APPLICATION PROCESS

- 1. Be admitted to Augsburg University.
- 2. All admitted students will receive a link to the TRIO/SSS Summer Bridge application.
- Complete the 2019–20 Free Application for Federal Student Aid and complete the 2018–19 FAFSA to receive financial aid for Summer 2019.

DEADLINE

Apply for Summer Bridge 2019 by 12 p.m. Central time on Friday, March 29, 2019.



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To learn more about federal TRIO programs, visit mntrio.org and coenet.org.

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WHAT IS TRIO/SSS SUMMER BRIDGE?

The Augsburg TRIO/Student Support Services Summer Bridge program provides first-year, TRIO/SSS-eligible students a smooth transition into their Augsburg education in the fall. After Summer Bridge, students continue to participate in TRIO/SSS while enrolled at Augsburg.

WHY SUMMER BRIDGE?

Summer Bridge is a great way to begin your Auggie experience! As a Summer Bridge participant, you will:

- Complete two Augsburg courses for credit.
- Live on campus in a residence hall.
- Learn practical study skills that will help you throughout college.
- Participate in seminars, workshops, and activities so you get to know Augsburg and Minneapolis.
- Begin college with a great group of classmates.

SUMMER BRIDGE COSTS

- There is no out-of-pocket cost for students.
- Eligible students receive a four-year Summer Bridge Promise Grant.

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SUMMER BRIDGE 2019

The five-week Summer Bridge program includes a mix of academic and social activities:

- RLN 100: Religion, Vocation, and the Search for Meaning I and COM 111: Public Speaking courses
- Supplemental Instruction and daily structured study groups
- Meetings with TRIO/SSS advisors to set and achieve goals for your academic success
- Volunteering with Campus Kitchen
- Daily interaction with Augsburg faculty and support staff
- Mentoring from other students and professionals

Room and Board, textbooks, and other supplies are provided.

Summer Bridge is a rigorous, daily program. Attendance is required for all activities and students may not be absent due to work, family vacations, or other reasons. Before you apply for Summer Bridge, make sure you're up for this high level of commitment.

Summer Bridge students are also expected to:

- Participate in TRIO/SSS until graduation, attending weekly meetings with a TRIO/SSS advisor and at least two TRIO/SSS workshops per semester.
- Demonstrate commitment to their college success.
- Comply with all rules and regulations of Augsburg University and TRIO/SSS.



PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

Augsburg TRIO/SSS participants must be **U.S. citizens or permanent residents or refugees** pursuing their first bachelor's degree. Program participants must demonstrate **academic need** for services and **meet at least one** of the following criteria:

 First generation college student: a student whose parents have not received a bachelor's degree or a student who did not regularly live with or receive support from a parent

- Low-income student: a student whose family meets federal income eligibility guidelines as verified by Augsburg University
- Student with documented disabilities: as defined in the Americans with Disabilities Act and verified by Augsburg's Center for Learning and Accessible Student Services (CLASS)