



TRiO SSS Application

DEPARTMENT OF ACADEMIC & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

The following information is required to determine eligibility for the TRiO SSS program. Students who wish to participate in TRiO SSS must meet certain federal requirements. The information you provide is strictly confidential. **Please type or print legibly.**

Personal Information

Student ID Number _____ Birth Date _____/_____/_____

Name _____
First Middle Last

Permanent/ Home Address:

Street _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

E-mail _____ Cell phone _____

Local Address: on campus off campus

Street _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Are you a U.S Citizen? Yes No

Gender Identity: Male Female

Ethnic Identity:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African-American | <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino | <input type="checkbox"/> White, non-Hispanic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bi-racial | |

Marital Status: Single Married Divorced Widowed

Are you a veteran of the United States military service? Yes No

Family Education Background Information

What is the highest education level completed for each parent?

Father's Education:

- N/A or Unknown
- Less than high school
- High School degree
- Some college (no degree)
- Associate's degree (2 year program)
- Bachelor's degree (4 year program)

Mother's Education:

- N/A or Unknown
- Less than high school
- High School degree
- Some college (no degree)
- Associate's degree (2 year program)
- Bachelor's degree (4 year program)

Graduate degree (e.g., Master's degree)

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Household Income Information (signature required)

Are you receiving a Pell Grant? Yes No

Using the income table below, is your household income at or below the taxable income (not Adjusted Gross Income), based on the number of individuals in your household? If you filed independently, then you do not need to include your parent's income.

Yes, based on the number of individuals in my household, my 2023 household taxable income was at or below the amount listed to the right.

No, based on the number of individuals in my household, my 2023 household taxable income was above the amount listed to the right.

# of individuals in household	<u>Taxable</u> income (as reported in 2023 tax returns)
1	\$22,590
2	\$30,660
3	\$38,730
4	\$46,800
5	\$54,870
6	\$62,940
7	\$71,010
8	\$79,080

I verify that this financial information is correct.

Student Signature

Date

Please tell us:

What obstacle(s) may challenge you in completing your academic goals? [Check all that apply.]

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Undecided about a major <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of support from family <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of support from friends <input type="checkbox"/> Academically underprepared – Not ready for college level courses <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please describe below): | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Single parent issues <input type="checkbox"/> Feeling out of place – Not comfortable in the college environment <input type="checkbox"/> Childcare |
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Academic Information

Entry Date at MU (mo/yr) ____/____/____ Entry date in College (if elsewhere) ____/____/____

Credits to date _____ Current Major _____

Desired Major _____

Mansfield GPA _____/4.00

If *transfer student*, GPA at prior college: _____/4.00

Enrollment Status: Full-time Part-time

Expected Graduate Date (mo/yr) ____/____/____

Have you earned a degree elsewhere? Yes No

If *yes*, was it a(n) Associate's or Bachelor's degree? _____

Have you participated in any of the following TRiO programs?

Talent Search Upward Bound

Best SAT scores: _____(Verbal) _____(Math) _____(Writing)

High school GPA: _____/4.00 High school rank (if applicable): _____

Did you earn a GED? Yes No

Have you been out of college for more than 4 years? Yes No

Please provide your cell phone if you are willing to receive TRiO announcements via text messages _
(____) _____

Disability Information (voluntary)

Your cooperation in completing the following questions would be appreciated. **Response to the inquiry is entirely voluntary.** Be assured that this information shall be maintained in strict confidentiality. Any use of this material for purposes not stated herein or use by unauthorized personnel is prohibited by law.

Do you have a documented disability? Yes No

Have you been diagnosed with a Learning Disability? Yes No

Have you been diagnosed with a physical disability? Yes No

**TRiO Student Support Services (SSS)
CONTRACT**

I understand that the goal of this program is to retain and successfully graduate TRiO eligible Mansfield University students. I further understand that participating in Student Support Services is a privilege. I understand that I:

- ✓ *will be assigned a TRiO advisor and peer mentor;*
- ✓ *will have access to TRiO tutors;*
- ✓ *may receive tutoring, personal counseling, study skills help, academic advising, financial advising, career counseling, peer support and various support workshops.*

I am aware that I am required to:

- 1) *Complete an Individual Academic Plan **each** semester with my TRiO Advisor to ensure that my file remains current and to determine the nature of the services that I need;*
- 2) *Contact Student Support Services staff at least two times per month in order to develop and implement a plan to improve my academic standing if I am on academic probation;*
- 3) *Participate with follow-up surveys, questions, program evaluation, etc.*

We strongly encourage you to remain active in Student Support Services in order to take advantage of all of the benefits that come with membership. Failure to fulfill the above requirements may render you ineligible to receive the benefits and services of the program.

To qualify for the TRiO Scholarship, you must have a 2.5 QPA or semester GPA plus 20 contact hours (as agreed upon by the student and the TRiO advisor when completing the student's Individual Success Plan).

This form, along with an application, must be completed in order to determine eligibility and participation. We will conduct interviews prior to admittance into the program. The information you provide is strictly confidential. This information is required because this is a federally funded program, and students who wish to participate must meet certain requirements.

If accepted, I hereby give permission for the TRiO Student Support Services staff to disclose and receive information concerning the nature of my Student Support Services (SSS) eligibility and participation, including academic and financial information, on an as-needed basis with appropriate faculty and staff at Mansfield University.

My signature signifies that I have read and understand this contract.

Student Signature

Date

Email the completed application to the TRiO Clerical Assistant III for Mansfield University, Ms. Kasey Cox, at kcox@commonwealthu.edu

If you have additional questions, please contact Ms. Kasey Cox by e-mail or (570) 662-4436.