APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Complete an Augsburg TRIO/SSS application. Visit augsburg.edu/triosss for more information.

2. Be enrolled or accepted for enrollment at Augsburg University.

3. Admission to TRIO/SSS is not automatic. Completed applications will be evaluated for eligibility and admission. If admitted, you will be notified about the next steps to begin your involvement with TRIO/SSS.

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To learn more about federal TRIO Programs go to eoa.org or coenet.org.

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PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

Augsburg TRIO/SSS participants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents or refugees pursuing their first bachelor’s degree with a commitment to their college success. Participants are expected to participate in TRIO/SSS throughout their enrollment at Augsburg University. Prior to program admission students must demonstrate academic need for services and meet at least one of the following criteria:

- **Low-income student**: a student whose family meets federal income eligibility guidelines as verified by Augsburg University
- **First generation college student**: a student whose (custodial) parents have not received a baccalaureate degree, or a student who did not regularly live with or receive support from a (custodial) parent
- **College student with documented disabilities** as defined in the Americans with Disabilities Act and verified by the Augsburg Center for Learning and Accessible Student Services (CLASS) office

Augsburg TRIO/SSS also selects 25 incoming first-year, TRIO-eligible students to participate in its Summer Bridge component.

PROGRAM SERVICES

The following services are provided at no cost to all program participants:

**Academic**
- Preemptive peer tutoring (required of all new program participants)
- Supplemental instruction for Summer Bridge participants
- Advice and assistance in course enrollment and selection
- Connect-Achieve-Progress (CAP) and academic probation advising
- Monitoring of academic progress, assessment, and intervention when needed
- Four-year degree planning
- Advocacy with faculty and staff
- Study and academic skills development
- Graduate and professional school planning and preparation

**Financial**
- Financial aid advising and award letter review
- Assistance in completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Assistance in completing student loan and scholarship applications
- Financial and economic literacy
- Identification of alternative financial aid sources
- College completion scholarships for active senior participants with approved degree plans

**Personal**
- Individual counseling with appropriate referrals to on- and off-campus resources, such as housing, mental and physical health, and employment
- Crisis intervention
- Career exploration and planning
- Goal-setting exercises
- School-to-college and college-to-work transition
- Cultural and social events