



**TRIO**

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

**Program  
Application**



First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

PFW Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ May we text this number? \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:  Male  Female  Prefer Not to Answer

Current College Grade Level:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior

T-Shirt Size \_\_\_\_\_ Dietary Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

**Ethnic/Racial background (check all that apply):**

- Asian  Black  American Indian/Alaskan Native  Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander  
 White (Non-Hispanic)  Hispanic/Latino  
 Multiracial (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Disability Eligibility:**

**If you would like to be considered for acceptance into the program based on a disability, email TRIOSSS@pfw.edu.**

**Parent's level of education completed:**

**Parent 1**

- Grade School  High School Diploma  GED  2-year college degree  
 4-year college degree  Beyond a 4-year degree

**Parent 2**

- Grade School  High School Diploma  GED  2-year college degree  
 4-year college degree  Beyond a 4-year degree

**Personal Educational Information:**

What is your degree program/major? \_\_\_\_\_

Which degree are you currently seeking?  2-year  4-year  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Are/were you a member or participated in any of the following programs (check all that apply):

- Talent Search (TS)  21<sup>st</sup> Century Scholars  Student Support Services (SSS)  
 Upward Bound (UB)  Educational Opportunity Center

What university do you plan to graduate from?  Purdue Fort Wayne  Indiana University Fort Wayne  Other

Did you apply for financial aid?  Yes  No

- Check areas you would like help:  time management  getting involved on-campus  
 science  financial aid  leadership skills  résumés  
 budgeting  writing papers  choosing a major  math

In a paragraph, explain the biggest barrier you face toward college graduation:

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**FAMILY FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Current student status as defined on the FAFSA?       Dependent     Independent

*If you are a dependent student, please answer the following questions with your parents /guardians' information in mind. If you are an independent student, please answer for your current household.*

Did you or your parents complete an Income Tax Return for last reporting year?    Yes     No

What was your household's total taxable income for this past tax-reporting year? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Generally, line 15 of 1040 federal tax form)

**Please attach a copy of the head of household's most recent federal tax form 1040.**

Please list ALL persons (related or unrelated) currently living in your family household, including yourself:

Name	Age	Relationship to Student	Where they work/attend school/other
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I certify that the information I have provided on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and correct. Furthermore, I understand that by applying for the TRIO Student Support Services program, I authorize TRIO SSS program staff to use my social security number and Purdue University Fort Wayne student ID number to obtain records or data pertinent to my participation from other sources. I authorize the release of information, as required by the terms of the TRIO SSS grant, to the grant-funding agency of the United States government. The TRIO SSS program staff has my permission to communicate verbally or otherwise with staff, faculty, and/or off-campus professionals on my behalf.

I am aware that the personal information provided by the TRIO SSS program will be protected under the Family Education Rights Privacy Act of 1974. No one will have access to my information unless he or she works with or for the TRIO SSS program or are specifically authorized to see information. I understand that any incorrect information on this application may affect my eligibility to receive services from the TRIO SSS program.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **MEDIA WAIVER**

I hereby consent and agree to participate in the making of images, which may be used in the presentation of live and/or recorded media including print, broadcast, multimedia, Internet, and/or any other form of publication or recording by TRIO Student Support Services (SSS) at Purdue University Fort Wayne. I further consent and agree that TRIO SSS may use such media so prepared for educational, information, and/or promotional purposes. It is understood that the use of these materials will be restricted to nonprofit educational, informational, and/or promotional uses. In no case will TRIO SSS realize a profit for use of said materials. TRIO SSS may grant the right of use of said materials to other parties for such aforementioned purposes and subject to aforementioned restrictions.

I hereby expressly agree to waive my right to any and all claims for compensation and/or damages in any form that be based on or may be the result of such said participation subject to the conditions of use outlined above.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN TO:** *TRIO Student Support Services, Kettler Hall G25*

*Purdue University Fort Wayne*

*2101 E Coliseum Blvd*

*Fort Wayne, IN 46805*

Phone: 260-481-0220 Email: [trioss@pfw.edu](mailto:trioss@pfw.edu)

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