

Dyslexia Assessment

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Funding of Assessment

The University will help you fund the Assessment Fee if you are a student registered at the University of Glasgow.

You will need to pay the Educational Psychologist on the day of the assessment by cheque or in cash. After 2 weeks the fee payment will be reimbursed into your bank account by Registry.

When you turn up for the assessment you will be asked to sign a form for reimbursement of the assessment fee from the University.

You will receive an email when payment will be made and also that you should provide a copy of receipt to Registry following on from assessment. This will enable you to pay the Educational Psychologist on the day of the assessment by cheque or in cash.

Post Assessment

A copy of your report will be available usually a week after your assessment. A copy will also be given to the Disability Service. When we receive this we will ask you to make an appointment to discuss the findings and recommendations of your report. This will be with a qualified Dyslexia Adviser. Remember if you don't turn up for your post assessment interview we **cannot** put the recommended support measures in place for you on your course.

Why do I need a referral to an Educational Psychologist for Dyslexia?

- University Senate regulations require all students who disclose dyslexia and who require exam support need to have had a full Educational Psychologist's assessment.
- You will also need an up to date Educational Psychologist report if you need to make a DSA claim.
- A full Educational Psychologist's assessment may be recommended after an initial diagnostic screening interview and screening test has been carried out by one of the Dyslexia Advisers at the Disability Service, as the screening test result alone is insufficient evidence of dyslexia.

A referral for an assessment is recommended if:

- You have undertaken diagnostic screening and the probability of dyslexia is shown to be *High, Moderate, or Borderline*.
- You will also require a referral for an assessment if your previous assessment was carried out when you were under 18.

Assessment Arrangements

Cost: The assessment fee is payable in full on the day. The university will help with the cost of this assessment fee.

Duration of assessment: 2 – 2.5 hours.

Please select an appointment slot that does not clash with your timetabled classes.

If you do not turn up for your appointment without notifying us or without good reason you may be liable for a cancellation fee.