

CSU-Pueblo Upward Bound Student Application Packet

Upward Bound is a free, highly successful pre-collegiate program that helps students develop the skills and motivation to graduate from high school and succeed on into a college degree plan.

STUDENT NAME

HIGH SCHOOL & GRADE

Documentation Required for Application:

- ⇒ Financial/Income Documentation
- ⇒ Current Grades and Test Scores

Student Eligibility

- **Low-income** (parent's income tax)
- **First-generation** (neither parent holds a four-year college degree)
- **Academic need**
- Minimum cumulative **GPA of 2.5**
- Potential to graduate high school and succeed in college
- Provide a strong self-recommendation
- Provide a strong recommendation from a teacher or school counselor



Academic Year Component

- After School Program Tutoring
- ACT and ACCUPLACER Preparation
- Core Class Instruction (English/Math/Science)
- One-on-One Academic & Skill Building
- Study Skills, Time Management, Career Exploration, Campus Life
- College Admission, Financial Aid, Scholarships, and Housing Applications
- College and University Tours
- Social and Cultural Events
- Community Service Opportunities
- Leadership Skill Building
- Resume and Cover Letter Assistance

Summer Pre-College Academy– 6 Week Program

Residential & Non-Residential Program

Residential provides rigorous academic instruction in Math, English/Literature, Science, and Enrichment courses, ACCUPLACER preparation, tutoring, group interaction, student housing experience, cultural activities, community service, and college preparation. Non-Residential provides monitored instruction through online academics specific to Math supplemental instruction, ACCUPLACER preparation, tutoring, activities, and community service.

Senior Leadership Academy

Provides student housing experience, leadership development, group engagement, networking, recreational activities, and college preparation through scholarship essay completion, FAFSA literacy, resume/cover letter writing, etc.

Summer Bridge Program

Summer Bridge is a program that offers high school graduates an opportunity to earn college credits, transferable to any college or university. It also prepares students to transition successfully into the full-time college experience.

**Colorado State University-Pueblo Upward Bound Program
STUDENT APPLICATION**

CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION AND PRIVACY ACT

The financial and educational information you provide to the Upward Bound Program is reported to the U.S. Department of Education and is protected by the Privacy Act. No one may see the information unless they are employed by the program or are specifically authorized by the US Department of Education to evaluate the project (20 USC 123 1a).

STUDENT PERSONAL INFORMATION *(Please print clearly)*

Student Name: First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____

Birth Date: ____/____/____ Social Security Number (*required*): _____ - _____ - _____ Gender: ☐Female ☐Male

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State/Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____ Student Cell: (____) _____ School SASID #: _____

Citizenship:

☐U.S. Citizen ☐Eligible U.S. Citizen

VISA No. _____

☐Permanent Resident

(Attach copy of residency card)

Ethnicity: Are you of Hispanic or Latino Origin? Yes ____ No ____

(If yes, choose one or more from the list below)

☐Cuban ☐Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano ☐Puerto Rican ☐Other Hispanic or Latino

Race: *(Choose one or more from the list below)*

☐African American/Black ☐American Indian/Alaska Native ☐Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander

☐Other Asian ☐White/Caucasian

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION *(To be completed by the parent or legal guardian)*

With whom does student primarily live? Please check: ☐Both Parents ☐Father ☐Mother ☐Legal Guardian(s)

Parent/Legal Guardian 1:

Relationship to Child: _____

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

Work Phone: _____

Has this person earned a college Bachelor's degree?

YES _____ NO _____

Parent/Legal Guardian 2:

Relationship to Child: _____

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

Work Phone: _____

Has this person earned a college Bachelor's degree?

YES _____ NO _____

If NO to both, please sign below to verify that neither parent has earned a bachelor's degree.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

ACADEMIC AND PERSONAL REFERENCES

Reference 1 (Teacher, Counselor): Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Reference 2 (Non-Family Member): Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

FAMILY FINANCIAL INFORMATION (TAXABLE INCOME)

Documentation of family income is **required** by federal guidelines in order to determine eligibility for participation in Upward Bound. Please contact the Upward Bound Office if you have any questions regarding the information required or about how to complete this form. Supporting documentation is required.

Please complete the information for the category that applies to you:



OR



I Filed a Tax Return for Last Year	I Did Not File a Tax Return for Last Year														
<p>Our family's taxable income for last year was \$ _____. (See 1040 line 43, 1040A line 27, or 1040EZ line 6.)</p> <p>_____ Number of people in household. Include yourself, your spouse, your children, and any other individual who is receiving more than half of their support from you.</p> <p><u>Please attach a signed copy of tax return</u></p>	<p>Sources of Income:</p> <table><tbody><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Social Security</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Child Support</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> TANF</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Food Stamps</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Disability/SNAP</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Other</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Total \$ _____</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>_____ Number of people in household. Include yourself, your spouse, your children, and any other individual who is receiving more than half of their support from you.</p> <p><u>Please attach copies of income/benefit statements</u></p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Security	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Support	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> TANF	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Food Stamps	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Disability/SNAP	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	\$ _____	Total \$ _____	
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I certify that the above information is correct and that all income is reported.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Colorado State University-Pueblo TRiO Upward Bound Program
PERMISSION FOR UPWARD BOUND/MEDICAL CONSENT/MEDIA RELEASE

(Name of Student) _____ has my permission to participate in the TRiO Upward Bound Program. I give my permission for any UB staff to transport my child to and from program-sponsored events. I waive liability, release, and forever discharge Colorado State University-Pueblo and the State Board of Governors of the Colorado State University System, all of its members, and anyone employed with community or educational organizations in partnership with UB from any and all demands, rights, and causes of action of whatever kind of nature arising out of all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen bodily and personal injuries, damage to property, and the consequences thereof, including death, resulting from my child's voluntary participation in UB. I authorize my child to be treated by qualified Southern Colorado or other Medical personnel if the need arises while engaged in official UB activities. I give UB permission to photograph my child to use in recruiting materials, presentations, advertisements, media, and the program website.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

TRiO UPWARD BOUND RECORDS RELEASE CONSENT

Release of education and school records information is valid during all years of attendance at Middle School, High School, and all IHEs (Institutions of Higher Education).

Parent/Legal Guardian authorization for release of information is hereby granted to school districts 60 & 70 to release or obtain information from administrators, school counselors, or other staff concerning issues relevant to educational and academic success to include:

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| • Transcripts | • ICAP |
| • Grades | • TCAP |
| • Attendance | • ACT/SAT Test Scores |
| • Academic Information (Class Schedules) | • Health Records |
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Access is granted and records are to be released to CSU-Pueblo TRiO Upward Bound upon request for:

Student's Full Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ School ID #/SASID #: _____

Middle School Attending: _____

High School You Plan to Attend or are Currently Attending: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Name (print): _____

(initials) **I certify that I am the parent or legal guardian** for the student named above who is under the age of 18.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

(initials) I give CSU-Pueblo Upward Bound permission to request my academic records from any IHE I attend after high school completion.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Print and Submit a copy of your class grades available from your school's online grade monitoring program.

**Why Do You Want to Join TRIO Upward Bound
(to include self- identified academic need)? (Please select ALL that apply)**

- Were you referred to TRIO Upward Bound?
- ☐ **Yes**
- ☐ **No**
- If Yes, by whom?
- ☐ **Upward Bound student or Staff**
- ☐ **MYLIFE Program**
- ☐ **School Counselor, Teacher or
other School Figure**
- ☐ **Other** _____

In your own words, tell us why you want to participate in the TRIO Upward Bound Program and how the TRIO Upward Bound program will help you become successful.