

The Support Centre for Students with Special Needs at Palacký University





The Support Centre for Students with Special Needs at Palacký University in Olomouc

Centre provides comprehensive counselling and technical services

The Centre for Helping Students with Disabilities

The Support Centre for Students with Special Needs

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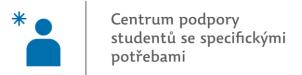
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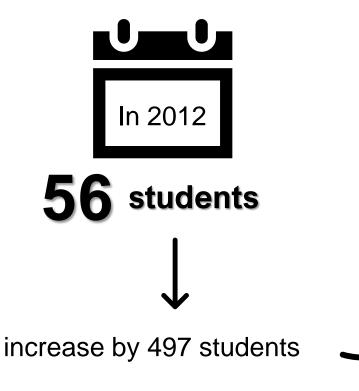
University institution







Number of students with special needs (czech)



Current status of students with special needs



Approximately

500 prospective students

for the next academic year.





Centrum podpory studentů se specifickými potřebami

Who do we support?

Students with

visual impairment

hearing impaired students – sign and spoken language users reduced mobility – lower and upper extremity impairment

Neurodiverse students
- autism

ADHD/ADD

developmental learning
disabilities
(dyslexia, dysgraphia,
dysorthography,
dyscalculia)

mental disorder or illness

impaired communication skills

somatic illness

upcoming category – exceptionally gifted

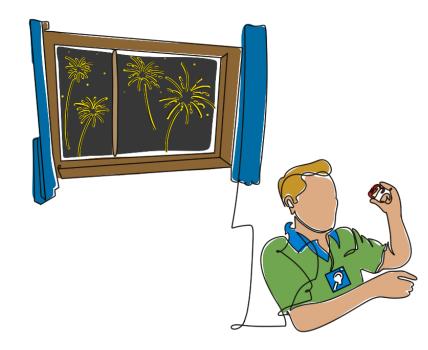
FOR STUDENTS WITH VISUAL IMPARMENT

- Modifications of study materials
- Personal and study assistance (study guide service)
- Training of spatial orientation and independent movement
- Learning to use special compensatory tools
- Recording services etc.
- Notes taking

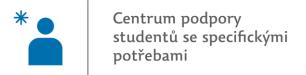


FOR STUDENTS WITH HEARING DISABILITY

- Interpreting to and from Czech sign language
- Oral interpretation
- Notes taking
- Simultaneous transcription
- Proofreading
- Individual teaching of foreign language





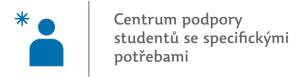


FOR STUDENTS WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITY AND CHRONIC DISEASE

- Accompaniment to classes and other study-related activities
- Accompany students to Medical Appointments
- Assistance in self-service
- Lectures notes-taking
- Map of barrier-free university buildings Bezbariérová univerzita | CPS (upol.cz)



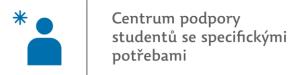




FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIFIC LEARNING DISORDERS

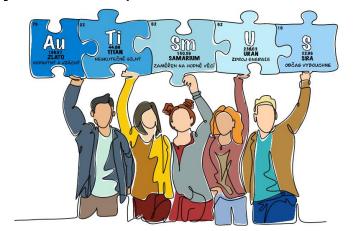
- Diagnosis of specific learning disabilities
- Organizational measures (classroom adjustment, study group adjustment)
- Time adjusment
- Counseling regarding the organizational matters of the study
- Recommendations for a final state examinations
- Special courses focused on cognitive skills etc.





FOR STUDENTS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS AND NEURODIVERSE STUDENTS

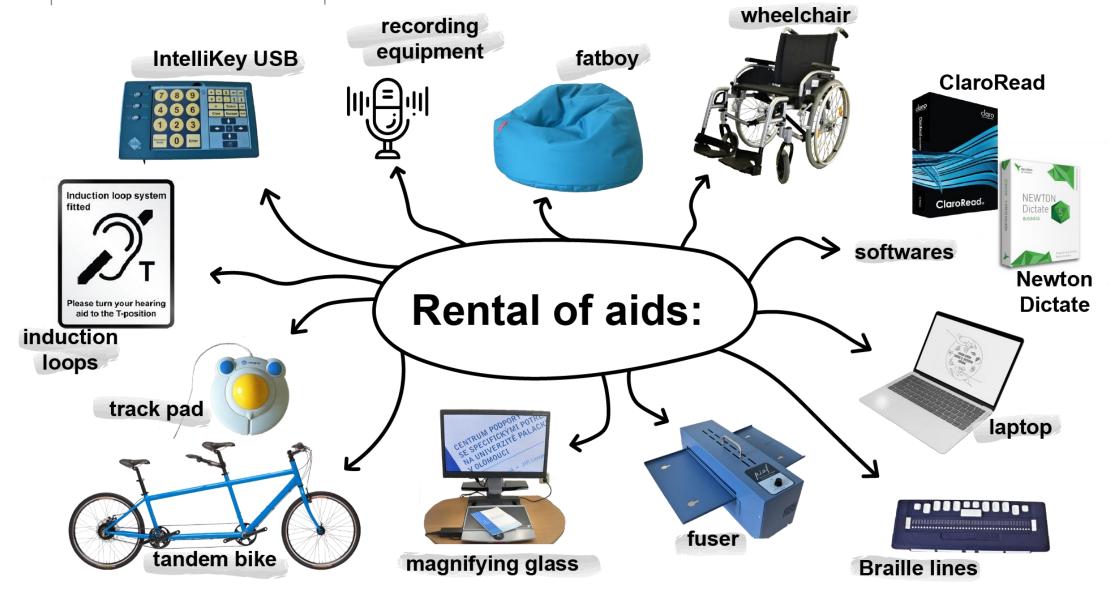
- Proper psychological support
- Communication with the teachers
- Organizational measures (classroom adjustment, time adjustment)
- Exam modifications
- Courses focused on training individual skills
- Assisting services
- Orientation training, etc.



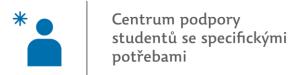




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Other activities of the center

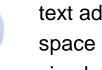
- Work with applicants
- Communication with teachers
- Courses for academic and non-academic staff (every term)

short term courses



communication with students with SN

long term courses



text adaptation space orientation sign language

- Courses for staffs of the center
- Courses for students
 - Around 20 different courses during whole semester
- Preventive programs for children, pupils and high school students
- Publishing activities /print and video version











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This information is entered into the university information system for the teachers' use.

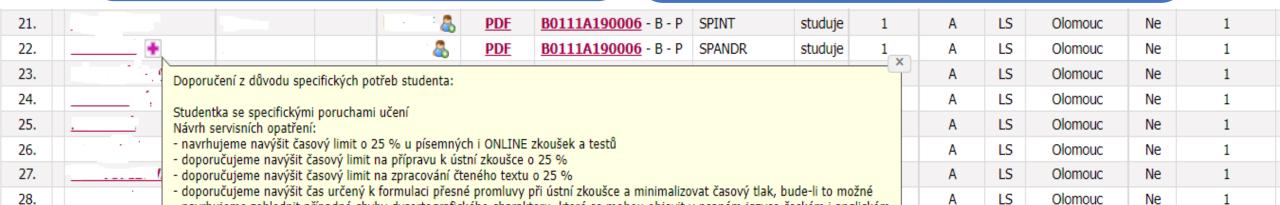
Students who want to be enrolled



For registration in the Centre – proper medical report or confirmation by counseling centre is needed.



Functional diagnosis and make recommendation for modifications.











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Thank you for your attention!