

Our Goal is a College Degree!

About Our Program

Upward Bound is a federally-funded academic program that provides four years of advisement, tutoring, mentoring and college preparation experiences for promising first-generation high school students who might not otherwise pursue higher education.

Upward Bound students must possess the drive, desire, and academic potential to obtain a four-year college degree.

Who Can Join?

To apply to Upward Bound, students must be entering 9th grade or currently in 9th or 10th grade, and have a GPA of 2.5 or higher.

Students must be currently enrolled at one of the following Rochester City School District schools:

- Northeast College Prep High School
- Rochester Early College International High School
- Wilson Magnet High School
- World of Inquiry School No. 58



Program Activities & Services

- **Academic Tutoring available 3 days a Week at MCC's Downtown Campus**
- Academic and empowerment workshops
- Summer academic program
- Field trips to Rochester cultural events
- Career advisement & academic assessment
- SAT & ACT test prep and review
- Help with college applications
- Visits to colleges
- College admissions process information for parents:
 - Academic entrance requirements
 - Financial aid information



Who is Successful in Upward Bound?

Students who:

- Want to improve their grades and are willing to work hard to achieve it.
- Are not afraid of a challenge!
- Know what they need to do to achieve their goals, but might need some help along the way.
- Know how to work hard and play hard too!

To Learn More:

Visit our Website:

<http://www.monroecc.edu/depts/education/upward-bound.htm>

Check out our Facebook page:

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Interested?

Contact us!

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