

**Mission: Palau Community College is an accessible public educational institution helping to meet the technical, academic, cultural, social and economic needs of students and communities by promoting learning opportunities and developing personal excellence.**

## **Disability Services**

College Campus: Palau Community College is an accessible campus advocating students with disabilities. Wheelchair ramps are available at most of campus buildings providing convenience to students to receive any services from different offices of the college. Ramps are available providing easy access between the upper and lower campus areas where the college library and classrooms are located. Identified physical disability parking stalls are available in most parking spaces of the college.

Admissions Requirement: Students with disabilities follow the same admissions process to be admitted to the college as traditional students. However, they may need to supply proof of disability when applying to the college to receive proper services to ensure the success of their educational goals.

Financial Aid Requirement: There are a number of financial aid resources available for students at Palau Community College. Students with disabilities follow the same financial assistance application processes, filling out the same financial assistance forms as traditional students. Students with disabilities may visit the college Financial Aid Office for more information regarding Federal, National and Local aids and other financial assistance, such as available scholarships, and their specific requirements. By law, any student from the Republic of Palau, Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, and the United States who is eligible for Federal Financial Aid cannot be discriminated for a disability in any awarding year of Pell Grant, College Work Study (CWS) and Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (SEOG).

Specific Services: Palau Community College is not required under the law to provide students with disabilities with certain services, such as attendants, transportation or devices, such as laptop or notebook for personal use. The cost for these services and devices may be covered by student financial aid and other grants. However, the college stands ready to provide technical support in every way it can to ensure student success.

All students enrolled at Palau Community College are treated equally and fairly. The college provides equal services to all students regardless of student disability. For more information of the college disability services, you may contact the following:

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**Vision: "We strive to guarantee quality and excellence."**