

AEI Accessibility Tools & Services

Accessibility Services



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Accessing Tools and Accommodations

Individualized academic accommodations



Individual accommodation planning based on a student's functional limitations and educational needs



Accommodations for tests, exams, assignments, and classroom participation



A Functional Limitations Form for students who do not yet have formal documentation



Ongoing review of accommodations as student needs change

Accessibility assessment and documentation support

Students can self-identify their accessibility needs during registration or at any point during the academic year. Documentation can be submitted when available, and students without existing documentation can work with the Student Wellness Coordinator to begin the functional limitations process.

Accessibility coordination and advocacy

The Student Wellness Coordinator works with students and applicable Program Coordinators to identify barriers, determine appropriate supports, coordinate

accommodations, and help ensure students can participate meaningfully in their education. AEI's public information also identifies accessibility as part of its broader commitment to accessible student services.

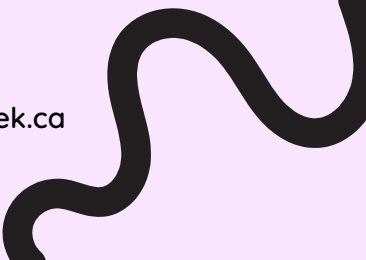
Inclusive and culturally responsive support

What makes AEI's approach somewhat different from a conventional accessibility office is that accessibility exists alongside cultural, wellness, and holistic student supports. AEI describes its learning environment as supporting students mentally, emotionally, physically, and spiritually, while incorporating Indigenous knowledge and ways of knowing.

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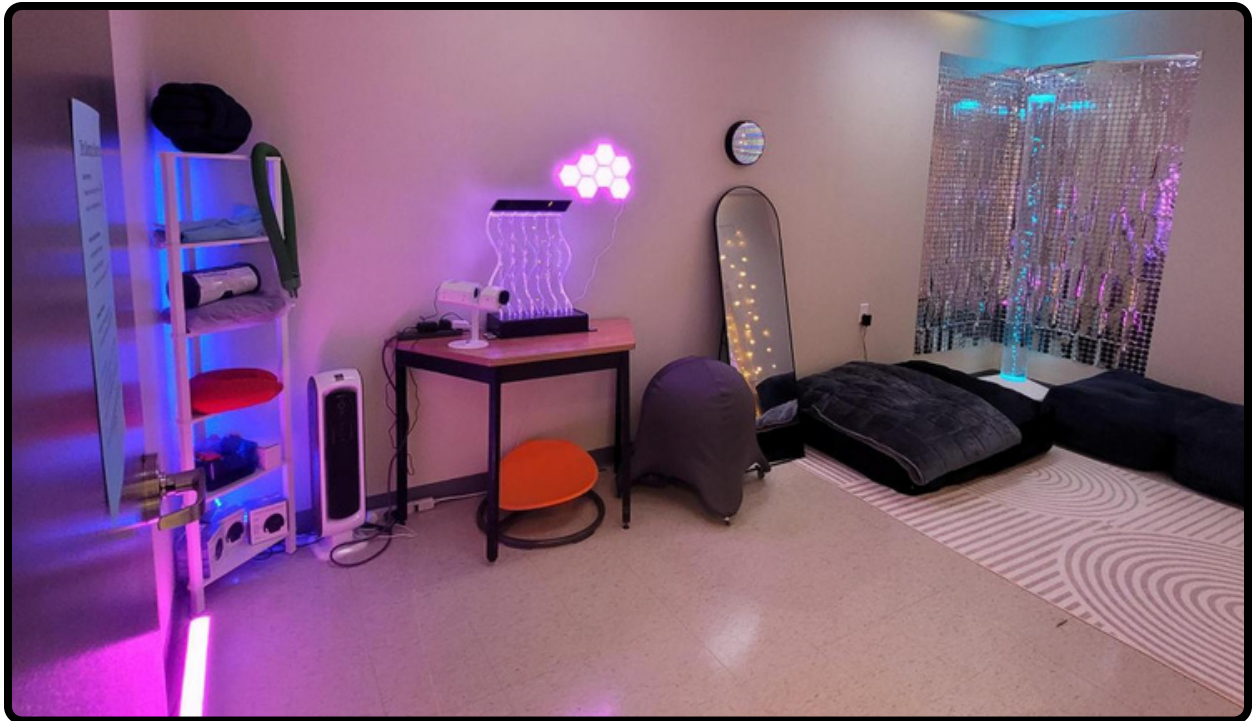
At AEI, you'll find a variety of accessibility tools designed to support your needs. This section features images and detailed descriptions of these tools to guide you in understanding how they can enhance your learning experience.

