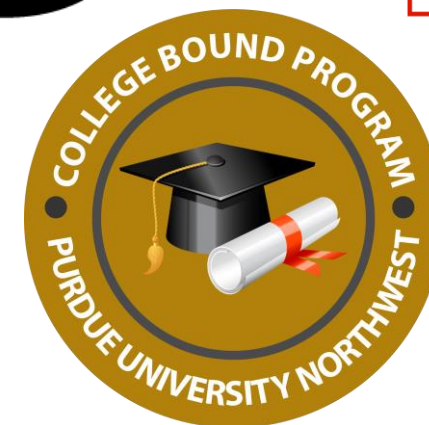


Educational Opportunity Programs

TRIO



Wider Impact

- Focused on reducing the achievement and income gap for first-generation, low-income, and underrepresented students.
- High impact practices aimed at bridging social and cultural gaps. Creating second generation college families.
- Intentionally employs staff who have succeeded in overcoming barriers similar to those confronting our students, including bilingual staff (Spanish)
- Creates programming aimed at helping students meet criteria for Graduation Pathways

What is TRIO?

- TRIO is a set of programs targeted to serve and assist low-income, first-generation college students to progress through the **academic pipeline from middle school to postbaccalaureate programs**.
- **Higher Education Act** of 1965, part of Lyndon B. Johnson's War on Poverty. Nationally, since 1965 an estimated two million students have graduated from college with the assistance and support of the TRIO programs.
- **Pre-College**
Upward Bound (1965), Educational Talent Search (1984, 1991)
- **College**
Student Support Services (1986), McNair Achievement Program (1989)

\$2.1
million

Upward Bound

What services do we offer?

- Upward Bound provides academic support and tutoring in literature, composition, mathematics, science, and foreign language.
 - **Earn college credits** (at no cost to family)
 - College and career exploration
 - ACT/SAT Prep Bootcamp
 - College visits (virtual and campus tours)
 - College application guidance
 - Financial literacy, including FAFSA and scholarship assistance
 - 4 week summer academy that models a dynamic college experience
 - **Stipends for participation – year-round!**
- Program targeted to 9th-12th grade students; be US citizen or permanent resident

Upward Bound

Current School Partnerships

- Westside Leadership Academy
- Thea Bowman Leadership Academy
- Calumet New Tech HS
- Morton HS
- Clark HS
- Hammond HS
- East Chicago Central HS



130
students

Interested in becoming a school partner?

Please contact Catalina Rodriguez or Ronnell DuBose

Upward Bound – Summer 2021

Recruitment – Still accepting applications!

<https://www.pnw.edu/educational-opportunity-programs/upward-bound/application/>

Summer option available upon admission into the program.

Upcoming Summer Residential Program (June 14 - July 9) – Hammond campus

- Simulation of being an on-campus college student
- COVID-19 Protocol in place for duration of program
- Open to 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th
- **Students will receive a stipend, paid tuition, meals, and housing**



Educational Talent Search

What services do we offer?

- College and career exploration, including internship opportunities
 - Male and Female Mentoring Programs
 - 21st Century Scholar Enrollment
 - Access to Tutoring/Mentoring
 - Academic Goal Setting and Planning
 - ACT/SAT Test Prep & Fee Waivers
 - College visits (virtual and campus tours)
 - College application guidance
 - Student Success Tracking
 - FAFSA and scholarship assistance
- Program targeted to 6th -12th grade students (Age 12 and up); be US citizen

Educational Talent Search

Current School Partnerships for Hammond program

- Hammond HS
- Gavit MS
- Gavit HS
- Clark MS/HS
- Morton HS
- Scott MS
- Eggers MS
- Calumet New Tech HS
- East Chicago Central HS
- Block MS

1,422
students

Current School Partnerships for Westville program

- River Forest Junior High
- River Forest Senior High
- Knox MS
- Knox HS
- North Judson MS
- North Judson HS
- Barker MS
- Krueger MS
- Michigan City HS
- Portage HS

Educational Talent Search Summer 2021

Still accepting applications!

- <https://www.pnw.edu/educational-opportunity-programs/educational-talent-search-westville/>
- <https://www.pnw.edu/educational-opportunity-programs/educational-talent-search-hammond/>

Students will have the opportunity to earn cash!

- June – August virtual programming
- **Eligible to earn up to \$180 for participation**
- **Driver's Education Program (Hammond only)**



Save the Date

21st Century Collegiate Scholars Program

Assists and supports Scholars in their college experience at Purdue Northwest. Services provided include academic monitoring, one on one tutoring, success coaching, scholarship support from fulfilling requirements to filing appeals for non-awards, informational workshops and providing volunteer opportunities.

<https://www.pnw.edu/educational-opportunity-programs/21st-century-scholars/>

Summer Programming:

- **21st Century Scholar Registration and Family Day** – May 20 (Westville) & May 22 (Hammond). More information to follow!
- **Leadership Institute** – June 14-17, 2021

Link: <https://www.pnw.edu/event/21st-century-scholars-freshmen-and-sophmores/>



Power Onward with PNW

Want a closer look at Purdue University Northwest? Join our **Virtual Preview PNW** to walk through the admissions process, learn about majors that interest you and explore opportunities for scholarships and financial aid!

Saturday, April 24

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

To register: <https://discover.pnw.edu/register/?id=1db82fec-986e-4033-8f21-154801ae9058>

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