exams on the basis of recent medical reports and documentation from their home institution.

	Remarks
Additional time for oral and written examinations	Students are eligible to apply for additional time for oral and written examinations. Depending on their medical history they get between 15 – 50% extra time. Students who need additional time need to hand in a written application together with recent medical. They should contact the advisory service at the beginning of the semester, so that there is enough time to get everything organized.
Use of a personal computer during classes and continuous assessments	Students can get the permission to use a personal computer during classes. Usually, the personal computer is provided by the university (either the department or the computer center). If necessary, students need to hand in a written explanation for the use of this tool.
Specific classroom for written examinations	If needed, a specific classroom can be organized upon request.
Permission to breaks, and to eat and drink during courses and exams	Depending on the individual situation, it might be necessary to have several breaks during classes and exams, as well as to have the permission to eat and drink during courses and exams. In order to get this permission, students need to hand in an official request together with some kind of medical confirmation.
Note takers during exams	Study assistance is allowed but not organized by the university. Students have to organize their assistance or note takers on their own.
Specific software or hardware	UR offers specific computer workstations for visually impaired students, special microscopes, as well as a special software program (ClaroRead).
Special restrooms ("restroom for all")	The university provides not only special restrooms which are suitable for wheelchairs but also a special restroom equipped with a ceiling lift, a lounge for the change of diapers as well as for getting showered.

	
Library	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students with special needs are granted extra time for loaning books • Digitalization of texts in legible versions or audio files • Literature services (support with photocopies, getting books/ journals from the library, etc.)
Sports center	<p>The Sports Center offers sports activities for students with special needs e.g. table tennis, track and field, archery, and swimming.</p>

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