Disabled Student Support

Kobe University provides disabled students with the support required at the time of the entrance examination and admission to the University as well as during the post-admission period, through each faculty/school/graduate school and Student Affairs Department.

1. Support at the Time of the Entrance Exam

Disabled applicants who need special care and support when taking the entrance examination and during their studies after being admitted to the University are requested to consult the entrance examination section of the relevant faculty/school/graduate school.

For information about admission to the University and entrance examinations, please refer to the information on prospective students.

(http://www.kobe-u.ac.jp/en/international-students/prospective/index.html)

| | Type of Disability | Support Services |
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| Recent Cases | Upper limb impairment Lower limb impairment Irritable bowel syndrome Hearing impairment | The applicant's car was permitted to enter the campus where the examination was held. Location of examination room and seat was determined according to the convenience of the applicant, and a special desk for a wheelchair-bound applicant was provided. The applicant was allowed to take the examination in a separate room. Enlarged print question and answer sheets were provided. The duration of the examination was extended. |

2. Post-Admission Support

Kobe University aims to provide disabled students with parking space on the campus and create an environment that will enable them to move around and carry out their various activities on the campus more easily, according to the type of disability and individual needs.

Each faculty/school/graduate school of the University also aims to establish an adequate learning support system by conducting classes in classrooms that are accessible to disabled students, securing appropriate seating for them, and providing in-class support.

| Recent Cases | Type of Disability | Support Services |
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| | Upper limb impairment | · A parking space was provided on the campus. |
| | Lower limb impairment | A parking space was provided on the campus. Classrooms and seats for classes taken by the student were determined according to the student's convenience. A desk and a chair were specially provided for the student and sufficient space was secured. |
| | Muscular dystrophy | Assisting the student in getting in and out of a car on the campus when commuting and going to classrooms. Assistance before and after classes—assisting the student in walking, and helping the student with unpacking and packing their bag. Assistance in the library—assistance in learning activities, such as undertaking research and copying. |
| | Hearing impairment | A note-taker was provided. A sign language interpreter was provided. |

- For consultation about learning support services and other post-admission support services, please contact:
- Academic Affairs Section at the relevant faculty/school/graduate school
 →A list for inquiries can be found at:
 http://www.kobe-u.ac.jp/en/international-students/prospective/list-inquiries.html
- · Support Center for Campus Life: 078 (803) 5258 (E-mail :stdnt-campuslife@office.kobe-u. ac.jp)