Sensory Lounges

Each AEI campus features a dedicated Sensory Lounge. These are calming and welcoming spaces designed to support wellness, relaxation, and self-regulation. These rooms feature comfortable seating, adjustable lighting, bubble tubes, projectors, sensory toys, pillows, and other sensory-friendly features. Whether learners need a quiet break, a moment to decompress, or a supportive environment to manage stress and sensory overload, the Sensory Lounge provides a peaceful space to recharge and refocus throughout the day.



Nipissing Campus Sensory Lounge



Munsee-Delaware Campus Sensory Lounge

Jabra Noise Cancelling Headphones

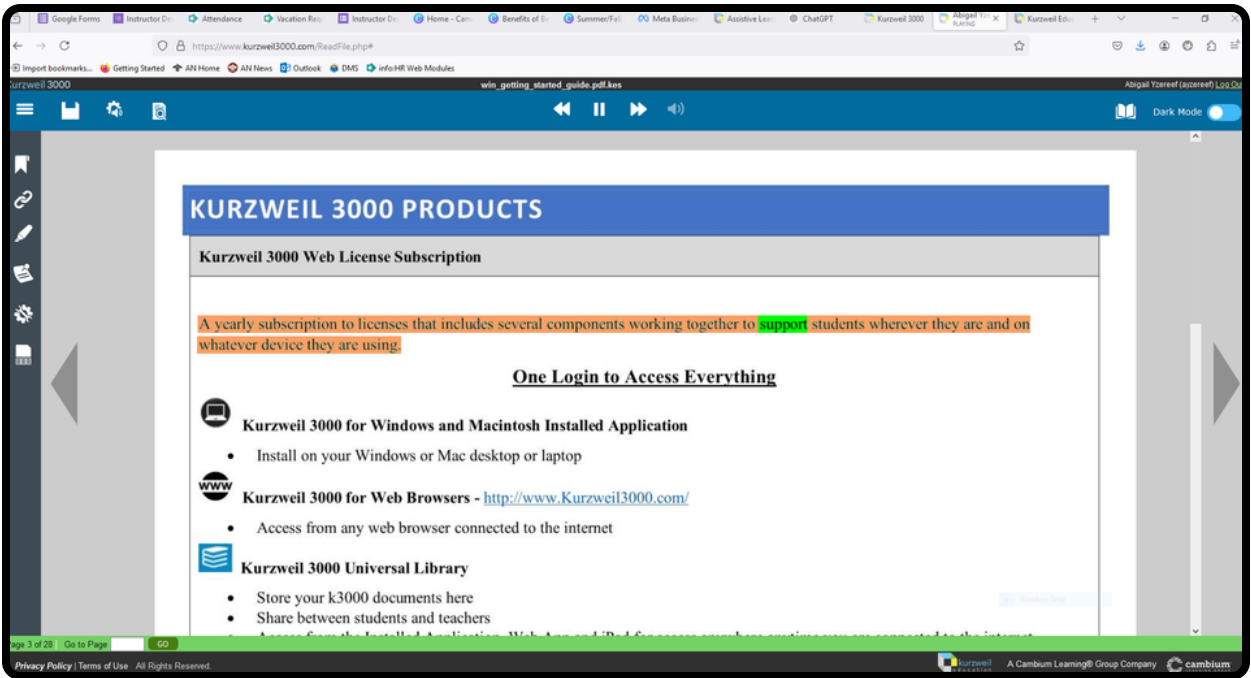
Jabra Noise Cancelling Headphones are designed with accessibility in mind, offering features that cater to users with diverse needs. These headphones provide active noise cancellation to minimize external distractions, which can benefit users with sensory sensitivities or concentration difficulties. They also feature intuitive controls, allowing easy adjustment of volume, playback, and calls, which is helpful for users with dexterity challenges.



