

Four things to do to access ASC Learning Support (SFE)



Get evidence

For a Specific Learning Difficulty (such as dyslexia) you will need a full diagnostic assessment report, completed by an Educational Psychologist or Specialist Teacher. We can organise an assessment for you through ASC Learning Support (01452 702447) / email ASC@hartpury.ac.uk. The cost is currently £350.00 and Hartpury may be able to contribute up to £250 towards this.

If you have a medical condition, emotional health difficulty or sensory impairment, you will need evidence from your doctor or a specialist. **The evidence** should state your diagnosis and that it has a long-term impact on day-to-day activities. There is a DSA disability evidence form that should be used to evidence this which is available on funding body websites.



Apply for Disabled Students' Allowances (DSAs)

Support is provided on an individual basis, normally through DSAs, which can pay for one to one study skills / mentoring support and specialist equipment.

It is best to apply before you start your course although you can apply at any time.

Go to www.gov.uk or check with your funding body to search for information about DSAs and an application form.



Book your Study Needs Assessment (SNA)

Following your application, if you are eligible for DSAs, your funding body will contact you with details about booking a Study Needs Assessment (SNA). This is an informal assessment, which the Government fund.

To find a Needs Assessment centre, you can search <http://www.nnac.org/students/findcentre.php>.



Arrange your Support

After your SNA, a report will be sent to you and your funding body, which details your support recommendations. Your funding body will then write to / email you to explain how you can access this support.

For advice and guidance please contact ASC Learning Support on 01452 702447 or email ASC@hartpury.ac.uk