Fall

## Mineral Area College TRiO Programs

2021

# UPCOMING EVENTS

November – Seniors should complete their FAFSA applications. Seniors who have not completed their FAFSA should schedule a time to attend Upward Bound's Pie & Apply FAFSA Night on Nov. 16th!

**November 1st**—Competitive Scholarship Deadline: S&T

**November 5th**—Deadline to Register for Dec. 11th ACT

**November 15th**– Mizzou priority application deadline

November 16th - Pie & Apply FAFSA Night

**December 1st**– SEMO and Missouri S&T priority application deadlines

December 3rd & 4th - Friday & Saturday Program

**December 11th**– ACT Test Day **January 8th**– Saturday Program

## Seniors - It's Time to Apply

Get ready! Fall is an extremely busy time if you are Senior. You have many items on your checklist which need to be addressed if you want to improve your chances of getting into your preferred college and being awarded scholarships.

Apply for the FAFSA as soon as possible. It is your gateway to financial aid such as the Pell Grant and subsidized loans which are loans that do not need to be paid back immediately. If you were unable to complete the FAFSA at your school, Upward Bound has the Pie & Apply FAFSA Night on November 16th at the North College Center at MAC. You can schedule your appointment by emailing your advisor or calling the UB office at 573-518-2156. Remember that you and your parents will need to create an FSA ID and you will need their most recent tax information (2020 tax returns) to apply for financial aid for the 2022-2023 academic year. Also, if you decide to apply for STEP your parents should provide their 2019 tax returns to apply for the 2021-2022 academic year which includes the upcoming Summer program.

It is also critical that you know the priority deadlines for applying to your colleges. Many colleges have deadlines coming up in November. The best way to find out the most accurate information about when and how to apply is to navigate directly to your college's website. There, you should have clear instructions on how to apply online and have access to information on applying for scholarships. If you have any questions, please ask your advisor.





- Central Band Members Placed 2nd at Ste. Genevieve Band Invitational as well as caption awards for Outstanding Music and Outstanding Auxiliary: Elisabeth Barrington, Joshua Richardson, Kiersten Wiggs, Katarina Oliver, and Kaylie Green
- Kiersten Wiggs—Accepted to Northwest Missouri State, Missouri State, and Drury University
- Carly French Accepted to Drury, Missouri State, and Rockhurst University
- Hannah Stokes—Accepted to Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
- Victoria Aldgridge—Accepted to Jefferson College



BETHANY BRIDGEMAN
GABRIELA DELAPAZ
JUSTIN HARRIS
BILLY KENUAM
PARKER RAWSON
EMILY PEARSON
ALEIGHA WADLOW
ALYSSA WIGGS

October Saturday Program at the Bonne Terre Mines!







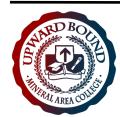












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The mission of Upward Bound at Mineral Area College is to serve eligible high school students by providing academic enrichment, cultural experiences, and a support network to ensure their success in attaining a four year college degree.

#### A Federally Funded Program

The Mineral Area College Upward Bound I program is a TRIO program funded with a five-year, \$1,495,566 grant from the U.S. Department of Education. This represents 100% of the program cost. Mineral Area College provides 25% of indirect costs to support the program.

The Mineral Area College Upward Bound II program is a TRIO program funded with a five-year, \$1,298,771 grant from the U.S. Department of Education. This represents 100% of the program cost. Mineral Area College provides a portion of indirect costs to support the program.

Upward Bound is one of five programs established by Congress to help low-income, first-generation students enter college and graduate. These programs are referred to as the TRIO programs.

For more information on Upward Bound I or II or for information on how to apply, contact the Upward Bound office located at Mineral Area College, (573) 518-2156. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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