

WHY COLBY-SAWYER COLLEGE?

Colby-Sawyer values students who enhance the culture of the college and contribute diverse perspectives to the academic community.

If you are looking for a safe, small, welcoming college with professors who will know you, support you and guide you, then Colby-Sawyer may be the right fit for you. With an average class size of 13, a student to faculty ratio of 12:1, and academic support services to help you establish your educational needs, Colby-Sawyer can provide you with an individualized learning experience that will lead to a lifetime of success.

Visit colby-sawyer.edu/admissions to learn more about learning and living at Colby-Sawyer.

“The students we work with are hardworking, creative and capable. We help them tap into these strengths so that they can negotiate the challenges of college.”

– **Petra Schaefer**
Director, Access Resources

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STUDENT LEARNING COLLABORATIVE


At the Student Learning Collaborative (SLC), you have access to the same content, writing and math tutoring available to all Colby-Sawyer students. Tutoring is free of charge and appointments are available for up to three hours per week.


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ACCESS RESOURCES

For students requesting accommodations under The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

ACCESS RESOURCES IT STARTS WITH YOU

Access Resources encourages independence and self-advocacy while providing you with equal access to the curriculum, services and activities available at Colby-Sawyer.

Your academic partnership with Access Resources begins when you schedule a meeting with a Learning Specialist who will help you self-advocate, find your strengths and provide support as you reach your academic and personal goals.

During the initial meeting, a Learning Specialist will collaborate with you to provide reasonable accommodations for your success. Throughout the semester, Learning Specialists are available on a weekly basis to help you organize your work, manage your time, and define your tutoring and testing needs.

Additional services include proctored testing with accommodations for students with disabilities, temporary medical impairments, and English language learners. Access Resources also offers short-term training and lending programs for Livescribe™ pens, speech-to-text software, screen readers and noise-cancelling headphones. You can also request medical housing and parking accommodations.

“Access Resources helped shine a spotlight on my love of learning and truly has provided a welcoming and supportive environment.”
– Symba Nalbandian '17

IS COLBY-SAWYER A GOOD FIT FOR YOU?

Successful Colby-Sawyer students are self-advocates who can independently:

- complete a college preparatory curriculum.
- master reading and writing technology, as needed, to support fluency.
- seek and utilize resources early and consistently.
- feel adequately supported by one weekly meeting with a Learning Specialist.
- succeed academically without curriculum modifications.
- take tests without individual oral reading or personal scribes.
- attend class without waivers for multiple absences.
- complete projects and participate in an internship.
- synthesize, apply and communicate information effectively.
- accept other cultures and perspectives.
- manage medications, laundry, personal hygiene and room cleanliness.
- make good decisions about sleeping and waking.
- formulate reasonable expectations regarding other students' behavior.
- respect boundaries in group living quarters.
- participate in mediation if conflicts arise.

Please share this brochure with your school psychologist and guidance counselor to help ensure that Colby-Sawyer is a good fit for you.

WHEN TO MEET IT'S UP TO YOU

You are encouraged to meet with Access Resources early, often and when it feels right for you.

As a prospective student, you may want to schedule a meeting with Access Resources before applying for admission, or you may want to wait until your acceptance to the college. When you schedule a meeting, your documentation can be reviewed and you will be provided with a list of accommodations that you can expect to receive at Colby-Sawyer.*

Current students may also apply for accommodations at any time during enrollment at Colby-Sawyer.

Visit colby-sawyer.edu/ar for Access Resources' guidelines, documentation and additional information.

*Please do not send documentation prior to submitting your enrollment deposit to Colby-Sawyer.

