

Accommodations for Remote Class Delivery

Accommodations are provided to lessen the impact of a student's disability on their ability to participate and succeed in university classes. Students with accommodations will request their *Accommodation Letters* each term through the Centre for Student Accessibility (CSA) website, which are then emailed to students, instructors, and other university staff on a need-to-know basis. Please maintain confidentiality and privacy when discussing *Accommodation Letters*.

Accommodations may need to be arranged differently depending on the format and delivery of classes. Not all accommodations listed in the *Accommodation Letters* will be applicable to every class, so it is important for students to discuss their specific needs with each instructor. Some of the typical accommodations to be considered for remote learning include:

1. Permission to audio record classes (video recording is not permitted)
2. Volunteer peer note-taker
3. Access to copies of instructor notes, slides, and other class materials
4. Extensions for assignments and take-home exams (not automatic or guaranteed)
5. Medical class absences (missed exams follow regular procedures)
6. Extended time for exams and timed in-class assignments (1.5x or 2.0x)
7. Opportunity for clarification of exam questions
8. Limit of one final exam per day
9. One day of rest between final exams

Reader/Scribe accommodations cannot be offered at this time due to physical distancing guidelines. Some free solutions for reader/scribe accommodations include:

Text-to-Speech software – ClaroSpeak or NaturalReader

Speech-to-Text software – ClaroSpeak or Google Docs

Paid programs that students may already have on their computers – Kurzweil (text-to-speech) or Dragon Naturally Speaking (speech-to-text).

More information on accommodations and assistive technology can be found on the CSA website - <https://www.uregina.ca/student/accessibility/>. Please direct any questions or concerns to accessibility@uregina.ca.

Thank you,

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