



# Summer Bridge

TRIO Student Support Services (SSS) is a college success program for students who plan to earn an associate’s degree at Inver Hills and transfer to a four-year college or university. Summer Bridge is provided at **no cost to students** and prepares students who have recently graduated from high school to make the transition to college and real-world success. You will make connections, learn about campus resources, and earn a free P.E. credit!

### Outdoor Activity Trip

**Monday, July 29th—Wednesday, July 31st**

Earn a free phy ed credit engaging in outdoors activities such as obstacle courses, canoeing, high ropes, and rock climbing at the Audubon Center in Sandstone, MN. The event is free and includes: transportation from IHCC to Audubon Center and back, lodging, and meals.

**AND**

### Inver Hills Experience Week

**Monday, August 5th—Friday, August 9th**

On-campus at IHCC from 8 a.m. to approximately 2 p.m. daily (lunch provided). Learn how to be successful in college, explore the campus, and connect with staff, faculty, and peers!

### **Planning Meetings**

Meeting #1: Tuesday, July 9th  
10-11AM or 5:30-6:30PM, CC 117

Meeting #2: Tuesday, July 23rd  
10-11AM or 5:30-6:30PM, CC 117

### **Eligibility for TRIO Summer Bridge**

- ◆ Recent high school graduate (between May 2017 and July 2019) who has never attended college before.
- ◆ New degree-seeking student at Inver Hills Community College for fall 2019.
  - ◆ Meet one or both of the eligibility requirements: first generation college student and/or student from low-income background.
- ◆ Submit Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by Monday, July 8th.



## Inver Hills Community College

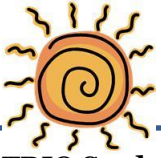
TRIO Student Support Services  
(651) 450-3831



**Application deadline: Monday, July 8th, 2019**

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## Summer Bridge 2019

**TRIO Student Support Services (SSS)** empowers students to succeed at Inver Hills, transfer prepared to succeed in a bachelor's degree program, and pursue their dreams. TRIO SSS provides personalized advising, transfer planning, personal and leadership development, and a supportive, academically-focused community.

**Summer Bridge** is a TRIO SSS experience provided at **no cost to students** that prepares students who have recently graduated from high school to make the transition to college and real-world success. **From July 29<sup>th</sup> through 31<sup>st</sup>, students travel to the Audubon Center in Sandstone, MN**, where they engage in outdoor teambuilding activities that allow them to **earn a FREE college credit**. **During the week of Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> to the 9<sup>th</sup>, students meet on campus each day** to gain knowledge about Inver Hills resources and opportunities, improve communication and study skills, and develop connections with other students. Students learn how to communicate effectively with instructors, use resources to help them succeed academically, maximize financial aid, and much more. The entire experience is free to students. In order to participate in Summer Bridge, students must complete and submit this application, attend both intro meetings, and commit to attending all Summer Bridge sessions and actively participating in TRIO SSS. **Students who complete Summer Bridge and meet TRIO requirements during fall 2019 are eligible for a \$250 scholarship for spring 2020.**

Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (MI) \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date (MO/YR, include expected): \_\_\_\_\_

I certify all information provided with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, I confirm that I have completed or will complete all necessary steps in the TRIO Summer Bridge application process:

- Graduate from high school by July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
- Submit an unofficial copy of your high school transcript.
- Be accepted to Inver Hills Community College and registered for classes by July 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Complete this Summer Bridge application and the attached TRIO SSS Application.
- Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by July 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Attend both required Summer Bridge intro meetings – July 9<sup>th</sup> and July 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Commit to attend all Summer Bridge events, actively participate actively in TRIO SSS, and graduate with an associate's degree, certificate, and/or Minnesota Transfer Curriculum within three academic years.

**Summer Bridge Application Deadline: Monday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature (if student is under 18)

Date



# TRIO SSS Application 2019-2020



## What is TRIO SSS?

TRIO Student Support Services empowers students to succeed at Inver Hills, graduate, transfer, and be prepared to earn a bachelor's degree to pursue their dreams. TRIO SSS provides personalized advising, transfer planning, personal and leadership development, and a supportive, academically focused community.

## Personal Information (All information will be secured in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.)

Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (MI) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Citizenship:** U.S. Citizen \_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Resident \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Demographic Information (This section is optional, for statistical purposes only, and does not affect eligibility.)

**Gender:** \_\_\_\_\_ I do not wish to identify \_\_\_\_\_

## **Race/Ethnicity:** (Please check all that apply)

\_\_\_\_\_ Hispanic/Latinx \_\_\_\_\_ American Indian/Alaska Native \_\_\_\_\_ Asian  
\_\_\_\_\_ Black/African-American \_\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_\_ Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

With which cultural/national/tribal background(s) (e.g. Puerto Rican, Hmong, Lakota, Irish, Persian, Somali) do you identify? \_\_\_\_\_

**Is English your primary language?** Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ What other language(s) do you speak? \_\_\_\_\_

## Eligibility Information

### **Please answer the following questions to help us determine your eligibility for TRIO SSS services:**

Did the parent(s)/guardian(s) you lived with while in high school have a bachelor's degree? Yes No

Do you have a documented disability? Yes No

*If yes, have you documented it with IHCC Accessibility Resources* Yes No

Do you have a bachelor's or master's degree? Yes No

## Educational Goals

### **What are your educational goals, both current and future? Check all that apply.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Earn a certificate, A.A., A.A.S., or A.S. Degree at IHCC \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer to a 4 year school

\_\_\_\_\_ Complete courses but not a degree at IHCC \_\_\_\_\_ Undecided

**What is your intended major or area of study?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you previously attended college? If so, where?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Were you a PSEO Student? If so, where and what years?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you participated in a college access program such as Upward Bound, College Possible, Educational Talent Search, AVID, MEP, etc.? If so, which program?** \_\_\_\_\_



**Financial Information**

If you are required to submit parent/guardian information for FAFSA, you are considered dependent and your parent/guardian must verify income or provide tax information. **Please note that income eligibility uses taxable income, which is calculated by subtracting your exemptions and deductions from your AGI (adjusted gross income).**

**For FAFSA purposes, I am considered (check one):**  Dependent **or**  Independent

\*Typically, students who are less than 24 years old, unmarried, and have no children are considered dependent.

**Please choose one method for verifying income:**

- I verify my **taxable income** is less than the relevant amount for my family size set by the Department of Education (see chart).

Student (if independent) OR Parent/Guardian Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_

- I authorize the TRIO SSS Staff to use my financial aid records to verify my eligibility based on income.

*Financial information and all other personal information you provide is confidential and may be accessed only by relevant Inver Hills and U.S. Department of Education staff. The information is necessary to determine if you are eligible to participate in the program and helps the U. S. Department of Education determine funding and measure program success.*

Family Size	Taxable Income
1	\$18,210
2	\$24,690
3	\$31,170
4	\$37,650
5	\$44,130
6	\$50,610
7	\$57,090
8	\$63,570
For families of more than eight, add \$6,480 for each additional family member.	

**Certification and Agreement**

I certify that all information provided, including financial and family documentation, in conjunction with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I acknowledge that I have completed all necessary steps in the TRIO SSS application process:

- I have completed all parts of and signed the TRIO SSS application.
- I understand I must attend an intake appointment with TRIO SSS for my application to be considered.
- I understand that a TRIO SSS advisor will contact me regarding my admission to the program.

Student Signature

Date



**Please return completed applications to:**

Inver Hills Community College  
TRIO Student Support Services  
2500 East 80<sup>th</sup> Street  
Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076

**TRIO Student Support Services**  
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trio@inverhills.edu

OR

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