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The Counselling Centre at University of Southern Denmark (SDU) offers study support for dyslectic students within the SPS-system (the special educational assistance scheme).

Our presentation will be an introduction to our methods, based on cases from our general practice, demonstrating how we select, develop, and apply the methods in our study support.

Furthermore, the presentation will give examples of the content of the study support at SDU, and will illustrate and evaluate some of the benefits.

As an introduction to the presentation, we will explain what study support is, and how we conduct it at SDU in relation to our agreement with the National Agency for Education and Quality. Finally, we will discuss the role of the reading counsellor as well as the role of the student in study support.

Themes:

• How do we make the learning difficulties of the individual student the starting point of the study support? (in our selection and application of methods?)

• How do we make sure that the content of our study support is learning-oriented?

Method: The presentation will be case-based.