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# Disability Support Services




**S**ince its inception, the mission of TRIO Disability Support Services (DSS) at Wichita State has been to serve students with learning, physical and psychological disabilities while increasing college retention and postsecondary graduation rates.

## 2016-2017 Highlights

115 Students Served 

Serves College Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors 

2,231 Total Credit Hours Earned 

\$11,943 Awarded Scholarships 

DSS is one of the first TRIO programs designed specifically for students with disabilities and is currently one of only 56 across the nation. Paramount to DSS is to provide WSU faculty, staff and community partners with the most current information and resources to assist students with disabilities.

DSS services include academic advising, course selection and degree planning, personal counseling, individualized tutoring, career exploration, study and life skills workshops, financial aid advice, grant aid and scholarships, economic literacy instruction, graduate school advice, textbook and calculator loan services, and campus/community involvement.

Students who participate in DSS and the Office of Disability Services have complete access to the adaptive computer lab equipped with 10 workstations. Tutors assist students in undergraduate courses and the study skills library includes instructional videos for student checkout.

The annual TRIO Disability Support Services and Office of Disability Services Student Recognition event celebrates and acknowledges the achievements of program students, graduates and scholarship recipients.

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