Universal Design

Universal Design: Universal Design is a way of designing spaces (physical or digital) that everyone can easily access and navigate.

Seven Principles of Universal Design:

1. Equitable Use- The design is useful and marketable to people with diverse abilities.
2. Flexibility in Use - The design accommodates a wide range of individual preferences and abilities.
3. Simple and Intuitive Use - The design is easy to understand, regardless of the user's experience, knowledge, language skills, or current concentration level.
4. Perceptible Information - The design communicates necessary information effectively to the user, regardless of ambient conditions or sensory abilities.
5. Tolerance for Error - The design minimizes hazards and the adverse consequences of accidental or unintended actions.
6. Low Physical Effort - The design can be used efficiently and comfortably with a minimum of fatigue.
7. Size and Space for Approach and Use - Appropriate size and space are provided for approach, reach, manipulation, and use regardless of the user's body size, posture, or mobility.