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# Special needs

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As students and applicants at Charles University, you can access support for studying with special needs.

Each year, over 1200 students at CU are registered as students with special needs. You are not alone in this!

## Special needs include:

- Visual impairment
- Hearing impairment
- Physical disability
- Special learning disabilities, such as dyslexia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, or ADHD
- Autism spectrum disorder
- Other difficulties, such as mental health issues, communication disorders, or chronic somatic diseases

To access modifications to your studies and support services, you must go through an interview with a professional, called a **diagnostic interview**.

[How to obtain study modifications ?](#)

## What can I consider before starting university?

You can consult with us about choosing a suitable field of study based on your special needs or consider modifying the admission process.

[More information?](#)

## What support can I expect at CU?

Find out what modifications, services, and measures you can use during your studies.

[Complete list of services ?](#)

## Who will have access to information about my special needs?

[More information ?](#)

## Stories from students with special needs

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