



# THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA Career, Technical and Adult/Community Education

## EXPLANATION OF LEARNER RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

It is our district's responsibility to inform all students that sometimes accommodations may be available for basic skills testing as well as instruction, such as extended time or testing in a separate room.

Persons with documented disabilities including but not limited to a learning disability, ADHD, depression, mobility impairment, or a hearing or vision impairment are protected under law with the right to accommodations in instruction and testing.

EACH STUDENT has the right:

- To participate in adult education programs, services, and activities without discrimination
- To choose whether to disclose a disability
- To receive reasonable accommodations in class and on tests
- To meet with staff to discuss his/her needs

EACH STUDENT has the responsibility:

- To self identify, or notify a teacher or registrar if he or she needs or wishes to request accommodations for testing or instruction
- Provide documentation of your disability. Documentation is required, but will be kept totally confidential.

Possible accommodations may include:

- Extra time for testing
- Frequent breaks
- Private work area
- Interpreters
- Alternate test formats (Braille, audiotape, large print)
- Assistive devices

Remember, if you have ever had or think you might currently have a learning disability or other disability which affects your ability to learn or to take tests, please let us know as soon as possible so that, together, we can determine what assistance you may need in testing and instruction.

**I understand the Learner Rights and Responsibilities as explained to me.**

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved for Testing:** \_\_\_\_\_

*School Designee*

***With Accommodations: Check this box if documentation is provided substantiating the need for accommodations and describe what they will be below.***

School

Date

Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disability Act (ADA) may call the Equal Educational Opportunities Department (EEO) at (754) 321-2150 or Teletype Machine, TTY DD# (754) 321-6188. The School Board of Broward County, Florida prohibits any policy or procedure which results in discrimination on the basis of age, color, disability, gender, national origin, marital status, race, religion, or sexual orientation.