

2009 – 10 SENIOR YEAR UB EXPECTATIONS CONTRACT

The following are expectations for your participation in Upward Bound during the school year. Please note that the big Four UB guidelines outlined in the summer program are also in effect throughout the academic year programming as well. By signing below, you indicate that you will make every attempt to meet these expectations. Failure to meet any of these expectations may result in probation or dismissal from the program. Until that time, we expect that you will:

- √ Attend school on a regular basis and remain in GOOD academic standing (GPA of 3.0 or better). All students must also be enrolled in at least 2 college preparation classes each quarter.
- √ Demonstrate a consistently good effort in all of your classes. Specifically you agree that if you earn a grade of (C-) or below in any class during a marking period you will complete UB weekly monitoring forms until grade is brought back to a C or better as evidenced by your next progress report.
- √ Attend & participate in weekly center meetings at your school.
- √ If you cannot attend a meeting it is your responsibility to contact your ISC and set up a time to meet individually. Any student who fails to keep in regular contact with their ISC & center will be placed on program probation or may be asked to leave the program. In addition, any student who is employed after school should make arrangements to begin work after your center meeting.
- √ Attend and participate in Saturday Meetings.
- √ Complete Quarterly Goal Sheets and Personal Learning Plans
- √ Attend the NEACAC Fall College Fair or similar experience
- √ Retake the SAT exam in the Fall if necessary
- √ Complete ALL UB Monthly Assignments including 3 College Applications, Guidance Meeting Worksheet and all other Senior Challenge Assignments.
- √ Furnish the UB office with copies of your SAT exam scores, college applications, college acceptance letters, and college financial aid award letters
- √ Attend the UB/VSAC Financial Aid Workshop in January 2010
- √ Complete the Federal & State Financial Aid Applications BEFORE March 1, 2010 and provide the UB office with copies of each. (UB will also need a copy of your SAR)
- √ Seek help from your ISC and the UB office staff as soon as the need arises

In Return, You Can Expect From Upward Bound

- √ Opportunity to develop new leadership skills & attend student conferences and workshops
- √ Opportunity for college & financial aid application support for you and your family
- √ Opportunity to participate in year round cultural, educational, and social activities
- √ Opportunity to participate in college tours as scheduled by Upward Bound
- √ Opportunity for participation in service learning activities
- √ Opportunity to receive fee waivers for PSAT, SAT & AP exams
- √ Opportunity to earn up to \$500 stipend award for participation in the 2009 summer program and additional stipends up to \$40 per quarter during the academic school year. ALL UB assigned work must be completed to earn stipends.
- √ Opportunity to earn High School PE credit for participation in summer program
- √ Opportunity to receive SAT preparation services

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date