

NORTHWEST FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES POLICY

TITLE:	Course Substitutions for Students with Disabilities	NUMBER: TL 11.00
AUTHORITY: Florida Statutes: FS 1007.264; FS 1007.265 State Board Rule: SBR 6A-10.041		SEE ALSO:
	ADOPTED: 02/00 D: 03/00; 06/04; 06/07; 04/13; 03/19	BOARD SECRETARY:

PURPOSE OF POLICY

To recognize the Northwest Florida (NWF) State College's obligation to accommodate students with disabilities with course substitutions when appropriate

LOCAL LANGUAGE

NWF Northwest Florida State College recognizes that certain disabilities may preclude a student from successfully completing a specific course requirement for a degree even with appropriate accommodations. NWF The State College recognizes its obligation to accommodate students with disabilities without compromising the integrity of the academic program; therefore, in accordance with State Board of Education Rule SBR 6A-10.041, the following policy is established for providing reasonable course substitutions for eligible students with disabilities as required by Florida Statutes §§ FS-1007.264 and FS-1007.265 and consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act and other appropriate applicable laws.

Students seeking a course substitution shall present appropriate documentation to the Director of <u>Testing and</u> Accommodations. Requests for course substitutions will be considered on an individual basis based on the disability documentation and academic record of the student making the request. Documentation <u>mustneeds</u> "to substantiate that the disability can be reasonably expected to prevent the individual from meeting requirements for admissions to the institution, admissions to a program of study, or graduation." <u>The course substitution approval or denial will be made in conjunction with the Executive Director of Academic Records and Enrollment.</u>

Procedures for obtaining accommodations are maintained in the College Catalog, the orientation program, academic advisement, the College website, and printed materials available through the Student Success Department.