Understanding the Universal Symbols of Accessibility

The following symbols may be used to promote and publicize the accessibility features of places, programs and activities on campus for people with disabilities.

**International symbol of accessibility**

The wheelchair symbol should be used only to indicate access for individuals with limited mobility, including wheelchair users. For example, the symbol indicates that an accessible entrance, bathroom or that a phone is lowered for wheelchair users.

**Braille symbol**

This symbol indicates that printed matter is available in Braille.

**Accessible print**

The words “Large Print” in 16- to 20-point font size indicates that large-print versions of books, course guides, materials, pamphlets and other documents are available.

**Assistive listening systems**

This symbol indicates that assistive listening systems such as infrared, loop and FM systems are available.

**Sign Language interpretation**

This symbol indicates that Sign Language interpretation is provided for a lecture, meeting, performance, conference or other program.
Closed captioning (CC)

This symbol indicates that a video medium such as a television program, internet, DVD or Blu-Ray is closed captioned for people who are culturally Deaf, oral deaf, deafened and hard of hearing.

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