

# ASD (autism spectrum disorder)



It is characterized by a significant limitation in **social relationships**, **communication**, **language**, as well as in **mental flexibility**, **empathy**, **and anticipation**.

People with ASD can be considered lazy, clueless, selfish or defiant when in reality, such manifestations are a consequence of their **problems to interpret and integrate the social keys** that govern our exchanges.

# **Special Needs**

### **DIFFICULTIES**

- Understanding ironies and set phrases.
- High volume and monotonous intonation.
- Understand social situations, as well as unwritten rules and conflict resolution.
- Group dynamics.
- · Time management.
- Planning and organization.
- Attention-concentration.
- · Motor clumsiness, difficulties in writing.

#### **REASONABLE ADJUSTMENTS**

- Communicate with direct and explicit language.
- Break tasks down into smaller steps.
- Longer time in exams.
- Facilitate access to individualized tutorials.
- Anticipate materials as much as possible.
- In activities or group work, take into account their difficulties.
- Computer exam, if requested due to motor difficulties and illegible handwriting.













**Students** are the ones who must request UVdiscapacitat to inform the teachers about the necessary adaptations.

If it is favorable, a technical report is sent to the teaching staff in which it is indicated if they have a disability, their needs, and a proposal for reasonable adjustments.

### More information?



If you have any questions or clarification, write to: updestudiantes@uv.es or call +3496 39 834 26



