

## How to Apply

For students to participate in TRiO Student Support Services, one or more of the following requirements must be met, based on the legislative requirements of the U.S. Department of Education:

- Family income meets published federal guidelines (low income),
- Neither parent earned a four-year college degree (first generation, and
- Referral by the Student Disability Resource Center (disabled).

Additionally, the student must demonstrate an academic need for services and have the potential to benefit from the services. It is possible that students will be placed on a waiting list for services, due to limited enrollment.

Download application to type in blank boxes/spaces and answer all questions to the best of your knowledge.  
Responses on application may not accurately represent current circumstances or situations.

### TRiO Student Support Services (SSS)

### Application Form

Name:

First

Middle

Last

Preferred

Permanent Mailing Address:

Street Address

Apt. Number

City

State

Zip Code

APSU Box:

APSU E-mail:

Telephone:

Banner ID (A) Number:

Other Telephone:

SSN:                      Date of Birth:                      Gender:    Male (1)    Female (2)    Non-binary (3)

MM/DD/CCYY

Ethnic Background: Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic/Latino (4)?    Yes    No

**In addition, select one racial category that applies:**

American Indian/ Alaska Native (1)    Asian (2)    Black/African American (3)    White (5)  
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander (6)

**Eligibility Criteria: Funding is provided by the U.S. Department of Education and requires specific documentation for enrollment into the TRiO Student Support Services Program.**

**A. Citizenship Status**

Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent resident?                      Yes                      No

**B. First-Generation Status (parent s or guardian s educational level)**

Mother has a 4-year college degree.                      Yes                      No

Father has a 4-year college degree.                      Yes                      No

**C. Income Status**

Do your parents claim you as a dependent?                      Yes                      No

(If yes, then family income is based on parental income and supporting documentation must be provided by the parents).

What is your marital status?                      Single                      Married

(If married, then family income is based on you and your spouse and supporting documentation must be provided by both).

Did you file federal income taxes in the past calendar year?                      Yes                      No

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Banner ID: A \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Gender 1 2 3 Race/Ethnicity 1 2 3 4 5 6 0 Eligibility 1 2 3 4 5 Project Entry Date \_\_\_\_\_ Cohort \_\_\_\_\_  
 First School Enrollment Date \_\_\_\_\_ Academic Need 1 2 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 College Grade Level/Entry to Project 1 2 3 4 5 6

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(If NO, then please provide income verification from one of the following Government sources:

- SS/SSI Benefits      AFDC/ADC from Department of Human Services      VA Benefits
- Workmen's Compensation      Proof of Child Support      Unemployment Benefits      Other

**D. Disability Status**

Are you registered with the Office of Disability?      Yes      No  
 Do you plan to register with the Office of Disability Services?      Yes      No

**E. Have you previously earned a Bachelor's Degree?**      Yes      No  
 Have you ever attended college?      Yes      No

If yes, where and when?      (From)      (To)  
(MM/CCYY)      (MM/CCYY)

**F. Do you plan to earn a Bachelor's Degree from APSU?**      Yes      No  
 Have you applied for financial aid?      Yes      No  
 Have you been offered financial aid?      Yes      No

**Please attach a copy of your financial aid award history. TRiO Student Support Services is required to verify through Student Financial Aid Office (SFAO) the amount of financial aid needed, the amount of financial aid offered, the amount of unmet need, the amount of grant aid offered, and the reason full financial aid not awarded.**

**CERTIFICATION STATEMENT**

I certify that all information on this application, including supporting financial and family documentation, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I give permission to release my grades, financial aid/tax information, and SSN to TRiO SSS. In addition, I give permission to release my name and/or picture to provide recognition in newsletters, web pages and/or other publications. By signing this application, I understand that this will be an active contract, as long as I meet the requirements for the program. An email will be sent with the covered contract of what services are expected from both parties.

I understand that the above information will be used for statistical purposes in the Annual Performance Report required by the U.S. Department of Education.

Student Signature

(MM-DD-CCYY)  
Date

(MM-DD-CCYY)

Date Accepted/Date of Contract

Signature of Director

## **Financial Aid Consent**

I give permission to TRiO Student Support Services of Austin Peay State University to work with the Student Financial Aid Office of Austin Peay State University to secure the necessary data, if needed, to complete my TRiO Student Support Services application.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Please initial which form of income verification you would like to provide to complete the TRiO Student Support Services application.

Tax Statement

Financial Aid