



TRiO Student Support Services SSS & SSS-ESL



The goal of TRiO is to increase the college retention and graduation rates of its participants. The TRiO programs provide its participants with a variety of FREE services including:

- Counseling services
- Priority Registration
- Advice and assistance in postsecondary course selection
- Information on financial aid & financial literacy
- Guidance as student research, applies, and transition to four-year institutions
- Cultural events and campus tours

Who's eligible for TRiO?

Students who are:

- (a) U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- (b) Pursuing a degree, and
- (c) Currently enrolled in 8 or more units at Woodland Community College/Colusa County Campus (ESL)
- (d) You also need to meet one or more of the following criteria:
 1. Be a first generation college student (*neither parent has received a four-year college degree*)
 2. Meet federal low-income guidelines (*as determined by the federal government*)
 3. Have a documented disability.

Selection Process

Only completed applications from eligible students will be reviewed. After the initial screening, eligible applicants will be invited to a short interview with project staff. In a competitive situation, priority will be given to applicants who demonstrate (1) the greatest need for support and (2) the strongest desire to be an active and engaged TRiO scholar. Space is limited and students are highly encouraged to submit applications as soon as possible.

Application Checklist

- Complete and sign the application
- Personal Statement (pg. 4)
- Provide a copy of an official form of identification (State License, State ID card, Permanent Resident Card, Passport etc.)
- Copy of last year's income tax (Form 1040).
*NOTE: *Parent tax returns are needed if student can still be claimed as a DEPENDENT according to federal financial aid law.*
- OR-**
- Complete "Student Financial Eligibility Information" (pg. 3).

Want more information?

Contact us at (530) 661-2285 or wcctrio@yccd.edu
You can also visit one of our offices:

Woodland Community College
2300 E. Gibson Road
Woodland, CA 95776
Building 800 Room 850

Colusa County Campus
99 Ella Street
Williams, CA 95987
Room 121

For official use -

1st Check: Staff initial _____ Date _____ **2nd Check:** Staff initial _____ Date _____ **3rd Check:** Staff initial _____ Date _____



WOODLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE/COLUSA COUNTY CAMPUS
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APPLICATION



STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Gender: Female Male
Student ID: _____ Birth Date: ____/____/____ Are you a veteran? Yes No
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____
Home Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Check here, if TRiO can send you text notifications
Are you a U.S Citizen or Permanent Resident? Yes No (If you marked No or do not know, please STOP here and talk to a TRiO Staff Member for clarification)
If you are a Permanent Resident, please provide your A-Number: _____
Do you have a physical or learning disability? Yes No Are you part of DSPS at WCC? Yes No
Describe your disability: (optional) _____
What is your YCCD email? _____ (Please, be advised this will be the main form of communication of TRiO)
How did you learn about the SSS program? (Print name of person): _____

STUDENT LANGUAGE USE

Do you speak in more than one language at home? Yes No If so, which language? _____
Do you read in more than one language at home? Yes No If so, which language? _____
Do you write in more than one language at home? Yes No If so, which language? _____
Do you listen in more than one language at home? Yes No If so, which language? _____
 Not Applicable

STUDENT ETHNICITY

American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American
 Hispanic or Latino White Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

STUDENT ACADEMIC PROFILE

Are you a High School Graduate? Yes No Did you receive a GED? Yes No Did you receive a Certificate of Completion? Yes No
Name of High School/GED Prep Program: _____ Class of: _____
Have you participated in any of the following programs? AVID Cal-WORKs DSPS/SPECIAL EDUCATION EOPS ETS GEAR-UP
 MESA Upward Bound
What programs are you a current participant of at WCC? Cal-WORKs DSPS/SPECIAL EDUCATION EOPS MESA FYE
What is your major? _____
What other colleges have you attended? _____ When was the first time you attended college? _____
(please attach your unofficial transcripts) (List semester and year)
Have you received an Associate's degree? Yes No If yes, from where? _____
Have you received a Bachelor's degree (4 year degree)? Yes No If yes, from where? _____
Has either of your parents/guardians received a Bachelor's degree (4 year degree)? Yes No

STUDENT FINANCIAL ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION

What is the TOTAL number of persons in your family (claimed household for taxes): _____

- Check here if you are 24 years of age or older, married and/or have dependents (INDEPENDENT). Fill out the questions below.
 Check here if you are 23 years of age or younger, not married, and/or do not have any dependents (DEPENDENT). You will need to provide your parents/legal guardian federal taxes for last year. Fill out the questions below.

