



Supporting Students with Disabilities: the University's Obligations and Experiences

Supporting Students' Campus Life

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I. Orientation

- Before the Start of Campus Life

I.1 United College Campus Tour (student/& family)

- Academic Department located at the College
- Hostel
- Canteen
- Library
- Computer Laboratory
- Dean of Students' Office
- Bus Stops / Pick-up points for rehabilitation Bus
- Routes to other parts of the University campus



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I.2 Meeting the Students / and Parents

Aim: To identify the needs of the students

- School background
- Family background
- Health background
 - ◇ Type and level of disability
 - ◇ Medical care
 - ◇ Special facilities in daily life
 - wheel chair, lifter, breathing machine, printer for blind students, hearing aids, etc.



I. Orientation

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I.3 Accommodate Individual Needs

- **Hostel Place & Facilities**
 - ◇ Provision of a suitable hostel place for the students/and carers
 - ◇ Modification of facilities to fit individual needs
 - bedroom, shower room, pantry
 - tactile path on campus
- **Co-ordination with Office of Student Affairs and academic departments**
- **Seeking advice from the former secondary schools**



II. Supporting Students' Campus Life during their Study Years

II.1 As the First Contact Point Providing Advice and Assistance

- ✓ Counselling on adjustment to university life
- ✓ Personal growth - social life
- ✓ Studies & examinations arrangement
 - liaison with other units for the students
- ✓ Hostel/University facilities



II. Supporting Students' Campus Life during their Study Years

II.2 Financial Support

✓ College

- Caring Grant
- Hostel Residence Grant
- Student Loan Schemes

✓ University and Outside Organizations

- Nomination and support to students' applications
- facilitate students' applications for grants, seek quotations of special equipment



II. Supporting Students' Campus Life during their Study Years

II.3 Other Support

✓ Personal

- Endorsing application for University's parking label
- Seeking venue for the blind student to use a special printer which is very noisy

✓ Improvement in University Facilities

- Close communication with students on suggestions for improvement of University facilities on campus

Facilities for Disabled Students



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↑↓Special Bells Installed at Main Doors of Dean of Students Office & College Library



Facilities in Wu Chung Multimedia Library, United College



Facilities are being Updated for the needs of students with various disabilities

Facilities for Disabled Students





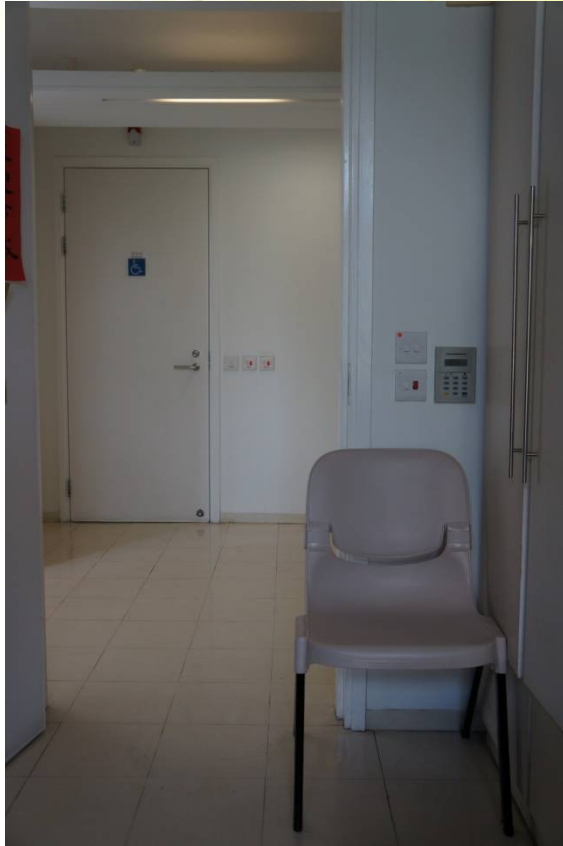
Facilities for Disabled Users (Students, Alumni and the Public)

↓ A Wheelchair Path to
Si Yuan Amenities Centre



↑ Car Park Space for the Disabled
Near the College Library

Facilities in Hostels





Inside a Hostel Room



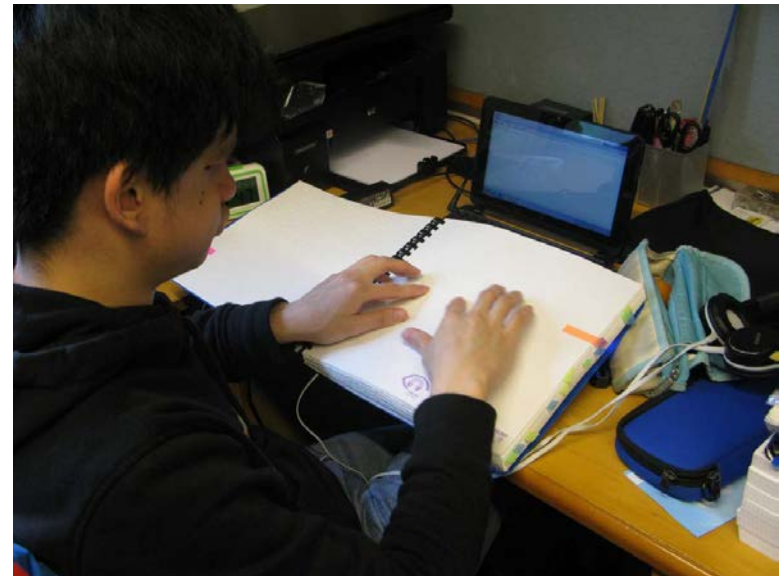
A Floor Mobile Hoist and a Wheel Chair
For Daily Use of a Student inside a Hostel Room



Inside a Hostel Room



A Blind Student using his own Computer and "Reading" Reference Books



Inside a Hostel Room



Needle-printed Books for a Blind Student are Comparatively Thick and Need more Storage Place inside a Hostel Room



**United College Always Supports
Equal Education Opportunities for
Students with Disabilities**