THE DSA PROCESS FROM START TO FINISH



The assessment is an informal meeting with an experienced assessor, who will help to work out what support you will need based on your needs. Take along copies of your evidence to this meeting The DSA team will allocate a supplier for you, who will help you arrange an appointment for a needs assessment at a registered centre.

After the needs assessment, a copy of the Student Finance England approval letter will be sent to you. (Please give permission for a copy to be sent to your Disability Service at University or College) Next, your supplier will order the assistive technology and set up the installation and support as required. For non-medical helper support, the needs assessment centre will help you organise this. For further help and advice, contact your Disability Service at your University or College.



Return/submit the completed form with up-to-date evidence of your disability and/or a diagnostic report confirming a Specific Learning Difficulty.



Wait for notification from Student Finance England that you are eligible to receive DSA.

