

# AccessAbility

DASS Newsletter

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## Peggy R. and Constance Harrison & James A. Sutton Scholarships



Applications for these scholarships will be accepted from any currently enrolled SMU student with a disability from now to May 15th. Priority may be given to those with physical challenges, speech, hearing, sight, financial hardship (depending on the scholarship), or those who have not received funds from the scholarships before.

Submit a 1 pg. essay discussing why you would be a good candidate for these scholarships. (only a one page essay per student is needed to be considered for Harrison and Sutton). Send c/o SMU's DASS office [dass@smu.edu](mailto:dass@smu.edu) by 5/15/24.



## OUR SENSORY-FRIENDLY STUDY PODS\*

ON CAMPUS ONLY UNTIL 5/14/25!

\*We need students to use the study pods and complete the Survey so we can generate interest for a future permanent installation. Also, please join us at the following events for this temporary exhibition:

- Pop-Up Demo event (giveaways and coffee!) on 4/16/25 1-2pm (H-T Level 1, near Panera Bread)
- Roundtable discussion afterwards from 2-3pm (H-T Chamber)



At two convenient locations on campus until 5/14/25:

·Hamon Arts Library, First Floor  
Hughes-Trigg Student Center, First and/or Second Floor

Please complete the usage survey after visiting the MeSpace study pod!

SURVEY



## SMU continues Accessibility Efforts

As new buildings are constructed or old buildings are renovated, SMU continues to make improvements in accessible spaces. Check out some of the progress in the Cox School of Business and Owen Fine Arts Center. If you are aware of a space that is inaccessible, let [DASS@SMU.edu](mailto:DASS@SMU.edu) know.



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Assistance Down Stairs

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