I Am TRIO

My name is Scott Weatherwax and I’m an alumni of the Jackson College TRIO group. To be considered eligible to join TRIO you either have to have a documented disability through the Center for Student Success, you need to be a first-generation college student, or you need to have documented financial aid needs. The three biggest takeaways that I probably took from my experience with Trio is that attending in class is important; stay on top of your homework and ask questions when you don’t understand what’s going on, that’s gonna take you a lot farther than you think; and build a network, it’s a big thing in terms of getting your face out there talking to your instructors talking to the support staff here in TRIO or in the Center for Student Success and just knowing that there’s people here that want to help you grow as a student and as a person. And that that can take a lot of pressure off of you. You should want to be a part of TRIO because you grow as a student, you can make friends, and network with a huge group of people, and you grow as a person. I would encourage any student who thinks that they might be eligible to go in and check out TRIO soon to see what they have to offer. I am TRIO!