Kurzweil 3000

Kurzweil 3000 is an assistive technology software designed to support individuals with learning differences such as dyslexia, ADHD, autism, and visual impairments, and more. It provides tools for reading, writing, and studying, including text-to-speech, speech-to-text, highlighting, note-taking, and study skill supports. Kurzweil

3000 aims to enhance accessibility and learning efficiency across various educational settings by offering personalized reading accommodations and tools that promote comprehension and academic success.



C-Pen Reader

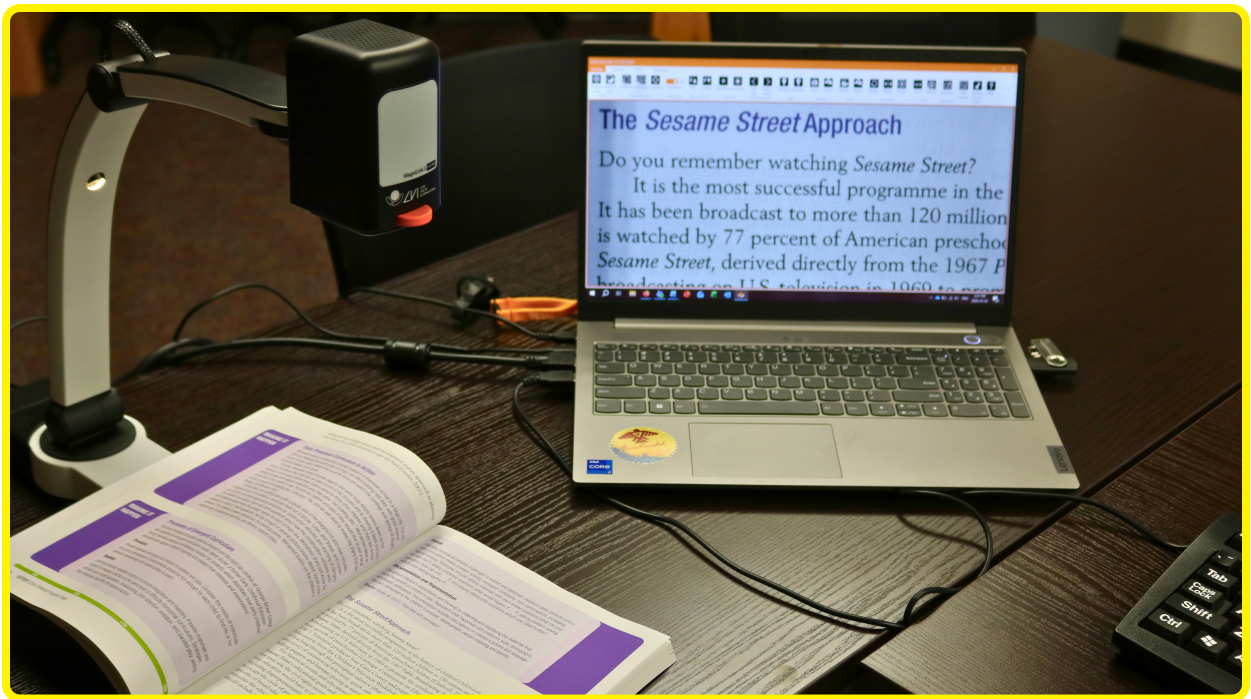
C-Pen Readers are portable scanning devices designed to assist individuals with reading difficulties such as dyslexia or visual impairments. They allow users to scan printed text directly from a page, which is then read aloud using text-to-speech technology. C-Pens are compact and easy to use, making them convenient for on-the-go reading assistance. They often include features like dictionary lookup, text magnification, and the ability to capture and save text for future reference. C-Pens aim to enhance reading independence and accessibility by providing real-time reading support in a portable format.



