

# First-Generation Services @ WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY

Wichita State University has a robust set of resources and services that support and care for our students and members of our community. Our intention is to create an environment where all can learn and contribute to the creation of knowledge. In addition to the services that are available to all students, there are a few departments and organizations listed below that are geared towards helping first-generation college students.



## Office of Financial Aid

The **Office of Financial Aid** provides numerous options for assistance in the form of scholarships, grants, loans and work opportunities to qualified students. Its team also administers all Wichita State University general scholarships and coordinates the delivery of most academic department and off-campus scholarship funds.

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## OneStop

Wichita State University's **OneStop** provides students, faculty and staff the help they need in order to succeed. OneStop can provide answers to questions about Wichita State and features 24/7 student support and service; live chat, phone and web ticket options; immediate and personalized assistance; self-service option via website with help articles; and face-to-face service.

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## Office of Diversity and Inclusion

The **Office of Diversity and Inclusion** aims to cultivate and sustain an inclusive campus. We strive for academic excellence by creating an environment that educates, empowers and mobilizes our students, campus and community. In our community, our members view themselves as ambassadors for fundamental freedoms and respect the differences in others.

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## Office of Adult Learning

Whether finishing a degree, changing course to another option or beginning a new path, the **Office of Adult Learning** is here to help every step of the way. With services for adult learners, transfer, active duty military, veterans and returning students, and offering classes at a variety of days and times, Wichita State has the tools to help adults succeed.

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## Shocker First Gen Success

**Shocker First Gen Success** meets bimonthly with an agenda that is driven entirely by student interests. Activities include seminars/workshops, mentoring opportunities and career discussions with leaders in diverse fields. All participants will receive a monthly newsletter with tips, involvement opportunities and university reminders.

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## First 2 Finish

The **First 2 Finish** student organization meets throughout the semester to connect, ask questions and discuss what it is like to be a first-generation student at Wichita State University. Our supportive peer community is focused on connecting students with personal and professional development and resources to support student success and enhance the undergraduate experience.

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## Office of Student Success & First-Year Programs

Students define success differently. The **Office of Student Success & First-Year Programs** helps students maximize their academic potential and reach their personal goals through a range of programs and services, regardless of personal background. Our goal is to help students develop skills and plans to graduate in a timely manner while engaging with our community of learners.

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## Office for Student Money Management

The **Office for Student Money Management** provides FREE personal finance education – for students, by students. Whether you need to create a financial survival plan for college, get assistance with federal aid forms or learn about establishing good credit and avoiding identity theft – you can get help from our certified peer financial coaches.

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## Shocker Learning Center

Wichita State University is committed to the success of all students and we are ready to help you succeed in your educational journey. The **Shocker Learning Center** provides Supplemental Instruction (SI), tutoring and peer coaching to support your learning, study skills workshops and strengthening connections by providing a space and connecting you with academic and campus resources.

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## TRIO Disability Support Services

**TRIO Disability Support Services (DSS)** assists first-generation and/or limited income undergraduate students who have learning, physical, and psychological disabilities. Among the services we provide are academic support and tutoring, access to adaptive computer equipment and other services that enable our students to persist and graduate from Wichita State University.

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## TRIO Educational Opportunity Centers

The **TRIO Educational Opportunity Centers** is a federally funded program at Wichita State University that provides free counseling and assistance to adults ready to begin or resume the journey toward their educational goals – whether that's a four-year college degree, an associate's degree or technical training to enhance your career.

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## TRIO Student Support Services

**Student Support Services (SSS)** provides services to students from first-generation and limited income families as well as students with disabilities. Its goal is to help transition, retain and graduate disadvantaged college students. This provides a variety of academic support services that include individualized tutoring, success skill development, course planning and advising.

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## McNair Scholars Program

The **McNair Scholars Program** is designed to assist eligible students in preparation for graduate education, specifically doctoral studies. The Program offers research participation, scholarly experiences and preparation for graduate school. Students are encouraged to pursue graduate study in preparation for careers as college-level professors and researchers.

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