

# Texas Tech University

## Upward Bound Math & Science

### New Student Application

Please return to:  
[upwardboundmathscience@ttu.edu](mailto:upwardboundmathscience@ttu.edu)

**Federal TRIO Program Funded by the U.S. Department of Education**

Applications are accepted for review regardless of race, color, national origin, religion, gender, or disability (U.S. Dept. of Education - GEPA Section 427)



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**PART I STUDENT APPLICANT INFORMATION - To be completed by the student**

Date		Name	
Cell Phone #		Email	
High School/Middle School Currently Attending		Current Grade Level	
Mailing Address	City	State	Zip
Date of Birth	Age	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say	
Citizenship: <input type="checkbox"/> United States Citizen    or <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident    or    Other: _____			
<b>Ethnic Background:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> African American or Black <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> More than one race _____			
Who do you live with? <input type="checkbox"/> Mother & Father <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Other Name of Guardian if you do not live with one of your parents: _____			
What language is spoken at home? <input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish    Other, Please Specify: _____			
Are you currently being served by another TRIO Project or Gear Up? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Not Sure If Yes, please which one(s): _____			
The personal essay is an important part of the selection process. In 300 words or more, please <b>discuss why you want to attend college and your interest in math and/or science</b> . Attach separate pages if needed.			

What is your current GPA? _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Not Sure/Don't Know _____
What grades do you usually receive? ___ A's ___ B's ___ C's ___ D's (Check as many as apply)
What colleges are you interested in attending or obtaining information from? 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Not Sure
What are your career interests? 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Not Sure
What type of degree do you plan to obtain? You can check more than one. <input type="checkbox"/> High School Diploma <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational or Technical School Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Doctoral Degree <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Year College Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Master's Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Not Sure
Please check below the subjects you have already taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Algebra <input type="checkbox"/> Algebra I <input type="checkbox"/> Algebra II <input type="checkbox"/> Geometry <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Calculus <input type="checkbox"/> Calculus <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None of these
Please check below the subjects you have already taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated Physics & Chemistry (IPC) <input type="checkbox"/> Biology <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> Physics <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None of these
Please check below the subjects you have already taken: <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> French <input type="checkbox"/> Latin <input type="checkbox"/> Italian <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese <input type="checkbox"/> German <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None of these

**Release of Student School Records**

I authorize the Upward Bound Math & Science Program at Texas Tech University to access and/or receive copies of my student's academic transcripts, grade reports, report cards, test scores, and any other academic information and test results necessary to complete the application process.

Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

## PART II RECOMMENDATION

(To be completed by a Teacher/Counselor)

Texas Tech University  
[upwardboundmathscience@ttu.edu](mailto:upwardboundmathscience@ttu.edu)  
 Mail: PO Box 45065 Lubbock, TX 79409  
 Drop Off: 2518 15th Street Lubbock, TX 79409

Dear Teacher/Counselor:

The student listed below is applying for admission into the Upward Bound Math & Science (UBMS) Program at Texas Tech University. Your assessment of the student's conduct, character, and academic need for program services is integral to the admission process. Please give us your professional assessment of this student's desire and ability to learn and enroll in college and pursue a STEM-related degree. Please return this completed form to the student to submit with his/her completed application packet. Please contact the UBMS office at 806-834-7628 or via email at upwardboundmathscience@ttu.edu if you have any questions or need additional information. Thank you for your cooperation.

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Class/Course Subject \_\_\_\_\_ Current Class Grade \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT'S CHARACTERISTICS	EXCELLENT	AVERAGE	FAIR	POOR
Conduct in Class				
Willingly Participates in Class				
Respects Others and their Property				
Ability to Follow Instructions				
Completes Assigned Work on Time				
Study Skills/Habits				
Analytical Thinking Skills				
Maturity/Integrity				
Eager to Learn New Things				
Demonstrates Motivation to Complete a 6-Week Summer Component				
STUDENT'S NEED FOR PROJECT SERVICES	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	SOMEWHAT AGREE	DO NOT AGREE
Would Benefit from UBMS College Preparatory Services				

Please provide comments on motivation, behavior, personality, strengths, or weaknesses pertinent to the student's performance in the Upward Bound Math & Science Program. Additional comments may be written on the back.

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 Teacher/Counselor Printed Name & Title

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 Email Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Teacher/Counselor Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

## PART III PARENT INFORMATION

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**PART IV PARENT APPLICATION**

(To be completed by Parent/Guardian)

Student's Name:	Current School & Grade Level:
Mother's Name:	Father's Name:
Mother's Cell Phone Number:	Father's Cell Phone Number:
Has Mother received a 4-year degree from a college or university? _____ Yes _____ No	Has Father received a 4-year degree from a college or university? _____ Yes _____ No

1. Number of people living in your household? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is your taxable income\* for the preceding year? \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please note that taxable income is lower than adjusted gross income and can be found on most tax returns. Please contact us at 806 – 834 - 7628 if you do not file taxes or have any questions about locating this information.

I certify that the information provided on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Records Authorization**

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Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_