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STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES PROGRAM



Opportunity and success await you . . .

The Student Support Services Program (SSS) at Rider University equips our students with the tools and skills needed to successfully begin their college careers, persist in their studies, and ultimately, earn their bachelor's degree. This federal program is funded in partnership with Rider University and the US Department of Education.

We offer an amazing college experience to our incoming freshmen:

THE SUMMER MATH PROGRAM

The adventure begins in July!



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Student Support Services

THE STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES PROGRAM (SSS) is a comprehensive academic support program designed to increase retention and student graduation rates by fostering a supportive academic climate. It is funded to serve 150 participants annually, across all grade levels.

Services

Summer Math Program
Personal Counseling & Academic Guidance
Cultural Enrichment
Professional & Peer Tutoring
Financial Literacy Training
Semester Newsletters
Mentoring: Professional & Peer
Workshops, Leadership Development & Conferences
Graduate School Preparation
Career Development

Summer Math Program

Since 2007, incoming freshmen in the SSS Program have participated in our highly successful Summer Math Program.

Our Students Will . . .

- Jump-start their college experience by attending the 3-week class. Students go home on Thursday and return on Sunday.
- Live and dine on campus (expense free and in air conditioning), where they meet new friends and Rider faculty in a relaxed environment.
- Take the Summer Math class, which allows them to bypass one or two courses based on test results. Possible savings of \$3000!
- Ensure that they begin their Rider careers on track to graduate in four years.

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*A Commitment to Advancing
Educational Opportunity*

For More Information:

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES PROGRAM

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Federal TRIO Programs Current-Year Low-Income Levels

(Effective January 28, 2015 until further notice)

Size of Family Unit	48 Contiguous States, D.C., and Outlying Jurisdictions	Alaska	Hawaii
1	\$17,655	\$22,080	\$20,325
2	\$23,895	\$29,880	\$27,495
3	\$30,135	\$37,680	\$34,665
4	\$36,375	\$45,480	\$41,835
5	\$42,615	\$53,280	\$49,005
6	\$48,855	\$61,080	\$56,175
7	\$55,095	\$68,880	\$63,345
8	\$61,335	\$76,680	\$70,515

First, check the taxable income line on your Federal Income Tax Return.
Next, find your family size (from the Size of Family Unit column) on the above chart.

Then, check the dollar amount in the column next to your family size (48 Contiguous States...)

If your taxable income is less than that amount, you are eligible for the SSS Program

Eligibility

Participants must meet one of the following criteria:

First Generation Status

(neither parent has earned a Bachelor's degree)

Federal Income Guidelines

(see chart above)

Documented Disability*

(documentation required)

**currently, Rider's SSS Program quota has been filled*

*"... our nation's future rests
with the future of our students."*

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