



Education by Engagement



Northern Vermont
UNIVERSITY

UPWARD BOUND | Northern Vermont University- Johnson

The **Upward Bound Program** at Northern Vermont University in Johnson, Vermont holds the philosophy that a college education makes a difference in life. The program is dedicated to identifying, recruiting, and assisting first generation, modest income students who show the academic potential, desire, and motivation to attend college. The program, which has been assisting students near and around Northern Vermont since 1971, currently serves 102 students from seven different high schools!

- **FREE College Bound Services**
- **Weekly Center Meetings at Your High School**
- **Summer Residential Academic Program**
- **College Tours and Visits**
- **Scholarships & Financial Aid Workshops**
- **Career & Leadership Development**
- **Dual Enrollment opportunities**
- **SAT Preparation & MORE**

Are you eligible?

Our students must meet one out of the two following guidelines:

1. **You are a first generation college high school student**
 - This means neither of your parents or guardians has completed a 4 year degree
- AND/OR
1. **Come from a modest income household**
 - Meaning your families yearly income is below the national poverty level as determined by the U.S. government

"Upward Bound is a community where we all strive for the same goals college. Being surrounded by a community of people who are focused upon accomplishing their goals, is so motivating. You can actively access your peers as well as the staff around you as resources to learn from them and make yourself feel more at ease."

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