

# Upward



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Mineral Area College TRiO Programs

2020

# UPWARD BOUND

Please Print Single Sided

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_



Staff Use:

Items Missing in Application:

Notes:

Counselor Use Only

After application is turned in...

Please include the following in each student's packet:

- Current Grades
- Attendance for the year

Dear Applicant:

The Upward Bound project at Mineral Area College is a federally funded educational program designed to generate in program participants the skills and motivation necessary to complete a program of secondary education and to enter and succeed in a program of post secondary education.

If you are planning to obtain a four-year college degree but need additional information and/or academic support to prepare for college, complete this application. There is no cost to the student or their family for his/her participation. All paperwork must be turned in with complete information before you can be considered for the project. Please print or type all information except the signatures. **Do not use pencil.**

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Once all forms are completed, return them to the Counseling Center at your school or mail them to Upward Bound. Be sure the teacher recommendation forms are given to your **math, science and English** teachers for them to complete. If you have questions, please call the Upward Bound office at 573-518-2156.

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Please use the following checklist to make sure your application is complete:

***Forms to be completed by parent/guardian and/or student:***

- Application for Admission
  - Eligibility Verification (parent/guardian signature required)
  - Teacher Recommendation (three needed –**math, science, and English** teachers)
  - Educational and Career Information
  - Records Release (parent/guardian signature required)
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***Forms to be completed or furnished by the school:***

- Teacher Recommendation (three needed –**math, science, and English** teachers)
  - Current Transcript, Test Scores, EOC results, Middle School Achievement Test Scores and GPA
  - Attendance Information
  - Discipline Report
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The personal information you give to Upward Bound will be sent to the Department of Education. The information is protected by the Privacy Act. No one may see the information unless he or she works with or for the Upward Bound Program, or is specifically authorized to see the information. The information is necessary to determine if the applicant is eligible to participate in the program and helps the federal government to measure program success. The Department of Education has the authority to gather information to help make Upward Bound a better program (20 USC 1231a). If you do not give this information to the Upward Bound Program and the Department of Education, you cannot receive any benefits from this program.

# APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Upward Bound at Mineral Area College  
P.O. Box 1000, Park Hills, MO 63601-1000 (573) 518-2156  
www.MineralArea.edu/UpwardBound

## PERSONAL DATA

Legal Name (last, first, middle): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male  Female  Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

What school do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a participant in Educational Talent Search?  Yes  No Student Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

With whom do you live? Please check all that apply and give full names:

- Natural Mother Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Natural Father Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Stepmother Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Stepfather Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Female Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_
- Male Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Current Address:**

Street/Apt#: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Contact:** Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Second Contact:** Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Street/Apt#: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you employed?  Yes  No If yes, how many hours do you work per week? \_\_\_\_\_

***TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN. The information on the remainder of this page is optional. It is used for federal reports or to assist in accommodating students.***

Is your ethnic group Hispanic/Latino?  Yes  No

What is your race?  American Indian/Alaskan Native  Asian  Black or African American  
 White  Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  Race unknown

Is English the primary language you speak at home?  Yes  No If no, list the primary language \_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you have a physical handicap?  Yes  No
2. Are you homeless?  Yes  No
3. Do you have an Individualized Educational Plan (IEP) or receive special services at your school?  Yes  No
4. Have you been involved with the juvenile justice system?  Yes  No Date: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Do you have a diagnosed learning disability?  Yes  No
6. Are you in foster care?  Yes  No

If you answered yes to any of questions 1 - 6, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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<b>Office Use Only:</b>
JICS #: _____
MOSIS #: _____

# ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION

To be completed by parent/guardian. **Unless this form is completed in its entirety, the student CANNOT be considered for the Upward Bound program.**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If accepted in Upward Bound, you will be required to provide student's social security number.

Are you a U.S. citizen?  Yes  No If no, list status \_\_\_\_\_

Does the student's natural or adoptive parent have a Bachelor's (4-year college) degree?  Yes  No  
(Do not include certifications or 2-year degrees)

If yes, list person with degree, type of degree, and name of college that issued the degree.

