

Welcome back to school!



Upward Bound and
Talent Search
Fall 2024 Newsletter



LETTER FROM THE STAFF

Welcome back to another school year! Whether you are returning or joining us for the first time, we are grateful that you are part of our TRIO programs. Our programs are dedicated to supporting and enriching your educational experiences. We believe that every student has the potential to achieve amazing things, and we are here to provide the tools, resources, and encouragement needed to help you reach your educational goals. This fall, we have an array of exciting events planned along with our regular school year services.

Education is a journey, and we are here to walk alongside you every step of the way. Your success is our success, and we are here to cheer you on, offer guidance, and celebrate your accomplishments.

Thank you for being part of these programs. Let's make it a fantastic year ahead!

Important Dates

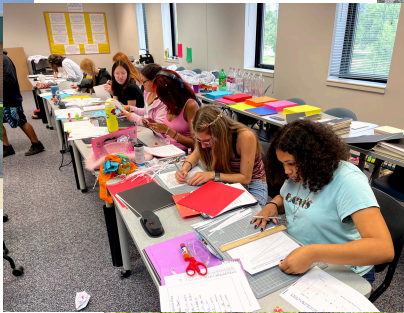
- Available ACT Test Day - September 14
- College Fair - September 17
- College Application Week - September 30 - October 12
- Shadow Day with Montana State University - October 17
- Available ACT Test Day - October 26
- Available ACT Test Day - December 14

Academic Policy

As you meet with your advisor at the beginning of the school year, be prepared to discuss the program's academic policy.

Summer Highlights

TAKE A LOOK AT WHAT WE DID THIS SUMMER!



Talent Search and Upward Bound students enjoyed a summer full of fun, educational activities including...

- watching movies at the Art House Cinema
- touring local businesses like Wood's Powr-Grip and Dan Walt Gardens
- rock climbing at Steep World
- writing poetry at Tippet Rise Art Center
- volunteering at ZooMontana
- white-water rafting in Missoula
- touring Montana Tech, University of Montana Western, and University of Montana
- conducting various science experiments
- drones workshop

Upcoming Events

Please contact our office to sign up for all events!

Event details will be communicated after you sign up for the activity.

AUTHORSHIP AND BUSINESS AT THIS HOUSE OF BOOKS SEPTEMBER 25TH 5PM-7PM

A manager from one of our local bookstores, This House of Books, will speak about publishing books, diversity, and running a successful business. Limit to 20 students.

SATURDAY LIVE SEPTEMBER 28TH 10AM-4PM

Volunteers needed! We're looking for some high school students to help work a booth for Saturday Live. Come hang out with us and pass out candy, assist with the activity, and tell people why you love being part of TRIO.

DENVER COLLEGE TOUR TRIP OCTOBER 16TH-19TH

Join us to tour some colleges in Denver, Colorado! Explore what it would be like to earn the opportunity to attend a college in Colorado while experiencing different cultural activities in the city. A majority of the colleges we will be visiting are part of the Western Undergraduate Exchange, which is a more affordable out of state option.

Space is limited to 24 spots, so fill out the form via the QR code below to apply. Applications are due September 18th. Late applications will not be considered. Selection will be based on age, attendance, grades, and behavior.

*High school students only



MOVIE NIGHT AT THE HANGAR OCTOBER 29TH 7PM-10PM

We'll enjoy a spooky movie at an airplane hangar! The hangar belongs to the Experimental Aircraft Association, Chapter 57. It was formerly owned by Apollo astronaut, Colonel Frank Borman, and houses a museum of his private collection of aviation memorabilia and is home to many student aviation projects. Bring a blanket and/or a pillow! Snacks will be provided. Limit to 40 students.

MOSS MANSION HOLIDAY DECORATING NOVEMBER 6TH 4PM-6PM

Love putting up holiday decorations? We'll spend an afternoon exploring the exquisite, historic mansion and decorating for the holiday season. Limit to 20 students.

HOLIDAY CARD DECORATION DECEMBER 7TH 10AM-12PM

Join us for a morning of making holiday cards for the residents of St. John's nursing home.

DRONES DAY JANUARY 18TH 10AM-12PM

Learn how to fly drones on campus at MSUB! We'll have a guest who will teach us about the details of working with a drone. Limit to 20 students.



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