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?

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