

# Service Animals

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A service animal is either a dog or miniature pony that has been trained to complete a specific task. Only two questions may be asked of individuals with service animals:

- Is there a disability?
- Is the animal trained to complete a specific task/duty?

Legally, individuals with service animals are **not required to register their animal**; therefore, the Office of Academic Accommodations (OAA) does not keep documentation/record of Service Animals. They are **not required to wear a vest or be leashed**.

Handlers must retain good control over the animal, and the animal must be well behaved. If a service animal in your class becomes disruptive or aggressive and the handler is unable to regain or maintain control, call the OSUIT Police at 918-293-5000. Handlers are also responsible for proper disposal of waste.

If the answer to either of the questions above is “no,” the animal is not a service animal and therefore not allowed in class.

For questions or concerns regarding service animals, please contact the OAA at 918-293-4622 or see the [Department of Justice Service Animal publication](#).