Magnilink Magnifier

The MagniLink Magnifier is a specialized device designed to assist individuals with low vision by magnifying printed text and images. It includes features such as adjustable magnification levels, high-definition imaging, and customizable contrast settings to accommodate various visual needs. The device is portable and easy to

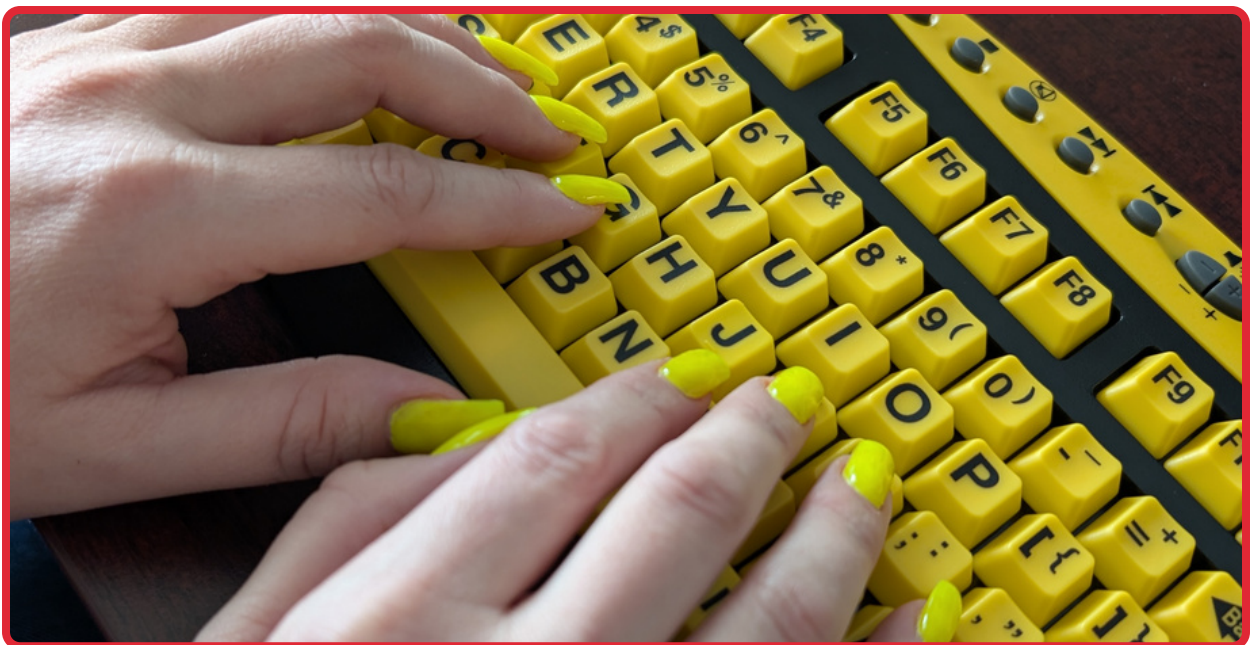
use, offering flexibility for reading books, documents, and other materials. It aims to enhance accessibility and independence for users with visual impairments by providing clear and magnified views of text and images in a user-friendly format.



ZoomText Large Print Keyboard

Designed for anyone who struggles to see the lettering on their keyboard, the ZoomText Large-Print Keyboard makes typing faster and easier than ever before. Each key and button label is easy to see, even in low light, thanks to its 36-point text and choice of high-contrast color schemes: “Black on Yellow” or “White on Black”.

The ZoomText Large-Print Keyboard also provides quick access to ZoomText features. Eighteen dedicated buttons allow you to instantly start ZoomText, change magnification levels, toggle screen enhancements, launch AppReader and DocReader, and more, all without having to memorize hotkeys.



Brilliant BI 40X Braille Reader

The Brailiant BI 40X is designed for enhanced connectivity and productivity, featuring Bluetooth 5 for reliable multi-device connections. KeySoft Lite software supports text-to-speech, aiding braille proficiency by vocalizing and defining words. Customizable settings include menu, thumb keys, braille table selection, and auto-scroll speed. It offers 32GB storage, onboard file translation, and seamless

integration with screen readers via Bluetooth or USB for efficient document management. AEI has also has a Braille printer to accompany this accessibility tool!