Provide your family's total TAXABLE Family Income: (Tax return form 1040, use line 10) (NOT adjusted gross income)

- My family's TAXABLE (not total) income from the last calendar year was: \$ _____
 (Note: Your TAXABLE income can be found on the federal income tax return you filed for the last calendar year. All IRS forms will have a separate line for the total TAXABLE income; do not confuse it with your total wages or your adjusted gross income.)

- I attest that my family did not file a Federal Income Tax Return for the last calendar year.
 I attest my family's income was: \$ _____

- I attest that my family had no taxable income for the last calendar year (if you checked this option the additional form available in the TRiO office)

Student Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____
 (Needed if student is considered a dependent)

- Are you receiving Financial Aid? Yes No
 Have you completed your FAFSA? Yes No
 If no, are you planning on submitting your FAFSA application? Yes No

TRANSFER INFORMATION

PLEASE NOTE: TRiO students are required to graduate from WCC and transfer to a 4-year institution. If you question or concerns please contact the TRiO office.

- Do you want to earn an Associate's degree at WCC before transferring to a 4-year college/university? Yes No
 Do you plan on transferring to a 4-year college/university? Yes No
 Do you know what steps you have to take to transfer from Woodland Community College to a 4-year University? Yes No
 Please select the UC/CSU or name the private university you are most interested in transferring to:

- UC:**
- | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Berkeley | <input type="checkbox"/> Riverside |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Davis | <input type="checkbox"/> San Diego |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Irvine | <input type="checkbox"/> Santa Barbara |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Los Angeles | <input type="checkbox"/> Santa Cruz |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Merced | |

List private 4-year college/university:

- CSU:**
- | | | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bakersfield | <input type="checkbox"/> Fresno | <input type="checkbox"/> Cal Maritime | <input type="checkbox"/> San Bernardino | <input type="checkbox"/> San Marcos |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Channel Islands | <input type="checkbox"/> Fullerton | <input type="checkbox"/> Monterey Bay | <input type="checkbox"/> San Diego | <input type="checkbox"/> Sonoma |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chico | <input type="checkbox"/> Humboldt | <input type="checkbox"/> Northridge | <input type="checkbox"/> San Francisco | <input type="checkbox"/> Stanislaus |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dominguez Hills | <input type="checkbox"/> Long Beach | <input type="checkbox"/> Cal Poly | <input type="checkbox"/> San Jose | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> East Bay | <input type="checkbox"/> Los Angeles | <input type="checkbox"/> Sacramento | <input type="checkbox"/> San Luis Obispo | |



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ACADEMIC NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Please check all that may interest you /benefit you or that you need assistance with:

Academic Support

- Study Skills
- Tutoring
- Writing
- Reading
- Math
- Science

Academic/Transfer Advising

- Course selection assistance
- Developing a graduation plan
- Selecting a major
- Transfer info & assistance
- Developing a transfer plan

Financial Aid

- FAFSA info/application help
- Scholarship info/Application help
- California Promise Grant
- Understanding college policy on financial aid
- Transfer Award Letter

Financial Literacy

- Saving and Debt information
- How to manage Credit Cards
- Credit Scores and what they mean

Lifelong/Career Literacy

- Career/Interest testing
- Resume/Cover Letter Building
- Life Insurance Information
- Renter's Insurance Information

Other

- Time management skills
- How to purchase textbooks
- How to register for classes

PERSONAL STATEMENT

MUST be completed for eligibility review, Please answer the prompt below or on a separate sheet of paper. (Minimum of 250 words)

Describe one of the most difficult challenges you have faced and overcome. What steps have you taken (or do you plan) to take to achieve your educational and career goals? How has this affected your educational goal?

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact Person's Relationship to You: _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE

I certify the information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

By signing this document, I authorize TRiO Student Support Services programs staff at Woodland Community College/Colusa County Campus to review my TRiO SSS & SSS-ESL application, admissions application, placement scores, academic record, transcripts, demographic information, financial aid reports, tax information, DSPS status, and GPA to determine my eligibility for the program. I also allow TRiO Student Support Services programs to request, forward and/or share any/all personal information with other programs/offices as it relates to obtaining/verifying required documents and/or to refer me to other programs I may be eligible for.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** ____ / ____ / ____

The information on this application and this essay will help the TRiO staff determine your eligibility for the program. We thank you for considering our program. We look forward to helping you reach your educational goals!