

Self-Assessment Survey

(TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT)

Student: This self-assessment gives us a better understanding of what it's like to be you—from *your own perspective*—rather than the perspective of someone speaking *for* you. Please tell us about the barriers you experience in an educational setting, including effective and ineffective accommodations you may have utilized.

Thank you in advance for completing independently, to the best of your ability.

Name: _____ A number: _____

Today's Date: ____/____/____ Your Start Date at DCC: ____/____/____

Program/Major: _____ Will you be living on campus? Yes ___ No ___

Preferred Name, Nickname, Gender Pronouns? (He/Him, She/Her, They/Them, other) _____

Telephone number (_____) _____ - _____ (best number to reach you/leave a message)

DCC Email Address: **This is your primary email, to be checked daily.*

What is the name of your documented disability/disorder/condition? *(If more than one disability, which diagnosis has the greatest impact on your day-to-day life?)* _____

Do the effects of your disability/disorder/condition vary from day-to-day or generally remain the same? If they vary, how so? _____

What accommodations/supports are you currently using, or what have you used in the past? _____

Based on your understanding of the difference between high school and college-level disability services (see the **Transition to College** packet), what accommodations/supports are you requesting at DCC? _____

** NOTE: If you are enrolled in a major/program that requires participation in clinical or field work activities before graduating, we may need to discuss accommodations for those settings as well.*

Next, we want to understand more about the impact of your diagnosed disability/medical condition/disorder on specific academic tasks and everyday activities. If your disability does *not* affect a listed task/activity, indicate "N/A."

What is the impact of your disability on **academic reading** and **reading retention**?

What is the impact on **academic writing**? (Research papers, projects, response essays, in-class writing assignments)

On **math**?

On **test-taking**?

On **note-taking** during a lecture?

On **interpersonal communication** and **social interaction**?

On **mobility/physical accessibility**? (Ex: navigating stairs, lifting heavy objects, working with lab equipment, etc.)

On **time management, organization, or planning**?

On **analysis, problem-solving, and critical thinking**?

On **motivation**?

On **retaining and retrieving information**?

Do you currently use any **assistive or adaptive technology** to support your academics? Yes ___ No ___ (Ex: Dragon Naturally Speaking, Speechify, Read/Write, Grammarly, Kurzweil, Smart Pen, Otter.ai, E-Text, something else?)

If yes, circle or highlight which and explain. _____

What do you anticipate your **greatest academic challenge/obstacle** will be at DCC?

What are your areas of **academic strength**? What skills/abilities are you confident in?

Any other comments or barriers not yet mentioned?

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