Some students think college will be like high school, which may have been easy for them. However, the pursuit of a higher education can be demanding. Our mission is to provide you with the tools needed to succeed and earn your degree.



If you're the first in your family to get a bachelor's degree, there may be a lot of "college knowledge" that you don't yet know. Words like syllabus, prerequisite, intramural, seminar, cohort, advisor, articulation and alumni are terms you'll need to know and understand ... and **we can help!**

Academic coaches at Minot State's **POWER Center** can help students develop the skills needed to achieve high performance learning.



POWER is a TRiO Student Support Services program funded by the U.S. Department of Education and is designed to serve students who are U.S. citizens working toward their first bachelor's degree.

Students must meet at least ONE of the following criteria to participate in **POWER**:

- Be a first generation college student (neither parent or guardian has received a 4-year degree.)
- Be income eligible.
- Have a documented disability.

In addition to the above requirements, students must demonstrate academic need for services including an undecided major or career goal, need for academic support, low test scores or other qualifying criteria.

For more information or an application, contact the Minot State POWER Center: Phone: (701) 858-4047 Email: powercenter@MinotStateU.edu Or visit **MinotStateU.edu/power** MINOT STATE UNIVERSITY POWER Center

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What's in it for you?

- Priority registration
- Personality and career interest assessments
- Academic counseling and coaching
- Additional advising
- Individual tutoring
- Information on individual development accounts
- Mentoring
- Student success workshops
- Career and professional development
 opportunities
- Assistance with financial aid and scholarship applications
- Social and cultural enrichment activities
- Student study space equipped with computers, printers and other resources
- Graphing calculator check out
- Supplemental instruction
- Use of scanner, fax machine, stapler, etc.

Belong to a group of students like you who are seeking success!





Providing Opportunities With Enhanced Resources

Students are eligible if their TAXABLE Income is within 150% of low-income guidelines

First generation students are eligible to be part of POWER

Students with a documented disability are eligible to be part of POWER

Students who are a part of POWER can benefit from:

- Priority registration get the classes you need by registering before the rest of campus
- POWER Week move in a week early and learn secrets to success at MSU
- Opportunities to meet new people and belong to a campus and national TRiO community
- Workshops on key topics learning styles, study skills, stress management, and more
- Enhanced resources graphic organizers, extra advising, and a helping hand if you need it
- Trips and events camping and career trips, graduation celebration, out-of-class cultural and educational experiences

Apply to be a part of the POWER Center today!