



INCLUSIVE WEBSITE EXPERIENCE

Lake-Sumter State College is committed to ensuring that all students and visitors, including persons with disabilities, are able to access and use all of our services, programs and activities. We recognize that many individuals are increasingly using our website to access information and obtain services.

We understand that website users who have disabilities may use the website with the assistance of technology, including screen readers, captioning, transcripts, and other auxiliary aids and services. We are committed to providing all website users with information about our services and alternative ways we can offer these services.

Lake-Sumter State College is committed to making our websites accessible to all audiences. We are continually seeking solutions to improve the accessibility of our website.

For users with disabilities, some material on our site may pose challenges. If there are any issues, please contact us. We are committed to making our website easier to use, or if you encounter material or services that are difficult to access, please let us know. Your feedback helps us to identify areas where we can improve.

We strive to ensure that our website will comply with Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) put forth by the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C), but recognize that alternatives to using the website may be necessary in the event that a user with a disability encounters a problem using our website.

If you have difficulty accessing information or documents posted on this website, please send us an email at web@lss.edu with as much of the following information as possible:

- Your name
- Your phone number
- Your email address
- The date and time you encountered the problem
- The web page or address where the problem occurred
- What occurred or what you were unable to do
- Any error messages you received.

their college education, and graduate with a postsecondary educational degree. The program is based at Lake-Sumter State College.

PARTICIPANT APPLICATION:

Information on this form is confidential. Complete all items on the application using **black or blue ink. DONOT USE PENCIL.**

PART I: BIOGRAPHICAL/SCHOOL INFORMATION (APPLICANT/STUDENT)

Date of Birth: _____/_____/_____					
Current School:		Current Cum G.P.A.:		Current Grade (6-12 th):	
First Name:		MI:	Last Name:		
Street/Mailing Address:		City:		State:	Zip:
Home Phone:		Student Cell Phone:		May we contact you via cell phone text? Yes ___ No ___	
Student E-mail:		Gender: (circle one) FEMALE MALE OTHER			

Ethnicity: (check only one)

Hispanic, Latino or Spanish: Yes ___ No ___

Non-Hispanic, La)

PART II: PARENT INFORMATION

To parent or legal guardian: The personal information, including financial status and educational levels, given to the LSSC Talent Search Program is used for reporting purposes with the United States Department of Education. No one may access, view or utilize the information unless they work with or for LSSC Talent Search Program or unless they are given specific or legal authorization to said information. This information is required to determine if your child meets federal eligibility guidelines established by regulation of the United States Department of Education. All information is protected under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA, 20 USC 1231a).

With whom does the applicant/student live? Check all that apply below .

Both Parents:___ Father:___ Mother:___ Grandparents:___ Legal Guardian: ___Other (please specify): _____

Father/
Guardian Name:

Mother/
Guardian Name:

Highest Education Level Completed:

- Did not complete high school
- High School Diploma/GED
- Trade Certificate
- Associate Degree(2 year)
- Bachelors Degree(4 year) or higher

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PART III : PARENT AND STUDENT RELEASE CONSENT

TRACKING

I hereby give permission for the LSSCTalent Search program to retrieve, store and report education verification information and student outcomes research about me that is gained from the National Clearinghouse and other services.

RESEARCH

I hereby give permission for LSSCTalent Search program to collect and report pertinent information related to ongoing research questions in the TRiO Center. No identifiable data will be made public, but aggregate data may be published or presented during academic measures (GPA & Test Scores), involvement at Lake-Sumter State College and in TRiO, and other educational or personal data that is relevant to the research.

If medical services are needed by my son/daughter while participating in the LSSCTalent Search program activities or on field trips, I give my permission for my son/daughter to receive any medical services deemed necessary.

RECORDS RELEASE

I authorize the LSSCTalent Search at LSSC to access and/or request copies of academic transcripts, grade reports, report cards, standardized test scores, contact information, and any other academic information from the high schools and colleges I attend through my college graduation. I understand that the U.S. Department of Education funds the LSSCTalent Search program and will use these records to provide academic advisement and other services. I also understand that these records will be handled in a confidential manner and that they will be made available on 1-237(b)5-239(w)33.72.16317E5(t)8.-225(a)-5(v)10(a)-5(i)13(l) 0