

UPWARD BOUND PROGRAM

PREPARING STUDENTS FOR COLLEGE AND BEYOND

OBJECTIVE

Help students with academic potential who need additional preparation and motivation prepare for, enter, and succeed in college.

MISSION

The program provides on going academic support essential to complete high school, counseling and cultural enrichment activities.

BENEFITS

UPWARD BOUND PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING

- 1. Information on post-secondary education opportunities.
- 2. Assistance preparing for college entrance exams.
- 3. Assistance completing application for college.
- 4. Assistance completing applications for financial aid and scholarships.
- 5. A **monthly stipend** during the academic school year and during the summer.
- 6. Scholarship Opportunities (Boys and Girls Club).

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

STUDENTS CAPITALIZE ON A MULTITUDE OF SERVICES SUCH AS:

- 1. Weekly After-School Enrichment
- 2. Peer Mentoring
- 3. College Preparatory Workshop
- 4. College Tours, Field Trips and Social/Cultural Events
- 5. Six-Week Summer Enrichment & A One-Week Residential Component
- 6. Community Partnership Opportunities
- 7. Community Service Projects

LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Aspiring participants can serve as an Upward Bound Ambassador. Student will be responsible for assisting the program with distributing program information and helping the UB Instructor with precollege resources and college preparation.







