Alabama A&M University TRiO Upward Bound

Application

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- Tutoring Services
- Academic Counseling
- Career Counseling
- Financial Aid Counseling
- Summer Residence Program
- Mentoring
- Bridge Program
- Field Trips

✓ Application Packet Checklist

☐ Recommendation Letters
  ☐ Two (2) Teacher Evaluations
  ☐ One (1) Letter from Your Community: Neighbor, Church Official, etc..
  ☐ One (1) Letter from Principal or Counselor

☐ Verification of Income: Signed Tax Return or Other Documentation of Income

☐ Statement of Interest: 150 words or more explaining your interests in the program, education goals, career choice and objectives.

☐ Official Transcript or Cumulative Record

Go to Upward Bound where we begin with the end in mind!!

Mail Completed Application Packet to:
Alabama A&M Upward Bound . P.O. Box 347 . Normal, AL 35762
For additional information contact: 256-372-5661
### Upward Bound Application

#### STUDENT INFORMATION

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<th>Name of Applicant: ___________________________ Last</th>
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<td>Current School: ___________________________ Grade:_________ Expected Year Of Graduation: 20 _____</td>
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Please select high school you will attend in the fall.

- □ Butler High
- □ J. O. Johnson High
- □ Lee High
- □ Buckhorn High
- □ Hazel Green High
- □ Sparkman High
- □ Other ________________________

Have you participated in any other TRiO Program? □ Yes □ No

(If yes, check all that apply)

- □ Upward Bound
- □ Upward Bound Math-Science
- □ Talent Search
- □ GEAR UP

### FAMILY INFORMATION

(to be completed by parent or guardian)

With whom does the student live? **Please check only one:**

- □ Both Parents
- □ Mother
- □ Father
- □ Grandparent
- □ Foster Care
- □ Other (please specify) ____________________________________________________________

Parent(s) Marital Status:

- □ Married, living together
- □ Married, living separately
- □ Single
- □ Divorced

Deceased? □ Mother □ Father

Parent/Guardian: ___________________________ First ___________________________ Last__________________________ Cell Phone: (   )__________________________

Mother/Guardian Employer: ___________________________ Work Number: (   )__________________________

Father/Guardian Employer: ___________________________ Work Number: (   )__________________________
Did you (the parent) file an Income Tax Return last year?
☐ Yes (if yes, you must include a signed copy of your FEDERAL return)
☐ No

If you did not file an Income Tax Return last year, what was your income?
TAXABLE INCOME $ _______________________________

Please indicate the source of untaxed income:
Social Security $________________________
Unemployment $________________________
Retirement $_________________________
Child Support $_________________________
Veteran’s Benefit $_____________________
Other (please specify) $_____________________

Is there any unusual change in income over the last year?  ☐ No ☐ Yes (if yes, please explain)
_________________________________________________________________________________

Select highest level of education completed

**Mother/Guardian**
☐ Less than high school
☐ High school graduate
☐ Some college hours
☐ Two years of college
☐ Four year college degree
☐ Completed vocational training

**Father/Guardian**
☐ Less than high school
☐ High school graduate
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Number of siblings who completed college/vocational school? _________________

List the name of each person that is a member of your household and their relationship to the student

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Total number of members in your household: _________________

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Parent/Guardian Name (please print) __________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Signature __________________________________ Date ____________
Write an essay, 150 words or more explaining your interest in the program, educational goals, career choice(s), and how you could benefit from the program.

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Student Signature ___________________________ Date ___________
TEACHER EVALUATION

Name of Applicant: ____________________________________________

Last First Middle

Current School: ___________________________ Grade: 8 9 10 11

(Please Circle One)

Teacher: ____________________________________________

Please rate the student in each of the following areas by circling the appropriate number with 5 being highest

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Student Strengths: ____________________________________________

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Student Weakness: ____________________________________________

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Recommendations/Additional Comments: ____________________________________________

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Teacher Signature ____________________________________________ Date ______________

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