



# Upward Bound / Upward Bound Math & Science

*Morehead State University*

- I am interested in Upward Bound Classic
- I am interested in Upward Bound Math & Science
- I am interested in both programs

## Student Application

In order to be considered for participation in the Upward Bound Program, complete this application, have the appropriate signatures, and submit it to your high school guidance counselor.

In order to be complete, the following must be completed and/or included with this application:

1. Student application
2. Copy of income tax return (if filed)
3. Counselor recommendation
4. Teacher recommendations (from two teachers)
5. Copy of student's most recent transcript

If you have questions or need additional information, you may contact the office at:

### **Upward Bound**

Morehead State University  
150 University Blvd., Box 783  
Morehead, Kentucky 40351-1689  
(606) 783-2611  
1-800-5UPWARD  
upwardbound@moreheadstate.edu

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Eligibility	
Accepted	
Letter	
Database	

## Follow these simple instructions

1. **Read** the entire application before you start so you'll know exactly what you're filling out.
2. Please **write legibly** or **type** your application. If we can't read all the information, we'll have to send it back causing unnecessary delays.
3. Make sure that you have all the **required signatures** before sending the application back.
4. Don't forget to include a copy of your most recent **school transcript**.
5. If your parents filed an **Income Tax Return** we must have a signed copy.
6. To make it easy, just remember:

Sections A & D----- STUDENT fills out  
(Green Sections)

Section B----- PARENT or GUARDIAN fills out  
(Red Section)

Section C----- STUDENT and PARENT both need to sign  
(Purple Section)

Section E----- GUIDANCE COUNSELOR Recommendation Form  
(Pink Insertion Sheet)

Section F----- TEACHER Recommendation Forms (2)  
*At least one teacher recommendation form has to be filled out by an English, math, science or history teacher*  
(Blue Insertion Sheets)

**If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Upward Bound office at 606-783-2611 or toll-free at 1-800-5UPWARD. You may also email questions to [upwardbound@moreheadstate.edu](mailto:upwardbound@moreheadstate.edu)**



**SECTION B (Continued)**

**Did you (the parent) file an Income Tax Return last year?**

- Yes (if **yes**, you must include a signed copy of the form)  
 No

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

**Taxable income** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Untaxed income** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate the source of untaxed income:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Unemployment

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Retirement      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Child Support

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Veteran's Benefits      \$ \_\_\_\_\_ KTAP

Other (please specify) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Is there any unusual change in income this year over last year?     No     Yes (if yes, please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**Education level of parents/legal guardians with whom the student lives:**

**Father/Legal Guardian**

- Less than high school
- High school graduate
- Some college hours
- Two year college degree
- Four year college degree
- Completed vocational training

**Mother/Legal Guardian**

- Less than high school
- High school graduate
- Some college hours
- Two year college degree
- Four year college degree
- Completed vocational training

Number of brothers/sisters who completed college/vocational school \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' marital status:     Married, living together     Married, living separately  
 Single     Divorced  
 Deceased:     Mother     Father

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

NAME & RELATIONSHIP	NAME & RELATIONSHIP

**Total number of members in household** \_\_\_\_\_

*The information contained in this application is for the use of the Upward Bound program only and will be held in strictest confidence. For our own record, it is necessary that you complete the form entirely. Please certify that the information is correct and complete to the best of your knowledge by signing below.*

**Parent/Guardian Name (please print)** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**SECTION C**

**UPWARD BOUND**  
**MOREHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY**

**AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF EDUCATIONAL  
RECORDS AND PHOTO RELEASE**

I hereby grant authorization for my educational records (grades, transcripts and test scores) to be released to the Upward Bound program at Morehead State University. I understand that the Upward Bound program will request grades at the conclusion of each grading period and transcripts/test scores at least annually.

I also authorize the Upward Bound program at Morehead State University to use photographs and/or videotape with my image in Upward Bound publications and/or news releases.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ALL INFORMATION WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL**





Section F

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**Teacher Recommendation Form**

At least one teacher form has to be completed by an English, math, science or history teacher.

Name of Applicant (print) \_\_\_\_\_  
Last
First
Middle

Thank you for taking the time to fill out a recommendation form for the above named student. He/she is applying for admittance into the Morehead State University Upward Bound Program. Due to the intensive nature of study and the residential experience during the summer, it is necessary to select only those students who demonstrate not only an interest in furthering their education, but have a strong social maturity as well. Please be candid and as honest as possible in your responses. **All information will be kept in the strictest confidence!**

**Please give the recommendation form to the Guidance Counselor and he/she will put it with the student's Upward Bound application.** If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Upward Bound office at 606.783.2611, 1.800.UPWARD or upwardbound@moreheadstate.edu.

**Please rate the applicant on each of the characteristics listed below:**

	<b>Outstanding</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>
Academic performance					
Problem solving ability					
Communication skills					
Judgment and common sense					
Ability to deal with others					
Sensitivity to needs of others					
Emotional stability and maturity					
Independence					
Integrity					
Dependability and reliability					
Industry and persistence					
Leadership					
Willingness to follow directions					
Initiative					
Ability to work beyond the normal requirements of a task					
Grooming and appropriate dress					
Ability to live away from home for six weeks					

**Print Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Title/Department** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_  
**High School** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional comments:**

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**High School** \_\_\_\_\_

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