

Facilities for Differently- Abled (Divyangjan) Students:-

Shivam College of Education, Deoghar is Committed to providing an inclusive, barrier- free, and accessible learning environment for all students, including those with physical, visual, or other disabilities. The institution follows the norm and recommendations of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (RPWD) Act. 2016 and UGC guideline to ensure equal opportunities in education and participation in all academic and Co-Curricular activities.

Facilities Provided:-

1. Barrier free Environment:-

- Ramps and handrails are installed at key entry and exit points for easy movement of wheelchairs.
- Wide corridors and accessible classrooms to facilitate mobility.

2. Accessible Toilets :-

- Separate and specially designed toilets for differently-abled students with grab bars and low-height fixtures.

3. Signage and Visual Aids:-

- Display of Braille and tactile signage at appropriate locations.
- Use of large fonts and clear pictorial signs better accessibility.

4. Assistive Devices and Support:-

- Provision of wheelchairs and other mobility aids when required.
- Guidance and assistance by support staff for students with physical disabilities.

5. Priority services :-

- Priority seating and front-row arrangements in classrooms and libraries.
- Special arrangements during examinations as per the RPWD Act.

6. ICT and Learning Support:-

- Access to computers and digital materials for visually or hearing- impaired students.
- Availability of e-resources and audio learning materials through the library.

7. Counselling and Mentoring:-

- Personal and academic counselling by faculty mentors.
- Psychological support and confidence- building programs

Institutional Commitment:-

The College Continuously upgrades its infrastructure and sensitizes staff and students towards the needs of differently –abled persons. Awareness programs are conducted to foster empathy, respect, and inclusivity on campus.

Outcome:-

- Improved accessibility and comfort for students with disabilities.
- Enhanced participation in academic and extracurricular activities.
- Positive Campus culture promoting inclusiveness and equality.