



HAMLIN UNIVERSITY UPWARD BOUND MATH & SCIENCE PROGRAM

2006 SUMMER PROGRAM NOMINATION FORM

Dear High School Teacher:

The student named on the reverse side of this form is applying for acceptance into the Upward Bound Math and Science Program and is requesting that you fill out this form. Only applicants with **completed** nominator forms will be considered.

The Century College/ Hamline University Upward Bound Math & Science Program has been in existence for fifteen years. Fifty high school students enroll and participate in a six-week residential summer program. In addition, an academic year program is also available for participants.

The overall goal of the program is to serve economically disadvantaged and/or potential first generation college students. The staff has developed an intensive hands-on math and science curriculum. The programs target student who either have an aptitude or interest in math and science. We particularly embrace students who have demonstrated a need for an academically intrusive and nurturing environment. This year's program will take place from June 25 through August 6, 2006.

As you answer the questions on the reverse side, please keep in mind the qualities and characteristics we expect in exceptional candidates. These include:

1. Consistent class attendance.
2. Punctuality in arriving to class and in turning in required assignments.
3. Motivation to finish high school.
4. Respect of self, others and surrounding environment.
5. Integrity and honesty in dealing with others.
6. Desire to attend and complete a post-secondary academic program.
7. Grade level proficiency in reading and math, or the ability to achieve grade level.

Please be candid in your answers. If you have questions, need additional information, would like to schedule a presentation at your school or have another student who might benefit from our program, please call 651-523-2235 to speak personally to me. Since we select a limited number, it is our desire to choose those students with the combined characteristics of greatest need and potential for success. Thank you in advance for your time and cooperation.

Wendy M. Burns, Director
Upward Bound Math and Science Program

I, _____ by signing below, do hereby waive my right to view this nominator form once it has been completed by the nominator. I understand that if I do not sign, I retain my legal right to view this document.

Applicant's Signature

Date

HAMLINE UNIVERSITY UPWARD BOUND MATH & SCIENCE PROGRAM INSTRUCTOR NOMINATOR FORM

Applicant's Name

Date

Nominator's Name

1. How long have you known this student? _____

2. What is/was the title of the class the student was in? _____

3. What sort of class attendance does this student have? (Please check).

Perfect Attendance Missed 1-2 days semester/quarter Missed 3-9 days
Missed 1-2 days/ week Missed more than 2 days/ week Unknown

4. When the student is absent, does she/he do makeup work assigned? Yes No

5. What is the grade this student is currently earning in your class?

A+ A A-/B+ B
B-/C+ C C-/D+ D or lower

What is the highest grade you award? _____

For questions 6 to 9, please circle your numerical responses, circle NA for not applicable or Unknown if not known.

6. What is the student's level of class participation?

Frequently 1 2 3 4 5 Never NA Unknown

7. How well does the student get along in the classroom?

Very well 1 2 3 4 5 Poorly NA Unknown

8. How much effort does this student put into your class?

Maximum effort 1 2 3 4 5 Minimum effort NA Unknown

9. What is the nature of this student's class work and homework assignments?

Very high quality 1 2 3 4 5 Very poor quality NA Unknown
All work turned in 1 2 3 4 5 No work turned in NA Unknown
All work is on time 1 2 3 4 5 Work is always late NA Unknown

10. Have you had any behavioral or discipline problems with this student? Yes No

If yes, how often? Once Occasionally Continually

Please briefly describe the nature of this/these problem(s): _____

11. Has the student given you an indication of hi/her educational and/or career plans? Yes No

If yes, what are they? _____

12. Is there any additional evidence that you can offer that would make this student a particularly strong candidate for our program? _____

Please attach additional sheets if necessary

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY MAY 15, 2006 TO:

Upward Bound Math & Science Program
Hamline University
c/o Dean of Students Office
1536 Hewitt Avenue
Saint Paul, MN 55104