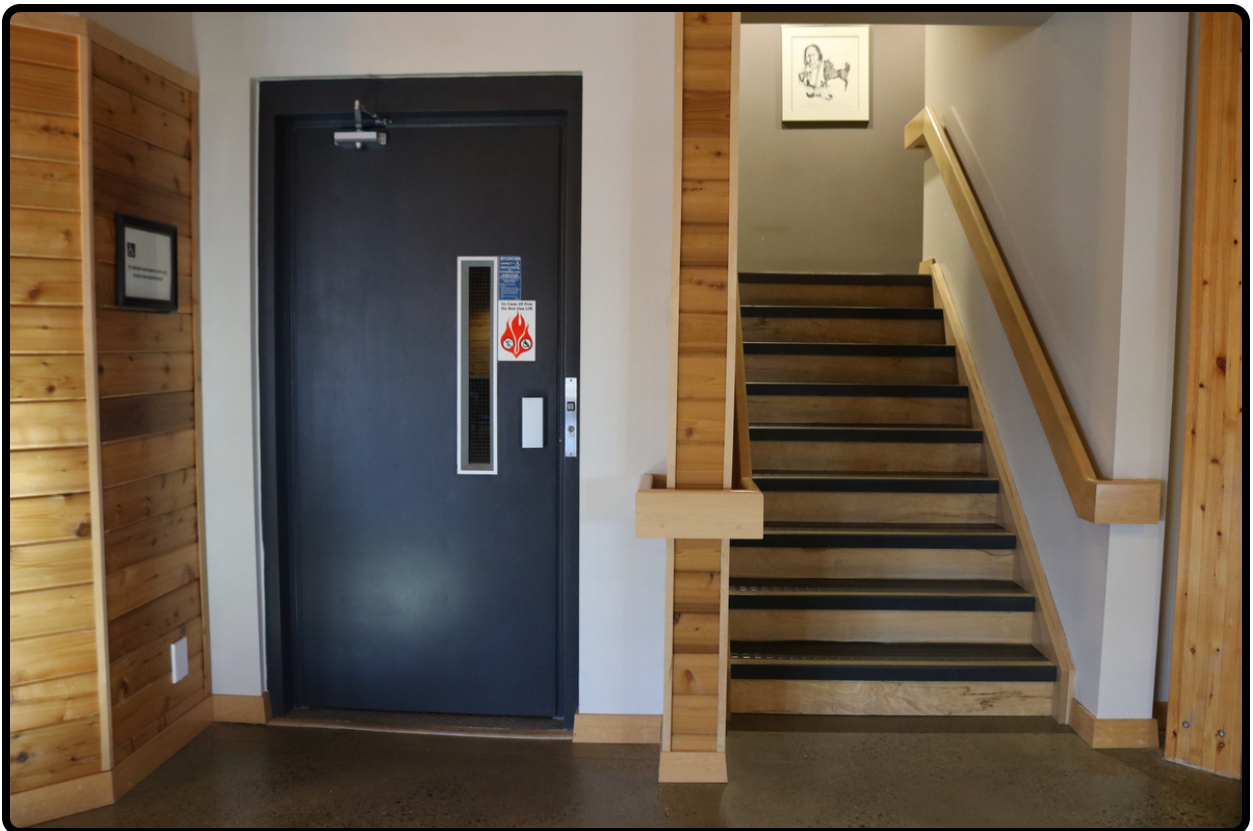
The FrontRow Juno System

The FrontRow Juno System is an advanced classroom audio and communication solution designed to improve student engagement and teacher effectiveness. It consists of a teacher microphone and speakers strategically placed in the classroom. The system enhances audio clarity, ensuring all students can hear the teacher clearly. It also supports multimedia integration, allowing teachers to connect various audio sources for interactive lessons. The Juno System includes features like voice amplification, wireless connectivity, and smart integration with instructional technology. Overall, it aims to create a more inclusive and interactive learning environment by optimizing audio communication in classrooms.



Accessible Campuses

Both AEI campuses are designed with accessibility and mobility in mind. Each campus offers designated accessible parking spaces, barrier-free entrances, and accessible washrooms with automatic doors. Learning spaces are thoughtfully arranged to support ease of movement, and campuses are either fully accessible on one level or equipped with an elevator to ensure access to all areas. We are committed to creating welcoming, inclusive environments where all learners can thrive.





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