



POWER Center  
Gordon B. Olson Library, lower level  
Minot, ND 58707  
701-858-4047 or 1-800-777-0750

### Providing Opportunities with Enhanced Resources APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

MSU address (Minot address during school) \_\_\_\_\_

(Permanent home address) \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship:  U.S. Citizen  Permanent Resident  Other \_\_\_\_\_  Not a U.S. Citizen

Gender:  Male  Female

Veteran:  Yes  No

Marital Status:  Single  Married  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### ACADEMIC HISTORY

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Educational Goals: (check all that will apply)  Bachelor Degree  Master Degree  Doctorate Degree

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity:  Hispanic or Latino  Not Hispanic or Latino  No response or Unknown

Race:  American Indian or Alaskan Native  Asian  Black or African American  
 White  Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander  No response or Unknown

Are you receiving assistance paying for college? *Please check all that apply*

- Financial Aid \_\_\_ Grants \_\_\_ Loans  Work-study  GI Bill or Veteran's Benefits
- Voc Rehab or other agency funding  Scholarships  Employer Tuition Assistance
- Family or other financial sponsorship

#### Academic Standing History:

High School Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ (please estimate if necessary)

ACT or SAT Composite Scores \_\_\_\_\_ (please estimate if necessary)

Where did you attend high school? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have a GED?  Yes  No

Are you a transfer student?  No  If Yes, where did you transfer from? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have documentation of a disability?  Yes  No

(Disabilities include, but are not limited to: ADHD, asthma, CP, diabetes, depression, anxiety, Tourette's, hearing impairment, MS, PTSD, etc.)

Will you be requesting accommodations under the American Disabilities Act?  Yes  No

### FAMILY ACADEMIC HISTORY

Highest level of education completed by your **Father**:

- Grade School  High School  GED  Some College
- Associate's Degree  Bachelor's Degree  Advanced or Professional Degree

(Applicable if you regularly resided with and received support from this parent or legal guardian during your K thru 12 education)

Highest level of education completed by your **Mother**:

- Grade School  High School  GED  Some College
- Associate's Degree  Bachelor's Degree  Advanced or Professional Degree

(Applicable if you regularly resided with and received support from this parent or legal guardian during your K thru 12 education)

## FINANCIAL AID STATUS

### Financial Aid Status:

What is your family size, as reported on your most recent Federal Financial Aid Application? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your taxable income fall within the category for your family size on the following table?  Yes  No

Eligibility Table effective January 19, 2023 until further notice

Family Size	48 states & DC	Alaska	Hawaii
1	\$0--\$21,870	\$27,315	\$25,155
2	\$0--\$29,580	\$36,960	\$34,020
3	\$0--\$37,290	\$46,605	\$42,885
4	\$0--\$45,000	\$56,250	\$51,750
5	\$0--\$52,710	\$65,895	\$60,615
6	\$0--\$60,420	\$75,540	\$69,480
7	\$0--\$68,130	\$85,185	\$78,345
8	\$0--\$75,840	\$94,830	\$87,210

\*\*For family units with more than eight members, add the following amount for each additional family member: \$7,710 for the 48 contiguous states, DC and outlying jurisdictions; \$9,645 for Alaska; and \$8,865 for Hawaii.

Your **TAXABLE** income can be found on **line 15 of the 2021 form 1040**, or **line 15 of the 2022 form 1040**. Taxable income is typically less than Adjusted Gross Income, which is reported on a FAFSA, because of deductions. Please contact the TRiO-SSS POWER office or submit a copy of your tax form along with this application if applicable.

## PROGRAM SERVICES

Please check the services/areas where you have or may have a need for academic assistance

**Learning Skills**

**Development**

- \_\_\_ Reading
- \_\_\_ Writing
- \_\_\_ Math
- \_\_\_ Note taking
- \_\_\_ Test taking
- \_\_\_ Study skills

**Tutorial**

**Assistance**

- \_\_\_ Math
- \_\_\_ Science
- \_\_\_ Other
- Advising**
- \_\_\_ Academic Success Planning

\_\_\_ Career

- \_\_\_ Financial Aid
- \_\_\_ Graduate School Admission
- \_\_\_ Mentoring/SSS
- Co-Advising
- \_\_\_ Personal
- \_\_\_ Pre-registration schedule planning

**Other**

- \_\_\_ Basic Computer Skills Instruction
- \_\_\_ Graduate School Preparation
- \_\_\_ Emergency Health / Family Referral

## CERTIFICATION

***I certify that the information written on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.*** With this application I authorize TRiO Student Support Services to obtain from Minot State University's Financial Aid Office, Registrar's Office and Disability Services Office, all financial, academic and disability related documentation/ records pertinent to my eligibility and participation in TRiO Student Support Services, known on the MSU campus as the POWER program. I further authorize the TRiO Student Support Services POWER program to access enrollment and degree information from the National Student Clearinghouse for retention and graduation data required by the U.S. Department of Education. I understand that the POWER program only serves a limited number of students, acceptance is not guaranteed and my name may be placed on a waiting list until an opening becomes available.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Submit this application to:

By Mail: Minot State University, TRiO-SSS POWER, 500 University Ave W, Minot, ND 58707

On Campus: POWER Center, Gordon B. Olson Library, lower level

**How did you hear about POWER?** \_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

**Academic History Documentation Inserted**       Yes     No

**Eligibility Verifications:**

**U.S. Citizen:**             Yes                       No            **Source** \_\_\_\_\_

**First Generation Status:**     Yes             No

**Sources:**     ISIR     Parent Sig. Pre-App.     Parent Sig. Survey/Letter     SSS Signed App.

**Income Status Documentation:**

**Student Aid Status:**     Dependent Student     Independent Student

**Filing Status:**     Single / M Separate     M Joint or Qualifying Widow     Head of Household

**Family Size:**                      \_\_\_\_\_                      **Adjusted Gross Income:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Taxable Income:**                      \_\_\_\_\_                      **Tax liability:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Source:**                      \_\_\_\_\_

**Verified By:**                      \_\_\_\_\_                      **Date Verified:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Eligibility Status:**

- Low Income / First Generation
- Low Income
- First Generation only
- Disabled
- Disabled and Low Income

**Academic Need:**

- \_\_\_ 1 Low high school grades
- \_\_\_ 2 Low admission test scores
- \_\_\_ 3 No longer used
- \_\_\_ 4 No longer used
- \_\_\_ 5 Predictive indicator
- \_\_\_ 6 Academic proficient test
- \_\_\_ 7 Low college grades
- \_\_\_ 8 High school equivalency
- \_\_\_ 9 Failing grades
- \_\_\_ 10 Out of academic pipeline > 5yrs
- \_\_\_ 11 Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ 12 Limited English proficiency
- \_\_\_ 13 Lack educational/career goals
- \_\_\_ 14 Lack of academic college level work
- \_\_\_ 15 Academic support to raise grades
- \_\_\_ 0 No response/ Unknown

**Notes:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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