

Things to Do

FAFSA (Financial Aid)

The 2020-2021 academic year will last from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. A FAFSA can be filed for the 2020-2021 academic year any time between October 1, 2019 and June 30, 2021.

The 2021-2022 academic year will last from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. A FAFSA can be filed for the 2021-2022 academic year any time between October 1, 2020 and June 30, 2022.

Fall 2020 Registration Deadlines

Arkansas Baptist — August 4, 2020

ASU Beebe— August 17, 2020

Philander Smith College — August 10, 2020

Shorter College — August 24, 2020

UA Little Rock — August 24, 2020

UA Pulaski Technical College — August 24, 2020

For more information or assistance please contact us at 501-907-2470 or www.ualr.edu/trioecets.

Educational Opportunity Center

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The Educational Opportunity Center is a federally funded TRIO program that assists adults ages 19 and above and U.S. veterans to enroll in and complete a postsecondary education program. All services are provided free of charge to participants who meet the eligibility requirements.

Services Provided

**Academic Assistance • Career Assistance • Enrollment Counseling
Financial Aid Counseling • Computer Lab**

SUMMER 2020

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EDUCATIONAL
OPPORTUNITY CENTERS

JUNE 25TH
9AM-1PM

VIRTUAL

COLLEGE CRASH COURSE

Connect through ZOOM to learn the secret tools to successfully graduate and triumph in life! This course will provide valuable info including tips for college, financial literacy, improving placement test scores, career opportunities, scholarship searches, and more!

**REGISTER BEFORE JUNE 18TH
CALL 501-907-2470 OR CLICK ON LINK**

(AFTER YOU REGISTER, LOOK OUT FOR LINK TO
CONNECT TO COLLEGE CRASH COURSE!)

**Last Minute Financial Aid Tips
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM**

**Solutions to ACT and ACCUPLACER
11:20 AM - 11:40 AM**

**College Services to Know
9:30 AM - 10:30 AM**

**Career Development & Soft Skills
11:40 AM - 12:20 PM**

**Who is TRIO SSS?
10:30 AM - 10:40 PM**

**Your Mental Health Matters
12:20 PM - 1:00 PM**

**Budgeting and Credit Scores
10:40 AM - 11:20 AM**

**Virtual College Tours
@your own time**

**Receive a \$20 Pizza Hut Gift Card if you
register and attend course via ZOOM!**

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Secure Jobs During the Coronavirus Recession

Income Change Since Start of COVID-19 Economic Disaster	Friday, May 15, 2020		
	Occupation	% Reporting unchanged income	Income Fell
Clergy	83%	17%	0%
Architect	82%	18%	0%
Pharmacist	81%	17%	2%
Lawyer	80%	16%	4%
Physician	77%	22%	1%
Teacher	77%	21%	2%
Corporate Employee	71%	20%	8%
Nurse	70%	22%	8%
Physician Assistant	69%	29%	3%
Nurse Practitioner	65%	29%	6%
Dentist	25%	33%	42%

Income Change Since Start of COVID-19 Economic Disaster	April 17, 2020			March 18, 2020		
	Occupation	% with Unchanged Income	Income Fell	Income Went Away Completely	% with Unchanged Income	Income Fell
Pharmacist	88%	11%	2%	93%	5%	1%
Lawyer	80%	17%	3%	87%	12%	1%
Physician	78%	21%	1%	91%	9%	1%
Teacher	76%	22%	2%	76%	19%	5%
Corporate Employee	74%	20%	6%	83%	15%	2%
Clergy	73%	27%	0%	81%	15%	2%
Nurse Practitioner	72%	20%	8%	83%	15%	3%
Physician Assistant	70%	25%	5%	90%	9%	1%
Nurse	64%	33%	3%	82%	19%	0%
Architect	62%	31%	8%	81%	15%	5%
Dentist	19%	25%	56%	31%	40%	29%

*Source: studentloanplanner.com. Data taken from a survey of people from March 18 to April 17 2020. Statistics may not equal 100%.

Need a career assessment and picking the right major for your career choice? We can help. Contact one of our counselors at 501-907-2470.

Scholarship Search Assistance

There are a lot of scholarships available inside and outside institutions of higher learning. Scholarships are funds that you do not have to pay back that are used towards college. Many are unaware of the opportunities that are available to pay for college. We have a section on our TRIO website filled with links to these scholarships. However, should you need assistance, we are here to not only assist you with the list of scholarships we provide that are offered through external partners but also with any other scholarships you need help with rather it is filling out applications, writing an essay, or collecting information to include in your scholarship packet.

We have several resources available that we can assist clients with which include but are not limited the following:

- ◆ Arkansas Department of Higher Education Scholarships
- ◆ AR Fund My Future Scholarships
- ◆ Arkansas Single Parent Scholarship
- ◆ Arkansas Rehabilitation Services
- ◆ Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act



Educational Technology Trainings

There are several tools to stay engaged with the learning processes taking place on the World Wide Web during this pandemic. These are also tools you may want to adapt to your everyday life rather it is on a personal or professional level. We will be offering trainings on a few platforms as they come on demand and available. These will be livestreamed either on our Facebook page or another digital platform that will be sent out to our participants as well as others in the general public who are interested.



To stay updated on trainings and other services, like and follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/eoctrio. You may also contact us at 501-907-2479 for assistance from any of our staff.