

Upward Bound



Would You Like

- To earn \$40.00 a month *and* get free help in the subjects you struggle with?
- To learn about future career choices and discover new worlds?
- To get answers to questions about how to get to college, how to pay for it *and* how to succeed once you get there?

If you answered “yes” to any of these questions you need to think about joining

CMC—Upward Bound!



Program facilitated through:

Colorado Mountain College



Vail—Eagle Campus
150 Miller Ranch Road
Edwards, CO 81632

**A new program to enrich & empower
9th & 10th graders at
Eagle Valley High School!**

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What is:



We are a federally-funded program designed to:

- Empower High School students to succeed in school
- Provide Career Exploration and Mentoring
- Assist with College admissions
- Support College Scholarship searches
- And, help with post-secondary Financial Aid

Who can join Upward Bound?

Students who:

- Have a desire to further their education beyond high school.
- Are in the 9th or 10th grade at the time of application to the program
- Currently have a 2.5 or less high school GPA
- Are US Citizens or have Permanent Residency
- Neither parent or guardian has completed a four-year college degree
- Are **Low-Income** by guidelines set through their parent's or guardian's Total Taxable Income

Talk to a UB representative.

Key Activities of CMC—Upward Bound:

Tutoring (Upward Bound Scholars):

- Provided by Professional HS Instructors in core subjects. Times & schedules vary by site.

Instruction (Upward Bound College):

- A 6 hour Saturday program of innovative academics held once a month
- **Focus:** critical thinking, problem solving, learning/study skills, and exposure to various careers

Personal Counseling:**

- Held monthly in an individual *or* group format during advisory period

Academic Advising:

- Conducted *at least* once per semester prior to course registration

Career Counseling:

- Including identifying aptitudes and interests while exploring various career fields, job shadowing and completing a career profile with resume and letters of recommendation

Post-Secondary Education Preparation:

- Students will participate in information and motivational activities
- **Visit** several Colorado colleges
- Learn the process of applying *and* paying for College

Mentoring:

- All Upward Bound participants will be paired with mentoring adults with similar interests

Summer Academy:

- Will be held for **four weeks** from Sunday evenings through Friday afternoons at the Leadville (Timberline) Campus of CMC
- Focus: an intensive academic learning environment while living in college Residential Housing.

****The Coordinator will develop a monthly plan for each student.**

If the student participates and attends all necessary activities, he/she will receive a \$40.00 stipend.

For more Information:



Please complete the information below and give this form to your advisor or school counselor.

If you would like to speak directly with the Program Director about what CMC—Upward Bound can do for you, please feel free to contact us using the information provided at the bottom of this page.

Your Name
Mailing Address
Your Phone
Your Signature

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