

TRiO

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY CENTERS

Do you have a desire to **earn your high school equivalency (HiSET)** and train for an exciting career at the same time?

Do you want to **begin or return to college** but don't know where to start?

Do you have questions about how to **pay for college**?
Do you need **help choosing** a program of study and a career that's right for you?

SLCC's TRiO Educational Opportunity Centers has the answers to these questions and more!



**FREE SERVICES.
CONVENIENT LOCATIONS.
READY TO FULFILL YOUR GOALS?**

Educational Opportunity Centers (EOC) is a *federally funded* TRiO program that provides *free services* to all eligible participants interested in receiving a college education or training for an exciting career in a variety of fields.

The program also offers opportunities to those that, for one reason or another, *did not complete requirements for a high school diploma*.

SLCC has EOCs conveniently located at the College's Evangeline (St. Martinville), Franklin (Franklin), Teche (New Iberia), and Young Memorial (Morgan City) Campuses. Also, SLCC partners with several community organizations throughout the region to offer information and services that are close to you. Call **337.373.3244** or visit solacc.edu/college-for-you to make an appointment or find a location near you.



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APPLY NOW!

Assisting High School Seniors & Adults in Pursuing their Academic and Career Goals

How TRiO can help you

Residents of *Iberia, St. Martin, and St. Mary Parishes* now have options to fulfill their educational goals and prepare for high-wage, high-demand jobs in the region. EOC services will assist you in:

- Registering for HiSET classes (if lacking high school equivalency)
- Completing a college application for admissions
- Applying for financial aid (completion and submission of FAFSA) and scholarships
- Exploring the different types of career offerings
- Assessing personal interests and abilities that align with careers
- Identifying degree and certificate options
- Assisting with college entrance examination preparation
- Navigating the college experience using a variety of support services
- Becoming a better steward of personal finances

HOW DO I QUALIFY FOR EOC SERVICES?

To qualify for services, you must be 19 years of age or older, a U.S. resident or naturalized citizen, a potential low-income, first-generation college student and/or low-income, or a veteran or family member of a veteran.