Please list all people living in the household of the applicant. **(Include applicant in first line.)**

NAME	RELATION TO APPLICANT
	Applicant

**FAMILY INCOME INFORMATION: *Required for consideration in Upward Bound***

Did you file an income tax return in 2019?  Yes  No

**Annual family TAXABLE income for the 2019 tax year: \$\_\_\_\_\_ (Line 11b on Form 1040)**

Are you an orphan?  Yes  No

Are you a ward of the court?  Yes  No If yes, what circuit or county? \_\_\_\_\_

Student needs support due to (check all that applies):

- Low educational aspirations
- Lack of opportunity, support, and/or guidance to take challenging college preparation courses
- Lack of career goals and/or need for accurate information on careers
- Lack of confidence, self-esteem, and/or social skills
- Predominately low-income community
- Rural isolation
- Interest in careers in math and science
- Diagnosed learning disability
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the income, education and household information are true and correct and understand that deliberate misrepresentation of the information may result in prosecution under applicable state and federal laws.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**For Office Use Only:**

This student qualifies for participation in Upward Bound. He/She is:

- Low Income
- First Generation
- High Risk (check at least one)
  - Student did not achieve at the proficient level on state assessments in reading/language arts and/or math
  - GPA for the most recent school year was 2.5 or less
  - At the beginning of 10<sup>th</sup> grade, student had not completed pre-algebra or algebra course

Director Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

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## TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

List the names of the teachers to whom you have given a teacher recommendation form.

Math Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

English Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Science Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## MATH TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

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Please complete the online teacher recommendation for the following student:

Visit the following website to complete the recommendation:

<http://bit.ly/TeacherRecommendation2020>



You will receive a confirmation email once you have completed the online recommendation.

### TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

## ENGLISH TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

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### TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_



## SCIENCE TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

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### TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

# EDUCATIONAL AND CAREER INFORMATION

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to continue your education beyond high school?

Yes  No  Undecided If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

Where do you plan to continue your education after high school?

University/College  Community College  Undecided  
 Military  Technical/Vocational School  
 Other, list type of school \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a participant in any school clubs or activities?  Yes  No

If yes, please list: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of absences this school year \_\_\_\_\_ If more than five, explain why \_\_\_\_\_

What is your current GPA? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you failed any subjects?  Yes  No If yes, list the subjects: \_\_\_\_\_

What are your present grades in the following subjects: English \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ Science \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your current class schedule:

- |          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| 1. _____ | 6. _____  |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____  |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____  |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____  |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

What careers interest you the most? List in order of interest.

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|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |

Have you ever visited a college campus?  Yes  No

If yes, list the school(s) you have visited. \_\_\_\_\_

Describe where you will be in 10 years (i.e.: education, career, personal, and residential). In student's handwriting.

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# RECORDS RELEASE

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print)

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

A. High School Records Release

The above-named student is applying for acceptance into the Upward Bound program. I hereby authorize release of transcripts, test scores, attendance, discipline records, IEP, 504 and other pertinent reports since grade 7 pertaining to my child’s academic progress in school to the Upward Bound project at Mineral Area College.

B. Future Follow-Up Activities Release

If the student named above is selected for participation in Upward Bound, I hereby authorize the school to release the same information annually to the Upward Bound project through the time of the student’s high school graduation. I further authorize the release of each semester’s class schedule, a final transcript verifying graduation, and other pertinent information. The school can continue to provide the requested information until I rescind this permission in writing or until one year after the student graduates.

C. College Records Release

When a student has completed the Upward Bound project at Mineral Area College, the federal government requires Upward Bound to track participants through the completion of their post-secondary education. I give my permission to any college I attend or have attended to provide proof of attendance, transcripts, FAFSA information, and any degrees completed to the Upward Bound project at Mineral Area College.

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name – Print Name / Student Signature / Date

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian - Print Name / Parent/Guardian Signature / Date

These records may be sent directly to:  
Upward Bound  
Mineral Area College  
P.O. Box 1000  
Park Hills, MO 63601-1000  
573-518-2156 Fax: 573-518-2168

