CHRIST (Deemed to be University)

Disability Accommodation (Divyangjan) Policy

CHRIST (Deemed to be University) proactively supports students with physical and/or mental disability/challenge to enable them to successfully complete their educational pursuits. The enabling provisions duly guided by University Regulations include liberal admission criteria, suitably adjusted curriculum and examination system and such other empathetic facilitations. The Differently Abled Students (Divyangjan) at CHRIST (Deemed to be University) are generally given the following privileges:

- > Special coaching facilitation.
- > Extra time for writing the examination.
- > Separate room for taking the examination.
- > Support of scribes according to the student's choice.
- > Special question paper for examinations as per the need.

Procedures and pre-requisites in this regard will be as per the University Regulation.

Details of the Committee: -

1.	(Chairperson)	- Dr Fr Benny Thomas
2.	(Member)	- Dr Greeshma Manoj
3.	(Member)	- Ms Deepa Venukumar
4.	(Member)	- Ms Jeena George
5.	(Member)	- Mr Rinto Varghese
6.	(Parents Representative)	- Mr Ananda N
7.	(Students Representative)	- Ms Upasna Jinachandran Nambiar

8. (Students Representative) - Ms Tanisha Bhattacharyya

Functions of the Committee

- 1. Ensuring barrier free environment/ lifts/ ramps for easy access to classrooms, library, washrooms and other facilities at the campus.
- 2. Conducting awareness sessions on the availability of attendants to help disabled persons to move freely in the University.
- 3. Creating awareness and empowering students with disabilities through workshops and training.
- 4. Orienting Divyangjan on the assistance provided during examination such as special coaching, scribes, extra time, separate rooms, and special question paper
- 5. Conducting cultural/recreational programmes for students with disability.
- 6. Consulting and seeking guidance from the Equal Opportunity Cell, and submitting quarterly reports of grievances to the Advisory Committee for suitable action.
- 7. Addressing the difficulties/grievances of Divyangjans who approach the Committee and recommending unresolved issues to the Anti-Discrimination Officer.

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