FAQ for students, parents/guardians, and teachers:

1. **I am a student with a disability who will be coming to Laurentian, how do I receive support and accommodation?**
* In order to receive support and accommodation you must self-identify as a student with a disability to Accessibility Services, provide us with documentation regarding your disability, and register with Accessibility Services.
1. **How do I register with Accessibility Services?**
* To register, you must book an appointment with Accessibility Services. Please contact us either by phone, email or TTY to make an appointment.

**Sudbury Campus**

Accessibility Services

Main office Tel: 675-1151 ext. 3324 Fax: 705-675-4807

 accessibilityservices@laurentian.ca

 TTY: 671-6617

**Barrie Campus**

http://www.georgiancollege.ca/student-services/accessibility-services/

1. **When should I contact Accessibility Services to register for accommodation?**
* You may want to contact Accessibility Services as soon as you have received your acceptance, sometime prior to school starting, or within the first week of school at the latest. After this initial meeting you will be asked to meet with an Accessibility Services case manager to further your accommodation process. This will ensure that you are properly registered for our services.
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1. **What type of documentation should I bring to Accessibility Services?**
* Bring any and all documentation that is related to your disability, for example, a psycho-educational assessment or a letter from a medical professional containing any education related recommendations.
1. **What services does Accessibility Services offer?**
* Learning strategies
* Time-management and study skills
* Note-taking strategies
* Assistive technology & training
* A testing centre for students who require test/exam accommodations.
* Alternative learning materials
1. **Do you have any programs that assist with the transition into Post-secondary for students with disabilities?**

Yes, in fact it is recommended for the students in need of our services to attend our one week summer transition program. This free program is known as our LIFT program and typically runs during the last week of August. The application form can be found on our home page.

1. **What bursaries or other financial assistance is available specifically to students with disabilities?**
* It is encouraged that students apply for OSAP even if they do not believe to be eligible, because they may qualify for the Bursary for Students with Disabilities (BSWD) and also to qualify for the Federal Opportunity Grant, based on disability related needs.
* The Bursary for Students with disabilities covers such disability related needs as tutoring, assistive software, technology equipment and computers, counselling, academic strategist, and other health related needs. Please contact the manger for more details.