



The Algonquin College **Transition Support Centre (TSC)** supports approximately 400 Autistic students as they make their transition into post-secondary studies.

The TSC has 3 Disabilities Counsellors/ Learning Strategists ready to assist students.

**Our drop-in hours are:**

**Monday - Friday from 9am - 12pm  
and 1pm - 4pm  
Room E345 (3rd Floor, E Building)**



## 6 tips for supporting Autistic students in your class:

1. The TSC supports students on their college journey through learning strategy support and social/peer support.
2. Autistic students may have challenges related to executive functioning, sensory processing, physical and/or vocal stims that they mask in order to blend into the class environment.
3. Share deadlines and project expectations as early as possible in the semester.
4. Use concrete language in student feedback and expectations. Avoid colloquialisms and sarcasm.
5. For online classes, default settings to camera off for students to join the group.
6. Autistic students may need support joining and coordinating group projects.

If you receive a Letter of Accommodation from a student who is connected with the TSC and you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out. If you have a student that you suspect may need the support of the TSC, please encourage them to reach out to make an appointment for an intake.

Contact the TSC at: **[AC-TSC@algonquincollege.com](mailto:AC-TSC@algonquincollege.com)**