Upward Bound

Upcoming Events

- **April 17th**—ACT Test and Saturday Program
- **May 1st**—Saturday Program
- **May 3rd-7th**—Last week of UB meetings
- **May 27th**—Summer Registration
- **May 31st to June 3rd**—Upcoming Senior College Trip
- **June 7th to July 16th**—Summer Program
- **July 12th**—Award Ceremony
- **July 13th to 16th**—Summer Trip

Summer Program 2021

As the school year is nearing the end, our focus now shifts toward the Upward Bound summer program. Thankfully, we will be back in-person this summer!

So what should students expect? This summer, you will see some new faces in Upward Bound. We have created some new summer mentor positions. The mentors will be assisting the regular Upward Bound staff and will be working directly with students to make sure students stay on track and offer support and guidance as needed.

This summer, core and elective classes will be held Monday-Thursday, on Fridays we will be going on field trips, having committee meetings, volunteering, and much more! Elective classes will meet every day, Monday-Thursday, which is a little different than in past years.

Breakfast and lunch will be served in the Cardinal’s Nest in the field house rather than North College Center. There will be three lunch shifts instead of just one.

These are just a few of the exciting ways UB is changing! We are looking forward to seeing everyone back on campus this summer!

Student News

- Kalia Keith received a band scholarship to Missouri State University.
- Jacob Drennen was student of the month at Unitec and Kingston High School.
- Robert Wells received a “1” rating for his band solo at the state level.
- Alayna Ray was the first Central High School female wrestler to place at the state level.
April Birthdays
James Conover
Jesse Hance
Hannah Henson
Lillian Sutherland
Jan Bacon
Clinton Barrington
Carly French
Hannah Pendleton
Hannah Sertl

“Happy Birthday!”

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Upward Bound Staff:

The mission of Upward Bound at Mineral Area College is to serve eligible high school students by providing academic enrichment, cultural experiences, and a support network to ensure their success in attaining a four year college degree.

March Saturday Program:

ACT Prep, Senior Seminar and STEP Interviews, and Inspirational Movies

College Visit to Missouri State

“A Federally Funded Program
The Mineral Area College Upward Bound I program is a TRIO program funded with a five-year, $1,757,932 grant from the U.S. Department of Education. This represents 100% of the program cost. The indirect cost rate agreement is 8% of which 25% is returned to support the program.

The Mineral Area College Upward Bound II program is a TRIO program funded with a five-year, $1,531,715 grant from the U.S. Department of Education. This represents 100% of the program cost. The indirect cost rate agreement is 8% of which 25% is returned to support the program.

Upward Bound is one of five programs established by Congress to help low-income, first-generation students enter college and graduate. These programs are referred to as the TRIO programs.

For more information on Upward Bound I or II or for information on how to apply, contact the Upward Bound office located at Mineral Area College, (573) 518-2156. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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“No matter how long the winter, spring is sure to follow.”
- English Proverb