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# **Application**

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**UPWARD BOUND APPLICATION**

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**What is Upward Bound?** Upward Bound (UB) is a Title IV program with 100% funding through the U.S. Department of Education. It is locally sponsored and operated at the Upstate Institute of Youth Programs (UIYP), located in Seneca, SC. UB is designed to enhance the skills and motivation necessary for success beyond high school for its participants.

**Who can participate?** The program is open to a college bound high school student who is currently a freshman or sophomore attending a target school in Anderson or Oconee Counties, and who meet the following eligibility criteria: (1) Parent(s) have not completed a four-year college degree; and/or (2) Parent(s) income meets federal guidelines; and (3) Has demonstrated academic need.

**Upward Bound Offers** academic support, career counseling, personal development exercises, cultural events, and college visits. **All services are FREE.** Transportation is available during the Academic and Summer Components. During the Academic Component, students attend Saturday classes and tutorial sessions at the Upstate Institute of Youth Program location in Seneca from September through May. The Summer Component is an intensive six-week residential scholastic program. For more information, please visit our website at [www.uiyp.org](http://www.uiyp.org) or e-mail: [uiypupstate@gmail.com](mailto:uiypupstate@gmail.com).

**PART I: STUDENT BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Indicate current grade level using a ✓: Freshman / / Sophomore / /		
Identify gender using a ✓: Male / / Female / / U.S. Citizen? Indicate with a ✓ Yes / / No / /		
Name: (Last) (First) (Middle Initial)		
Current Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Date of Birth:	Age:	SSN: <b>(required by the U.S. Dept. of Education)</b>
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Other:
Race: (Indicate with a ✓) Asia Pacific Islander / / American Indian / / Black / / White / / Multi-racial / / Other / /		
E-mail:	Social Media:	SM Username:
High School:		
Father's Name:		
Employer:		
Phone:	E-mail:	Highest Grade Completed:
Mother's Name:		
Employer:		
Phone:	E-mail:	Highest Grade Completed:
Who do you live with? Indicate with a ✓ Both Natural Parents / / Mother / / Father / / Stepmother / / Stepfather / / Other / /		
Are you currently enrolled in the Educational Opportunity Center program located in Clemson? Yes / / No / /		

**I certify that all statements above are true to the best of my knowledge:**

**Applicant's Signature:**

**Date:**



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**PART II: CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT** **Note: The United States Department of Education requires that we obtain income information from all applicants. Please answer all questions.**

Applicant's Name: (Last)		(First)	(Middle Initial)
Head of Household: (Last)		(First)	(Middle Initial)
Relationship to Applicant: Father / / Mother / / Guardian / / Other / / Specify Relationship			
Address of Head of Household:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Phone:			
Proof of income provided: Indicate with a ✓ i.e. Tax Return Form / / Pay Stub / / Income Statement / /			
Are you eligible or do you qualify for free/reduced lunch? Indicate with a ✓ Yes / / No / /			
Are you a foster child or legally adopted? Indicate with a ✓ Yes / / No / /			
How many people are in the household?		Size of family? (living in home)	
Number of dependent children?	Number of brothers?	Number of sisters?	
Additional comments concerning your financial situation, if no documentation is available.			

**PART III: INCOME VERIFICATION STATEMENT**

Name of parent/guardian:		
The total number of family members that I/we claim on income taxes:		
Complete <b>ONE</b> Statement:	Monthly Income \$	Yearly Income \$

**I certify that the Confidential Financial and Income Verification Statements are accurate to the best of my knowledge:**

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PART IV: APPLICANT ADMISSIONS STATEMENT**

In the space provided below, discuss why you wish to join Upward Bound, how the program would benefit you and the role that you will play as an Upward Bounder. Include your career aspirations. Please print or type your response and use correct spelling, grammar and punctuation. Organize your thoughts because your response may determine your admission into the program.



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**Academic Need - How can UPWARD BOUND help you? (Indicate with a ✓ as many as apply)**

Math Tutoring	/	/	Financial Aid Information	/	/
English Tutoring	/	/	Cultural Activities	/	/
Reading Tutoring	/	/	Scholarships for College	/	/
Science Tutoring	/	/	Make better grades	/	/
Social Studies Tutoring	/	/	Career planning for future	/	/
Study Skills Instruction	/	/	College Survival Skills	/	/
Counseling	/	/	Personal Counseling	/	/
Post-Secondary Education Information	/	/	Foreign language Tutoring	/	/

**V. ACADEMIC RECORD RELEASE FORM**

The staff of the Upstate Institute of Youth Programs Upward Bound (UB) Program has permission to receive my child's interim grades, report card, transcripts (unofficial), and or standardized test scores (PASS and SC Ready) for the sole purpose of providing program services and resources for my child while a participant in the Upward Bound Program.

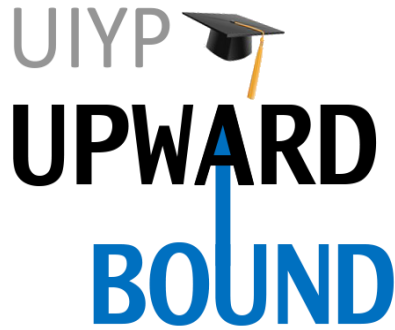
**Parent/Guardian  
Signature:**

**Date:**

**APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

**IMPORTANT REMINDERS: Please make sure you complete and/or attach the following:**

(1) Provide student’s SSN, highest grade completed by parent(s) and student’s signature in - <b>Part I</b>	(4) Applicant Admissions Statement - <b>Part IV</b>
(2) Parent(s) complete and sign the Confidential Financial Statement - <b>Part II</b>	(5) Parent(s) signature on Academic Record Release Form - <b>Part V</b>
(3) Parent(s) complete and sign the Income Verification Statement – <b>Part III</b>	(6) Obtain required recommendations - one counselor & three teachers - <b>Parts VI &amp; VII</b>



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