

What is the nature of your circumstance?

Disability

Examples: ongoing mental health, ADHD, ASD, chronic health/medical, Deaf, deafened, hard of hearing, low vision/blind, LD, physical/ functional/ mobility, MID.

Health

Examples: short term physical or mental health issues that are sudden/acute (e.g. the flu), unexpected illness or injury, hospitalization or treatment, significant aggravation of a pre-existing condition.

Compassionate

Examples: bereavement, life-threatening injury/illness of a close relative or friend, traumatic event, caregiver responsibilities.

Other

Examples: university sanctioned events, legal commitments, participation in events related to field of study.

Academic Accommodation Support (AAS)

Students with disabilities that require accommodations to reduce barriers so they may fully participate in their studies.

Accommodations may be provided on an ongoing basis, or on a temporary/short term basis.

Register with AAS: To explore registration, visit the AAS website.

Questions? Contact aasintake1@ryerson.ca if you require support.

Based on the duration of your situation, either Academic Accommodation Support or Academic Consideration may provide the support you need.

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Longer-term (generally)

Examples: you require assistive technology, note-taking support, extra time for tests, interpreters, etc.

Acute shorter-term circumstances

Examples: you require a make-up test, extended deadline, transferred weight of missed work, etc.

Academic Consideration Request (ACR)

Students who encounter shorter-term extenuating circumstances (such as health or compassion) that impact their ability to meet academic obligations can request Academic Consideration (*Senate Policy 167*).

Apply for an ACR: Submit your ACR within three (3) business days of the missed work.

Questions? Contact your academic advisor if you require support.