Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Accessibility Plan

Benchmarks for determining accessibility:

Accessibility of online content and functionality is measured according to The World Wide Web Consortium's (W3C).

Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.1 A and AA has been accepted throughout the web industry and is used by the U.S. Department of Education, U.S. Department of Justice and Federal Courts as providing for full and equal access minimally in accordance with federal law.

Accessibility Initiative Accessible Rich Internet Applications Suite (WAI-ARIA) 1.2 techniques for web content.

Additionally, the College seeks to achieve adherence to and conformance with the following standards, where possible:

Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended

Section 504, Rehabilitation Act of 1973

Section 508 Final Rule Information and Communications Technology (ICT) Standards and Guidelines.

Section 255 of the Federal Telecommunications Act and implementing regulations.

W3C's Authoring Tool Accessibility Guidelines (ATAG 2.0)

W3C's User Agent Accessibility Guidelines (UAAG 1.2)

Responsibilities and Resources:

Department	Responsibilities
Disability Support Services	Understan St≯C ᡚ5 (ic)8.9 (e)-3 -0.7 (d)T.9 (e)-3 -0 WNC ICT Accessibility policy and ICT procurement process. Work with faculty and staff in developing equally effective alternatives exceptions when necessary.

Coordinate and deliver video captioning

Be accessible to people with disabilities, except where doing so qualifies under the Exceptions section of the ICT Accessibility Policy; or an equally effective accessible alternative must be provided until conformance is accomplished.

WNC reserves the right to amend the Plan at any time as circumstances require.

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