

Dyslexia Support

Learning Support Teachers provide help with:

- **Identifying areas of difficulty**
- **Planning a learning programme**
- **Developing strategies to learn HOW to spell by:**
 - using current College work as the teaching basis
 - knowledge of ground rules
 - recognition of language patterns
 - breaking words into bits (syllabification).

What help is available?

- **One to one support within a group setting**
- **Structured study within a supportive environment**
- **Computer provision and training in software packages such as Inspiration, Dragon Dictate and Texthelp.**

Help is provided by:

- **Discovering your preferred learning style**
- **Focusing on language difficulties** to help the student
- **Proof reading**, checking written work, correcting mistakes
- **Working out strategies** with the student to learn how to spell difficult words
- **'Unscrambling' long tightly packed sentences** when reading subject texts and exam questions
- **Developing learning approaches** so that students can apply knowledge to tasks set, and to 'stage' work so it can be completed by the deadline
- **Using Assistive Technology** including suitable software packages, voice recognition computer systems and specialist equipment for sensory impairment.

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