

MSOE Upward Bound Application

Upward Bound is a federally funded pre-college TRIO program serving college bound low-income, first generation high school students from South Division, Bradley Tech and King high schools. Students are provided with tutoring, ACT preparation classes, academic/personal counseling, and college entrance assistance. Students participate in a six-week residential program during the summer which simulates the college experience. Students commit to participating in both academic and summer components of the program until their high school graduation. There are no fees or costs associated with this program.

STUDENT SECTION:

Full Name: _____ Date: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Phone: _____ Student Cell: _____ Student Email: _____

Home Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____ US Citizen: Y N Legal Resident: Y N

Social Security Number: _____ Gender: M F

Are you Hispanic/Latino: Y N

Ethnicity (optional): _____

School Information:

Present School: _____ Present Grade: _____ Guidance Counselor: _____

If you are currently in the 8th grade, what high school will you attend? _____

FAMILY BACKGROUND:

Student lives with: Both Parents Mother only Father only Guardian Relative Other

Person legally responsible for student: Both Parents Mother only Father only Guardian Relative Other

Do either of the student's parent/guardians have a 4-year college degree? Y N If yes, who? _____

LIST YOUR PARENTS, OR THE PEOPLE YOU LIVE WITH **OR** IF YOU LIVE WITH ONE PARENT, LIST ANOTHER PERSON THAT WE MAY CONTACT TO REACH YOU/DISCUSS YOUR PERFORMANCE IN THE PROGRAM

Relationship to Student: _____ Relationship to Student: _____

Name _____ Name: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work: _____

Pager: _____ Cell: _____ Pager: _____ Cell: _____

Occupation: _____ Occupation: _____

Employer: _____ Employer: _____

If you presently live alone, in an institution, or under some other special circumstances, please give a brief description:

Statement of Verification and Confidentiality

I certify that I have read this application and that all information contained within is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the Milwaukee School of Engineering or its agents to verify statements related to income, household members, educational attainment, citizenship status, and participant’s age for accuracy. This shall include, but not be limited to, social service agencies, both federal and state. This information is strictly confidential and will be maintained in the Upward Bound office only. This information is protected by the Privacy Act and the General Education Provision Act (GEPA). The personal information you give to Upward Bound is sent to the Federal Department of Education. The Department of Education has the authority to gather information regarding student’s eligibility and progress and performance within the program throughout the student’s tenure (10 USC 1231 a). No one may see this information unless they work with or for the Upward Bound program or are specifically authorized to see the information. If you do not give this information to the program and the Department of Education, you may not receive any services from the program.

I further give consent for my child to engage in any counseling relationship with Upward Bound staff members that may arise through the course of the program while being provided guidance by program staff. I understand that the personal information shared between my child and that staff member will be kept in strictest confidence and will be seen only by program personnel. By state mandate, this confidence must be broken if the student expresses that they may bring harm to self or others or that the child is experiencing any type of abuse. In that case, by law, proper authorities must be contacted.

Statement of Consent of Educational Release

I agree to the release of my child’s middle school and high school records to the MSOE Upward Bound Program and to the Department of Education. This includes but is not limited to: all and any grades, progress reports, transcripts, test scores, staff observations, disciplinary issues, and IEP information if applicable. I authorize MSOE Upward Bound to contact any person with the intent of gathering useful information regarding my child’s performance including but not limited to teachers, guidance counselors, administrators, social service agencies, social workers, psychologists, and staff at other programs/extra-curricular activities in which my child participates. I understand that MSOE will maintain records on my child’s performance throughout the child’s high school tenure and post-secondary tenure.

I acknowledge that the MSOE will be tracking my student for up to six years after s/he completes or leaves the Upward Bound program. In the event that they are unable to obtain tracking information from my child, I authorize the MSOE Upward Bound Program and its staff to contact any institutions of higher education that my student is potentially or is known to be attending to gather enrollment, financial aid, and/or academic information regarding my student’s attendance at that (those) institution(s). I authorize MSOE Upward Bound and its staff to speak to any individual or department at the institution(s) of higher education in an attempt to gather this information. This contract is valid until six years after the date of my student’s high school graduation. As the student signing below, I am also authorizing all of the actions stated above and the use of my social security number in tracking my post-secondary progress.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE STATEMENT OF VERIFICATION AND CONFIDENTIALITY AND STATEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL RELEASE AND BY SIGNING I ACCEPT THESE TERMS.

Parent Signature _____ Student Signature _____

Date _____ Student Social Security Number _____

Thank you for your interest in the MSOE Upward Bound Program!

Please return this application to:

**Milwaukee School of Engineering
Upward Bound Program
1025 N. Broadway Ave.
Milwaukee, WI 53202**

If you have any questions, please contact 277-7594 or 277-7262