Welcome Back Kimberlee Cook As TRIO DSS Academic Advisor/Tutor Coordinator

A familiar face has returned to the staff of TRIO DSS. Kimberlee Cook has resumed her previous position as Academic Advisor/Tutor Coordinator. Please see below for a greeting from Kim.

Hello,

My name is Kimberlee Cook, and I am returning to my role as Academic Advisor/Tutor Coordinator for TRIO Disability Support Services. Previously, I was the Academic Advisor/Tutor Coordinator for TRIO from 2011-2015, and then I took a position teaching with Cowley County Community College teaching English and Public Speaking courses. I have a B.A. in English and an M.A. in English from Wichita State University, and I have several years of experience working with individuals with disabilities in both public school and college settings. I am very happy to be back with TRIO DSS, and I look forward to meeting everyone soon!

Kimberlee Cook, Academic Advisor/Tutor Coordinator

Reminders

Make An Appointment

Stop by at least once a month to see your DSS advisor. They are here to help you and offer support.

Tutor Requests

Make an appointment now to request a tutor.

TRIO DSS employs quality Math and Writing Specialists who are here to help students understand difficult math concepts or assist with editing papers.

Math Specialist Sam Khader and Writing Specialist Anna Aniel are available for drop in tutoring or by appointment.
TRIO DSS At Welcomefest

TRIO DSS collaborated with 9 other departments located in Grace Wilkie and Grace Wilkie Annex for the Sundae Funday event held on August 24th during Wichita State’s two week Welcomefest to kick off the new semester. Among the departments participating were fellow TRIO programs, McNair Scholars Program and Student Support Services.

Students attending the event were treated with a free ice cream sundae. Each department was given a sundae topping to serve to students. As they made their way around the tables, students received information and promotional items from each department and made valuable contacts with many of the student services programs located in the Grace Wilkie buildings.
Advisor Changes

Students who regularly met with Afshan or Maria during the 2016-2017 school year will now meet with Kimberlee Cook. Kimberlee may be reached through email at Kimberlee.cook@wichita.edu.

All new TRIO DSS students for 2017-2018 will meet with Vanessa Souriya-Mnirajd until the vacant advisor position is filled. Vanessa may be reached through email at Vanessa.souriya@wichita.edu.

TRIO DSS staff appreciates your patience during this time of transition.

Organizational Tips for Success in Class

- Attend Every Class
- Use an academic planner
- Break down assignments
- Use three-ring notebooks for class notes
- Organize and save computer work
- Keep returned papers, quizzes, and tests
- Have phone numbers for classmates
- Get organized for the next day

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