

# SERVICES

## ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT

Assist students with high school course selections, monitor student grades and credits to ensure high school graduation, group and individual tutoring

## ACTIVITIES

Students participate in a variety of social, cultural and community service activities to better appreciate the diversity in the world around them

## SUMMER PROGRAM

A six-week academic program where students live on campus, attend classes and participate in social, cultural, recreational and community service activities

## COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

Provide information and assistance with college admissions, registration, scholarships and financial aid



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# UPWARD BOUND

## TRiO

**A pre-college program**

# WHAT IS THE **UPWARD BOUND** PROGRAM?

## BACKGROUND

Upward Bound is a *pre-college* program that provides critical educational services and activities for eligible students, generally "lost in the shuffle," requiring individualized attention if they are to develop the necessary post-secondary academic skills to gain entry into and graduate from institutions of higher learning. Students participate with the Upward Bound program for the duration of their high school enrollment.

## SELECTION PROCESS

High school students, in the 9th and 10th grades, are selected based on the recommendations of teachers, counselors, and social service agencies. Upward Bound is funded to serve students attending **Ben Lomond, Ogden, Clearfield, Layton** or **Northridge** high schools. All 9th grade students in both the Davis and Ogden School Districts must attend a junior high that feeds students into one of the above listed high schools.

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

All students must be **first-generation**: someone whose parents have not received a four-year college degree. Most students must also be eligible based on **low-income guidelines** as outlined by the U.S. Department of Education.

## ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR

From September to May, students meet with Upward Bound Specialists for Saturday College Prep. These three hour sessions include tutoring and mentoring from individuals with a variety of abilities, homework assistance, test taking strategies and college preparation skills necessary for post-secondary success.

Also, monthly social, cultural and recreational enrichment activities are held. Throughout the school year, field experiences in Mathematics, Technology, Engineering, the Sciences, Literature/Composition and the Arts are offered. Students also participate in service based learning activities benefiting the local area.

Personal, academic and career guidance is available anytime throughout the program.

## SUMMER ACADEMIC PROGRAM

A six-week residential summer program is held on the campus of Weber State University for all program participants. One week consists of an academic field excursion focusing on historical, social, cultural and academic attributes of neighboring areas. During the week, students live in residence halls, attend academic classes, and participate in social, cultural, recreational and community service-based projects. These activities are designed to strengthen English, Math, Science, Foreign Language, Technology, computer literacy and test taking skills.

## ATTENDANCE

Attend all high school courses, Upward Bound Saturday College Prep sessions, tutorial activities, community service projects, cultural/social activities and the six-week summer program

## WEEKLY ADVISMENT

Meet with an Upward Bound advisor at least once a week during Saturday College Prep and/or at the student's high school

## STUDENT CONDUCT

Follow rules of student conduct for high school, at Upward Bound Saturday College Prep, activities, community service and during the Summer Academic Program

## MAINTAIN A 2.5 G.P.A.

All Upward Bound services and activities are **FREE** to eligible program participants!

# PARTICIPATION