

Dear Recommender,

Candidates for Upward Bound should be motivated and committed to work hard in high school, enter college immediately after and complete an AA or BA within 6 years. The goal of the program is to prepare program participants to:

- Complete high school with a competitive GPA
- Take appropriate rigorous coursework
- Pass state tests
- Graduate on time
- Enter college in the fall after HS graduation
- Obtain a Bachelor's Degree or higher

Thank you for your time recommending this student!

Recommender Name: _____ How long have you known applicant: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

School/Organization/Entity: _____ Position: _____

Please rate the student on the following:

	No Basis for Response	Needs Improvement, Encouragement &/or Accountability	Fair	Average	Above Average	Excellent
Attendance Level						
Homework Completion						
Work Ethic						
Study Habits						
Time Management						
Motivation / Demonstrated Effort						
Overall Academic Achievement						
Academic Potential						
Basic Academic Skill						
Test-Taking Results						
Behavior						
Independent Worker						
Ability to Work on a Team						
Current Leadership Ability						
Leadership Potential						
Communication Skills - Verbal						
Communication Skills - Written						
Critical Thinking Skills						
Problem Solving Ability						
Problem Solving Potential						
Self Esteem						

Additional Comments:

I certify I am the individual who has completed this recommendation form.

Recommender's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____