## **DISABILITY RESOURCES & SERVICES**

## **Flexible Attendance Steps to Success**

- 1. Prior to the start of the semester, you should meet with each faculty member to discuss your previous history of absences (hospitalizations, illness, medication changes, etc.)
- 2. You should develop a game plan that will lead to your success. This plan should include:
  - a. A review of your assignments and due dates
  - b. Clear expectations of what you will do to complete your assignments
  - c. Clear expectations of what you should do if you will miss a deadline or class due to illness
  - d. Clear understanding of where you will submit your completed work should you miss a deadline or class due to illness
  - e. Clear expectations of how you will communicate your absences (e-mail vs. phone call/instructor vs. administrative secretaries)
  - f. Your need for support to find a qualified note taker (if applicable)
  - g. An understanding of how you will retrieve notes when you are absent
  - h. Clear communication of how you can make up in-class activities or tests/quizzes when you are absent due to your disability
- 3. Division requirements to request an incomplete "I"

