



WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

TRIO Upward Bound & Upward Bound Math - Science

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## Wesleyan University Upward Bound 2024-2025 HONOR and PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

Congratulations! We're excited to welcome you to the 2024-2025 Wesleyan Upward Bound & Upward Bound Math - Science Program school year and encourage you to accept the terms of this Agreement, which outlines the terms and expectations to remain in the program. Upward Bound provides opportunities for students like you to succeed in high school, and we see the potential for you to excel in this program and beyond. Your signing of this Agreement marks a commitment to the program and accountability to yourself to uphold its values and requirements.

### PROGRAM MISSION:

Upward Bound is a federally funded college preparatory program that serves high school students from low-income families in which neither parent holds a bachelor's degree. Upward Bound's goal is to increase the rate at which students enroll and graduate from postsecondary institutions. The program provides academic instruction in various subjects including, but not limited to, math, science, and literature, and offers tutoring and academic counseling to students. Most importantly, **this is of no cost to you or your family.**

### PROGRAM BENEFITS:

Resources for participants include:

- College tours and cultural enrichment trips (including overnight stays)
- Tutoring, academic advising, and career counseling
- Support from staff and program coordinators in one-on-one sessions, school visits, workshops, etc.
- SAT prep workshops and SAT Fee Waivers
- Assistance with college applications, college application fee waivers, financial aid applications, and scholarships



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## ALL PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS ARE REQUIRED TO:

- Maintain B-/80 cumulative average
- Attend Monthly Saturday Sessions
- Attend Advising at least 2 times a month (at school, in the office, virtually, or by phone call)
- Attend the 6-week summer program

**ACCOUNTABILITY:** Participation in Upward Bound and Upward Bound Math - Science (UB/UBMS) is a privilege. As a program, we are held accountable for providing services to those students that are considered active and meeting mandatory program requirements. Therefore, it is pertinent for students to uphold the above commitments to maintain their status and good standing, or else they face removal from the UB/UBMS program. This is a team effort, so let's partner to enhance the talents, abilities, and strengths for high school success.

By signing this form, you adhere to the following:

1. I **will** maintain a B-/80 cumulative average
2. I **will** attend Monthly Saturday Sessions
3. I **will** attend Advising at least 2 times a month (at school, in the office, virtually, or by phone call)
4. I **will** attend the 6-week summer program starting in June of 2025

I have read, understand, and accept the terms and commit to honoring all program obligations. I understand that if I don't fulfill the above commitments, I will face removal from the Wesleyan University Upward Bound & Upward Bound Math - Science program and forfeit the benefits of the program's funding and other resources.

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Printed Student's Name

Student Signature

Date

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Printed Parent / Guardian Name

Signature

Date