



EQUALITY DIVERSITY INCLUSION



MY LIVED EXPERIENCE

At high school, I was told I could not be fully accommodated as 'they could not change rules for one student'.

I was left in the main hall on my own for several weeks as I was in a wheelchair, I was told science could not be taught in an accessible room and therefore taught myself for a few weeks – months of my GCSEs

What do I want people to know?

Disabled people know their own limitations and abilities better than can ever be taught at university or otherwise, attending a module does not equate to having a detailed understanding of how a person lives.

If I don't use an accommodation every day, it does not mean that I do not need it.

What does good look like for the future?

Not assuming what people are capable of, those who live with disabilities are limited more by societal preconceptions and inaccessible infrastructure more so than their actual diagnosis.

