

# Accessibility Resources

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## Resources for Making your Classroom Accessible

### ***Accessibility Guidelines and Checklists***

- **[Auburn Office of Accessibility Guidelines for Making Accessible Courses:](#)**  
This webpage includes specific tips and guidelines for making accessible courses for students who are blind, deaf or hard of hearing, or in a wheelchair. The page also includes strategies for implementing universal design for learning.
- **[Auburn University Writing Guide to Creating Accessible Documents:](#)** This document includes tips for creating accessible documents.
- **[Auburn University Writing Tools for Accessibility and Inclusivity](#)**  
**[Webpage:](#)** This webpage includes a section called “Accessibility and Writing” with resources for writing with accessibility and inclusivity in mind.
- **[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Accessible Files](#)**  
**[Checklists:](#)** This webpage includes a series of downloadable accessibility checklists for each of the varying file types you might use in your courses.
- **[Principles of Universal Design for Learning \(UDL\):](#)** This webpage overviews a series of actionable principles of UDL, a framework designed to support learners’ agency.

## ***Canvas & Web Accessibility Tools***

- **UDOIT Canvas Accessibility Checker**: This webpage includes details for enabling and using the UDOIT Accessibility Checker in your Canvas courses.
- **Web AIM Contrast Checker**: This online tool supports checking color contrast accessibility.
- **Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0**: This webpage includes a comprehensive list of strategies to make online content more accessible for people with disabilities.
- **Auburn Accessibility Web Accessibility Principles**: This Auburn webpage provides a simple set of principles for web accessibility. These principles can be used in creating your Canvas courses.

## ***Microsoft & Adobe Accessibility Tools***

- **Adobe PDF Accessibility Tool**: This webpage provides instructions for using the Adobe Accessibility Tool to verify the accessibility of your PDF documents.
- **Microsoft Word Accessibility Checker**: This webpage provides instructions for using the Microsoft Word Accessibility Checker to verify the accessibility of your Word documents.
- **Microsoft PowerPoint Captions**: This webpage details how to use captions in PowerPoint presentations.
- **Microsoft PowerPoint Accessibility**: This webpage provides tips for how to make your PowerPoints accessible, use an Accessible Power Point template, and use the Accessibility Checker to verify the accessibility of your slides.

## ***Auburn Student Accommodations Resources***

- **Auburn Office of Accessibility Faculty AIM Accommodations Portal Tutorials**: This webpage includes tutorials for faculty to navigate the Auburn student accommodations portal.
- **Accommodations Available to Auburn Students**: This webpage explains the various accommodations available to students based upon their specific needs.
- **How to Schedule an Exam with the OA Testing Center**: This webpage provides instructions for students to request taking an exam with the OA Testing Center.