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Our clients are...

Age 18 or older and currently enrolled in post-secondary studies at a College or University in British Columbia.

Academic Strategists, Educational Attendants and Tutor positions are typically funded directly through the Disability Resource Centre at each College or University. Canada Student Grants are available for Services and Equipment for Students with Permanent Disabilities.

Pivot Point's approach

As with all of our services, Pivot Point's Educational Assistants bring a positive and strengths focused approach to assisting our teen and adult students in post-secondary studies. Our aim is to facilitate a seamless integration into these College and University environments while creating opportunities that will empower and lead to greater participation and success for each student.

We believe in full inclusion, and we work hard behind the scenes to help that naturally emerge in the lives of the teen and adult students we support.

A typical session

Each student's support needs are unique. Some require full time support throughout each class, as well as transportation to and from College or University. For others, more assistance is desired at the start and end of each semester, where there are significantly more dynamics and variables to manage, with various check-in sessions every few weeks throughout the term.

How to get started

Check with your local college for Student Aid BC funding..

1) If you are already an Adult Services client, contact your Program Assistant to ask about adding Access Assistant services to your current plan of care.

- Typically, this will also require you to contact your local College or University (Disability Resource Centre) to enquire about which of these two funded service options they have available for you.
- Alternatively, if you are paying privately for Access Assistant services where appropriate (or being reimbursed via extended Health Benefits), your Program Assistant will discuss how to add this financial contribution to your existing budget so that everything runs smoothly.

2) If you are not yet a client, the best way to sign up for Access Assistant services is to contact us online at www.pivotpoint.ca/request-a-meeting. This is a confidential way to share your contact information, so that we can contact to you. Be sure to describe the Access Assistant services you are looking for, as well as the name of the College or University where you are currently enrolled or hoping to attend. Our Manager in your area will call to set up a time to discuss service options with you.



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