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DASS is now on the 2nd floor of the LEC! Over the summer, the DASS testing room and the office of our administrative coordinator, Vanessa Duran, were moved from the third to the second floor. So from now on, you should go to the *second* floor to pick up accommodation letters (room 212m) and take DASS-proctored tests (room 217). Check in at the front desk to get directions to Vanessa and/or the testing room.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Students for New Learning (SNL) will be holding its first meeting of the year at La Madeleine on Mockingbird and Airline Road on Thursday, September 1st at 5:00-6:00. If you have a learning disability or ADD/ADHD, please come to this introduction to SNL. SNL is an organization chartered by Student Senate, and meets monthly to be a resource to students with learning differences. SNL leaders will give an overview of what the group has done in the past and some of its plans for the upcoming year. It's a fun group, and can be a great benefit to participants.



Need Letters?

Please request your accommodation letters for fall by submitting the short form at <http://smu.edu/alec/RequestForLettersForm.asp>.

Then pick them up on the 2nd floor of the LEC and deliver them to each instructor in private to discuss how the accommodations will be handled.

*Hope you have a great
Fall 2011 semester!*

SMU scholarship opportunity - application deadline extended:

There are two small scholarships available to SMU students with disabilities. One is need-based, and the other is not. If you'd like to be considered, please submit your name and a short essay about why you should be considered. Essay should be 1pg or less, focusing on what your disability is and how this scholarship would be beneficial to you in managing the impact of your disability. Those who have submitted their essay by the deadline, and have been thoughtful about their response, will be submitted to financial aid to be considered for one of the two scholarships. Submit your name and essay to alexat@smu.edu by **August 29th** to be considered for the upcoming school year.