



TRIO Student Support Services
Veterans

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STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES VETERANS (SSSV) APPLICATION

Established in 1979, the mission of TRIO Student Support Services Veteran (SSSV) is to provide eligible students with a range of services including support and encouragement, academic and financial guidance, mentoring, individual tutoring services, math and science instruction, reading and writing instruction, accessible tutoring rooms, and graduate school planning.

Students participate in TRIO SSSV throughout their enrollment at California State University, Fresno.

Program Eligibility

Veteran participants must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment at Fresno State, be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, have a least one **honorable discharge** status on your most **recent** DD-214, be pursuing your first bachelor's degree, and have at least **one** of the following federally defined criteria apply to you:

- **First generation college student** (neither parent nor guardian has received a four year (BACHELOR'S) degree);
- **Income eligible** (taxable household income is at or below federally determined guidelines).
- Student with a documented **disability** (as defined by the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) and verified by Fresno State's Services for Students with Disabilities (SSD)).

Selection Process

- ❖ **When there is limited space in the TRIO SSSV program, priority will be given to:**
 - Students who are both first generation college students and income eligible.
 - Students who are both students with disabilities and income eligible.
 - Alumni of other TRIO programs or other pre-college programs: Upward Bound, Veteran Upward Bound, Talent Search, Educational Opportunity Center, McNair Scholars Program, other Student Support Services program, AVID or College Possible.
 - Students who are motivated to take full advantage of services offered through TRIO SSSV.
 - Students planning to continue their enrollment in a graduate or professional program.
- ❖ **You are required to provide following information or documentation in order for your application to be considered complete:**
 - An SSS Student Application.
 - A copy of your DD-214 Member 4 or NGB-22
 - Most recent Federal Income Tax Return (1040, 1040A, 1040 EZ)—first two pages only.
 - If you identify as a student with a disability, please include referral letter from Disability Services with your application.
 - Social Security Number
 - Date of Birth

Only complete applications will be considered

Please return complete application to:

TRIO Student Support Services

5048 N Jackson Ave

M/S LS74

Fresno, CA 93740

Email: jgarzon@csufresno.edu

Phone: 559.278.5725 Fax: 559.278.1441

TRIO STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES VETERANS (SSSV) STUDENT APPLICATION

Last Name:	First Name:	Middle Initial:	Fresno State Student ID#
Current Address:	City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Cell Phone:		Home Phone:	
Have you previously participated in Upward Bound, Veteran Bound, SSS, McNair Scholars Program or a pre-college program (i.e. AVID, College Possible)? Yes No If yes, please specify: _____		Fresno State Email:	
Branch of Service:		Veteran: Yes No	
Permanent Address:	City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Are you currently enrolled or accepted for enrollment at Fresno State <u>and</u> pursuing your first Bachelor's degree?			Y N
Have you completed a LASSI? If you answered no, you will be asked to take this inventory prior to your first meeting with an SSSV advisor.			Y N
Are you a US Citizen, permanent resident, or refugee of the United States? If so, please provide INS# _____			Y N
Have either of your parents/legal guardians graduated with a <u>four-year degree</u> ?			Y N
Do you identify as a student with a disability (i.e. physical, learning, or other)?			Y N
Have you completed a Services for Students with Disabilities application?			Y N NA
Did you complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA)?			Y N
Check all the academic needs that apply to you:			YES NO
Low high school grades			
Low ACT scores			
GPA below 2.0			
Out of academic pipeline for 5 or more years			
Lack of academic preparedness for college level work			
Remediation			
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Please explain your reasons for applying to the SSSV program, including what challenges, if any, may prevent your success at Fresno State:

Privacy Act Information

In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law No. 93-579, 5 U.S.C. 552a), you are hereby notified that the Department of Education is authorized to collect information to implement the Student Support Services Program under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (Pub. Law 102-325, Sec. 402D). In accordance with this authority, the Department receives and maintains personal information on participants in the Student Support Services Veterans program. The principal purpose for collecting this information is to administer the program, including tracking and evaluating participant progress. The information that is collected on this form will be retained in the program files and may be released to other Department officials in the performance of their official duties.

By signing this, I grant permission to Student Support Services Veterans to track all of my academic progress at Fresno State. I hereby authorize the release of my student academic and financial aid records for the SSSV professional staff to use to discuss with me and if appropriate my instructor in order to better assess my academic progress. I understand that my instructors may be contacted during the semester to evaluate my class progress. These evaluations will be available to me upon my request. In addition, I hereby give my permission for my photograph, work and/or statements to be used by Student Support Services Veterans for promotional, or publicity purposes. If found eligible for SSSV, I agree to actively participate in the program, and I certify that the information provided by me is correct to the best of my knowledge

Student Signature:

Date: