



The Common Application for EOPS, CARE, GSP, NextUp and TRiO Services

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Please submit this application along with all required documents **in person** to the EOPS/NextUp/GSP/TRiO office (located in Winstead Bldg. L-141). We will not accept any submissions via fax, email or postal mail. **Applicants will be notified by our office ONLY if they've been selected for one of the programs.**

Student Information

Name: _____
Last PLEASE PRINT First MI

Student ID #: _____ Cell: (____) _____ Can we text to this cell#? Yes No

Ethnic Background: Asian Black/African American Hawaiian/Pacific Islander Hispanic/Latino
 Native American/Alaskan Native White Other _____

Eligibility Information

Application Status: 1st time applying to EOPS TRiO | Returning EOPS TRiO | Transfer EOPS TRiO
 NextUp GSP | NextUp GSP | NextUp

Citizenship Status: U.S. Citizen Permanent Resident AB 540 (Dream) Other, please specify: _____

I am currently a participant or have applied for the following service/program(s):

CalWORKs DSPS/LD Puente Umoja Veteran Services RISE

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY (Check only those that apply to you)

High School Graduation Status:

- I am a high school graduate – year of graduation: _____
- I have a GED or Equivalency/California Proficiency – year completed: _____
- I have not graduated from high school

High School GPA: _____

College Status:

Current Units Enrolled In 12+ 9-11.5 0-8.5 (DSPS waiver needed for less than 9 units)

Have you attended any other College or universities?

- No, I have not attended any other colleges
- Yes, I have attended other colleges (please attach transcripts and complete the information below)

Name of College/University

1. _____

2. _____

Is your goal to earn an Associate's Degree at Sierra and then transfer to a 4-year college/university? Yes No

Has your birth or adoptive parent earned a Bachelor's degree or higher? Yes No

Foster Youth and NextUp Eligibility

Are you a current or former foster youth? Yes No (If "No" skip this section)

If your response is "Yes" are you under 26 years of age? Yes No; Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____
Month / Day / Year

Was your dependency status established or continued by the Court on or after your 16th birthday? Yes No

Are you receiving AB12 benefits? Yes No

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CARE Eligibility

Are you or your child(ren) a recipient of cash aid benefits (AFDC/TANF/CalWORKs)? Yes No
(If "No", skip this section)

If yes, are you a single parent and head of household? Yes No

If yes, are you at least 18 years of age? Yes No

If yes, do you have a dependent child(ren)? Yes No

What is your marital status: Single Separated Divorced Widowed Married

Documents Must Be Submitted with Application

- Class Schedule with proof of BOGW A or B or D eligibility** (copies can be obtained from your mySierra account)
- Assessment/Placement Results** (copies can be obtained from your mySierra account)
- If attended other college(s), submit copy of unofficial transcript(s) from other college(s)**
- If a former or current Foster Youth, submit copy of foster care verification from any of the following foster care entities: Ombudsman Office, ILP, Social Worker or Placement Probation Officer.** Foster care verification document must be on an official county/agency letter head.

Signature Required

STUDENT PUBLICITY RELEASE

I understand that if I am accepted into the EOPS, CARE, GSP, NextUp or TRiO program, the staff may include my name and/or picture in publications and on the Sierra College website. The website highlights student accomplishments and participation in campus and EOPS/TRiO program activities. I understand that I will receive no monetary payment now nor in the future for the reproduction of these photographs.

RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I certify that the information that I have provided on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate. Furthermore, I understand that by applying for the EOPS, CARE, GSP, NextUp or TRiO program, I authorize the EOPS or TRiO program staff to obtain records or data pertinent to my participation from other campus departments and programs and to release information to the U.S. Department of Education for the purpose of project performance reporting. The program staff also have my permission to communicate verbally or otherwise with staff, faculty or off-campus professionals on my behalf.

Students will be notified by an EOPS or TRiO staff member only if they've been selected for the program.

Submission of an incomplete application and/or falsification will result in your application being denied or withdrawn.

Student Signature

Date

Staff Use Only

EOPS Status:

- New Returning EOPS Transfer
- # of UNITS student is enrolled in: _____
- DSPS Waiver Received
- CCPG: A B C (with 0 EFC)
 D
- Eligible for EOPS
 1. Qualified for remedial
 2. Not HS grad or no GED
 3. HS GPA below 2.5
 4. Took remedial courses
 5. Other: _____
- Not Eligible for EOPS
 1. Did not meet criteria:
 CCPG No educ disadv.
 2. Over 30 units / AA-AS degree
 3. Not enrolled in min. units
 4. Low GPA
 5. Incomplete application

Other Eligibility:

- CARE FFY/NextUP

TRiO Status:

- New Returning TRiO Transfer
- DSPS Waiver
- CCPG: A B C (with 0 EFC)
 Taxable Income
- First Gen Low Income Disabled
- Eligible for TRiO
 1. Meets min. eligibility criteria
- Not Eligible for TRiO
 1. Does not meet min eligibility
 2. Low GPA
 3. Not enrolled in min. units
 4. No college, HS GPA under 3.0
 5. Test scores too low
 6. ESL placement less than 540
 7. Goal not in line w/ program

Notes:

ACCEPTED INTO EOPS:

- Full-time Status 10% Status
- NextUP 9+ DSPS Reduction
- NextUP w/DSPS Reduction

Coordinator's Signature / Date

ACCEPTED INTO TRiO:

- YES

Director's Signature / Date