

WELCOME KIT

Students with disabilities



UniTo is increasingly focused on creating inclusive contexts, putting the person at the centre and promoting the full participation of all in university life.

Whether you attend the UniTo study courses at the central locations, or those activated at the Alba, Aosta, Asti, Biella, Cuneo, Ivrea and Savigliano locations, we have prepared some useful information for you to help you make the most of this new adventure!

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First steps

If you wish to request support services, you should contact the Office for Students with disabilities and SLD. We will welcome you and help you to undertake your path at the University with the tools best suited to you, through the formulation of the document A TU PER TU - Individual UniTo agreement for university supports (A TU PER TU - Accordo individualizzaTo in Unito PER i supportTi Universitari).

Office for Students with disabilities and SLD







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To take advantage of the support services, you must have a disability certification pursuant to L.104/92 (art.3 paragraph 1 or paragraph 3) and/or disability with a percentage equal to or greater than 50%.

Available services

By means of the support services provided and managed by the Office for Students with disabilities and SLD, UniTo seeks to meet the different needs of students with disabilities for attendance and academic success.

Based on your specific needs, we can:

• Support you in your initial adaptation to the university environment, including through meeting and exchanging with other students. We can support you in getting to know the facilities, the university websites, the organisation of your course of study, etc.

- accompany you on your journey to and from university facilities by accompanying other students, by public transport or on foot, within the city of Turin. We can assess any specific needs together (e.g. if you live outside Turin).
- encourage active participation in the various activities didactic activities and your stay in university facilities, through personal hygiene assistance by professional figures (OSS).
- support you in your teaching activities through peer tutors, who can assist you, for example, in lessons to help you take notes, in preparing for exams, in dealing with bureaucratic formalities (career plan, Edumeter, etc.), etc.
- provide, in specific cases, specialised services such as LIS interpreting, communication assistance and educational support.
- promote autonomy through software and hardware tools for accessibility, which the office makes available for testing and use on dedicated workstations.

- allow you, in collaboration with the UniTo libraries, to make use of texts in accessible format (in the case of visual and/or physical-motor disabilities that prevent the easy use of paper books).
- propose personalised interventions responding to specific needs for which the basic services are inadequate.
- encourage, together with the other University roles, your active dialogue with the lecturers in order to define any teaching adaptations and examination methods.
- if you intend to take part in Erasmus+ projects, we can, along with the relevant departments, help you to present your needs to the host university and check the possible services you can benefit from. You may also apply for additional special needs funding; more information can be found on the Erasmus+ for people with disabilities/special needs page.

You can always contact the Office for Students with Disabilities and SLD for information.

Financial exemptions

Provision is made for

- Partial exemption from university fees for students with a disability certification of between 50% and 65%.
- Total exemption from university fees (with the exception of stamp duty) for students with a certified disability rating of 66% or higher, and/or certification of disability according to Law 104/92, art. 3, par. 1 or par. 3.

Remember that in order to have these exemptions applied, you must submit your certification (with OMISSIS) to the Student secretariat of reference.

For further information, check the <u>Fees and Contributions</u>
<u>Regulations</u>

Reference roles

The University of Turin offers students with disabilities several kinds of listening and discussion. In addition to relations with the Office for Students with Disabilities and SLD, the University also has:

- The Rector's Delegate for the Inclusion of Students with Disabilities, a political role with the function of coordinating and monitoring actions concerning the inclusion of students with disabilities in the University.
- The Departmental Contact Person for the Inclusion of Students with Disabilities, who supports colleagues and students in defining possible adaptations to teaching methods.
- The Board for the Promotion of the Inclusion of Students with Disabilities and SLDs, a University body with the participation of representatives of the teaching, technicaladministrative and student body (including students with disabilities and SLDs).

Other opportunities

There are other opportunities that may be useful to you:

- Sportello UniTo PEr la Riuscita Accademica SUPERA.
- <u>Psychological support</u>.
- <u>EDISU</u> Ente Regionale per il Diritto allo Studio Universitario del Piemonte.
- **CUS** Adaptive Sport Project.
- <u>Polin Laboratory</u> Methodologies, technologies, materials and activities for accessible and inclusive mathematics.



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