




Lamar Community College
 (Founded in 1937)
and TRiO
 (Founded in 1965)

Partners in Education Since 1982





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What is The TRiO Mission?

To encourage and assist people who are traditionally under represented in post-secondary education because of income, family educational background, disability, or other relevant federal, state, provincial or institutional criteria, in the preparation for, entry to, and completion of a post-secondary education.

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What is TRiO?

- Funded under the Higher Ed. Act of 1965
- Initially just three programs... thus TRiO

1. Upward Bound.....College Prep.
2. Talent Search.....College Prep.
3. Student Support Services..College Suppt.

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What is TRiO?

Now Consists of five other programs;

4. Ed. Opportunity Centers (EOC)...College Recruitment
5. Upward Bound Math-Science...College Prep.
6. Veterans Upward Bound...Veteran Support
7. Ronald E. McNair Achievement Program... doctoral studies
8. Training Programs for TRiO Staff

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Why is TRiO needed in the LCC service area?

Percent of the population 25 years and older who have attained at least a Bachelor degree... 7.9% (CO..32.7%)

- Indication of large first generation population

(Source: State of CO Division of Labor Government, 2006)

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Why is TRiO needed in the LCC service area?

Number and Percent of the population living at or below the poverty line

- Includes Baca-627/16%, Cheyenne-210/12%, Kiowa-157/11%, Prowers-2397/17%

(Source: U.S. Census Bureau , 2006)

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Why is TRiO needed in the LCC service area?

Percent of the population living in homes where a language other than English is spoken

- Includes Baca-5.8%, Cheyenne-7.6%, Kiowa-3.5%, Prowers-24.4%

(Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006)

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Why is TRiO needed in the LCC service area?

Percent of students scoring below proficient on the Colorado Student Academic Performance (CSAP) tests for grades 9-10 at the largest servicing high school.

- Reading: 34%
- English/Writing: 55%
- Math: 71%

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TRiO at LCC..Equal Opportunity Center (EOC)

- Recruits disadvantaged populations
- Completes/assists customers with the Free Application for Free Student Aid (FAFSA) Form

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TRiO at LCC..Student Support Services (SSS)

- Five year competitive grant cycle starting in 2010-2011 with 160 students served in an academic year
- Two-thirds (107) students must be low-income, first generation, or disabled

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TRiO at LCC..Student Support Services (SSS)

- The final 53 students can be either first generation, low income, or disabled
- All students must demonstrate academic need (ACT, accuplacer, instructor recommendation)

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TRiO at LCC..Student Support Services (SSS)

- The TRiO team consists of;
 - Five full time TRiO student advisors
 - One full time administrative support
 - Five part time tutors/75 hrs a week (From developmental to college-level)

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Colorado TRiO Programs
And Information about LCC TRiO

Talent Search Program

1. Arapahoe Community College
2. Community College of Denver
3. Colorado State University
4. Fort Lewis College
5. The Greeley Dream Team

Equal Opportunity Center (EOC) Program

1. Colorado State University
2. Colorado State University-Pueblo
3. Community College of Denver

Upward Bound/Veterans Upward Bound Program

1. Adams State College
2. Colorado State University
3. Colorado State University-Pueblo
4. Fort Lewis College
5. Metro State College
6. Pueblo Community College
7. University of Colorado-Boulder
8. Trinidad State Junior College

Lamar Community College and TRiO
Annual Expenditures for staff and services.

\$ 254, 650.00
\$ 59,000.00 - Institutional Match
\$ 313, 650.00

Lamar Community College and TRiO
Services

1. Tutoring - 79 hours/six days per week
2. Academic/Career/Personal Workshops
3. Student Advising (Continuing)
4. Transfer Fair (Fall Semester. Attended by 25 colleges and universities)
5. Transfer Trips (2 trips per semester)
6. Social Events and TRiO Celebrations (Three per semester)
7. Culture Trips (One per semester)
8. Testing Center (Continuing-150 hrs per semester)
9. Instructor Evaluations (One per semester)

Ronald E. McNair Postbaccalaureate
Achievement Program

1. Colorado State University
2. University of Colorado-Boulder
3. University of Colorado-Denver
4. University of Northern Colorado

Student Support Services Program

1. Adams State College
2. AIMS Community College
3. Colorado Mountain College-District
4. Colorado State University
5. Colorado State University-Pueblo
6. Community College of Denver
7. Fort Lewis College
8. Lamar Community College
9. Metro State College
10. Northeastern Junior College
11. Pikes Peak Community College
12. Pueblo Community College
13. Trinidad State Junior College
14. University of Colorado-Boulder
15. University of Colorado-Denver
16. University of Northern Colorado

Lamar Community College and TRiO
Staffing Pattern

1. Director/TRiO Advisor
2. Tutor Coordinator/TRiO Advisor
3. Evening Tutor Coordinator/TRiO Advisor
4. Transfer Coordinator/TRiO Advisor
5. Student Life Coordinator and Counselor/TRiO Advisor
6. Administrative Assistant
7. Seven (7) part-time positions completing tutoring/lab monitoring/test proctoring duties