



AccessAbility Services

Below is a list of some differences between high school and college accommodations.

High School	College
School and parents coordinate and provide accommodations.	The student must initiate and coordinate services to request accommodations.
Entitlement system.	Eligibility system.
Modifications to curricula.	No modifications allowed.
<i>Special</i> accommodations.	<i>Reasonable</i> accommodations.
Teachers told of disability.	Student may disclose.
Weekly, periodic tests, Structured daily work.	Cumulative exams, Long-term projects.
Annual IEP (Individual Education Plan).	Semester by semester accommodations.
Communication with parents necessary.	Communication with parents not required.

Postsecondary institutions are not required to:

- Reduce or waive any of the essential requirements of a course or program.
- Conduct testing and assessment of learning, psychological or medical disabilities.
- Provide personal assistants.
- Provide personal or private tutoring.
- Prepare Individualized Education Plans (IEPs).