

TRiO
STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES
PARTICIPANT APPLICATION
STUDENT ID:



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SUPPORT SERVICES DOTHAN**
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Student Support Services (SSS) is a federally-funded TRIO Program under the U.S. Department of Education that aids students in graduating from college. Funds in the amount of \$294,363 are appropriated through a Title IV Grant of the Higher Education Act of 1965. Troy- Dothan Campus Student Support Services Program is committed to providing services to 165 eligible participants. Program participants must meet certain requirements set forth by the Department of Education. TRIO Programs and Troy- Dothan Campus are equal opportunity affiliations and, therefore, do not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, religion, or handicap in admission or access to their programs.

DISABILITY INFORMATION

Do you have any documented physical and/or learning disabilities? Yes No

Have you been accepted as a student with a disability by the Disability Services Coordinator (DSC)? Yes No
 If not, you may contact Amy Farver, Malone Hall Room 118B, (334) 983-6556 Ext 1221

SELF NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Could use help in the following areas: (circle areas of need)

Academic

Reading
Math
English
Biology
Earth Science
Physics
Chemistry
History

Academic Related

Note Taking
Writing Skills
Test Taking
Time Management
Course Selection
Research
Math Anxiety
Attendance Issues
Study Skills

Career

Choosing a Major
Choosing a Career
Resume Writing
Interviewing Skills
Job Search Skills
Professional
Mentor

Personal

Money Management
Scholarship
Motivation
Self Esteem
Financial Aid
Goal Setting
Problem Solving Skills
Stress Management

INCOME DOCUMENTATION

NOTE: Documentation of taxable income is required in order for a student to be considered for participation in TRiO Student Support Services. Please attach copy of your most recent Federal Tax Return. If you did not file a tax return you will be asked to sign a "Statement of Non-Filing of Tax Return".

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SECTION A – Family Size

How many people live in your household (include children away in school)? _____

SECTION B – Taxable Income

Please fill in your **Current Taxable Income** on the appropriate line. **DO NOT USE ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME** for this report.

\$ _____ Line 43 – Form 1040 \$ _____ Line 27 – Form 1040A \$ _____ Line 6 – Form 1040EZ

THIS SECTION IS FOR SSS STAFF USE ONLY

Federal TRiO Programs (Effective January 31, 2017 until further notice).
 Circle the family size of applicants household and check the income option that best describes their situation

2017 ANNUAL INCOME LEVELS

Family Size	Less Than	<u>Taxable</u> Income	More Than
1		\$18,090	
2		\$24,360	
3		\$30,630	
4		\$36,900	
5		\$43,170	
6		\$49,440	
7		\$55,710	
8		\$61,980	

SSS APPLICANT CRITERION

Cum GPA Entering SSS: _____ Earned from TROY-Dothan Campus (Unconditional/Conditional due to GPA/Other)

Cum GPA Entering SSS: _____ Earned from other college(s) (Unconditional/Conditional due to GPA/Other)

GED Score Entering SSS: _____ Date Completed _____ (Unconditional/Conditional due to GPA/Other)

ELGIBILITY

ACADEMIC NEEDS

___ Low Income & 1st Generation (1)

___ Low High School Grades (1)

___ Out of the academic pipeline 5> yrs,(10)

___ Low Income Only (2)

___ Low Admissions Test Scores (2)

___ Limited English Proficiency (12)

___ Predictive Indicators (5)

___ Lack of Educational/Career Goals(13)

___ 1st Generation Only (3)

___ Academic Proficient Tests (6)

___ Lack of academic preparedness(14)

___ Disabled (4)

___ Low College grades (7)

___ Need for academic support to raise

___ Disabled and Low Income (5)

___ High School Equivalency (8)

grades in required courses/academic major(15)

___ Failing Grades (9)

SSS Advisor/Coach

Project Entry Date

This applicant is declared: Eligible Ineligible as a Student Support Services Participant.

SSS Director

Project Entry Date

Initial

- ✓ Participant agrees to meet with SSS staff at least three (1) time per term for academic advisement.
- ✓ Participant agrees to attend mid-term evaluation session if letter is received.
- ✓ Participant agrees to participate in at least one (1) cultural enrichment event and an academic seminar each term.
- ✓ Participant agrees to attend the Fall and Spring Mandatory Meeting/ Recognition Luncheon.
- ✓ Participant agrees to participate in tutoring and /or an instructional supplement.

PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT & RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Initial

As a participant in the TROY-Dothan Campus TRiO Student Support Services (SSS) Program, I am committed to my education. To gain the full benefits of the SSS program, I will make a commitment to my academic goals and the assistance provided. I understand and will strive for 100% CLASS ATTENDANCE, 100% CLASS COMPLETION and A MINIMUM GRADE POINT AVERAGE OF 2.50 I also understand TROY-Dothan Campus SSS staff will review data from my application, academic assessment and interview to assist in assessing my academic and career planning needs. Therefore, all information used will be kept strictly at the highest level of confidentiality. I give the SSS staff permission to inquire about my class attendance, class work, tutoring sessions, and receive grade reports, and I give my instructors permission to release such information to SSS staff when requested. The SSS staff will assist me in achieving my academic goals only if I uphold my responsibilities in accordance with the TROY- Dothan Campus Needs Assessment Form. Should I not meet the requirements and fulfill my academic goals, it may result in serious consequences regarding my continuation as a participant in the SSS program.

I authorize TRiO Student Support Services to gather information concerning all my academic progress (standardized test scores, grade point average, earned credit, transcripts, tutoring, etc.) and financial aid status prior to my participation in SSS. I understand this information is used to help determine my eligibility for SSS and will be kept strictly confidential. I grant permission to SSS to gather information for follow up whenever appropriate, including, but not limited to, transfer and progress to graduate school. I am aware my eligibility and financial aid status will be reported to the U.S. Department of Education in accordance with the grant funding regulations. I certify the information provided on

I grant permission for Student Support Services and TROY- Dothan Campus to review and copy any information maintained as part of my school records including admission, grades, Federal Tax forms, financial aid, disabilities, and any other information pertinent to my status in the University or the SSS program. I am aware personal information provided to TRiO Student Support Services will be protected under the Federal Education Rights Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974. No one will have access to the information unless they work with or for SSS, or are specifically authorized by me to see the information

Signature

Date

Student: _____

Witness _____

SSS Staff

Date