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# UPWARD

## **We Move**



The Upward Bound students are committed to providing community service. The students are well aware of the importance of giving back to the community. In December 2017, the Upward Bound students visited the residents of Pruitt Healthcare Center, Riverside Healthcare Center, and The Oaks to celebrate the meaning of Christmas with the residents. It was truly a joyous and satisfying occasion for the students to interact and be able to put smiles on the residents' faces.

***PROUD TO BE AN UPWARD BOUNDER !!***  
*Upward Bound students, class of 2016, pose in front of the Jonas T. Kennedy Health and Physical Education Center as they prepare for their Upward Bound graduation.*

The Claflin University Upward Bound Program is in compliance with Title IV A-4 of the Higher Education Amendments of 1986, Pub. L.99-498 and other equal opportunities for admission and employment. This program is open to eligible students without regard to race, national origin, religion, age, physical disability or sex.

# BOUND

## **For Success**

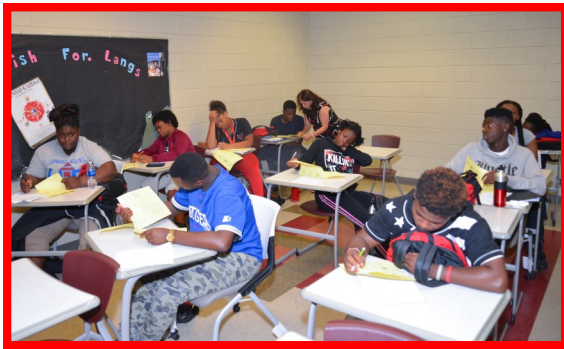
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**TRIO**  
UPWARD BOUND

# Claflin University Upward Bound (CUUB)—Orangeburg, South Carolina

## CUUB GOAL

The Upward Bound Program at Claflin University is designed to generate in program participants the skills and motivation necessary to complete a program of secondary education and to enter and succeed in a program of post-secondary education.



*Upward Bound students learning and working in the Foreign Language class. French and Spanish*

## TWO MAJOR COMPONENTS

### ◆ **SUMMER RESIDENTIAL**

During the summer, all participants must live on Claflin University's campus. Participants will spend weekends at home.

### ◆ **ACADEMIC YEAR**

During the academic year, participants must attend Upward Bound meetings two Saturdays per month and attend school tutoring according to need.

## How can I sign up?

Request an application through your School Guidance Counselor. Return the completed application to the Upward Bound Office by March 31, 2017. To be selected as a participant, a student must:

- ◆ be identified as a potential ***first-generation college student and/or a member of a low-income family with academic potential***
- ◆ must have completed the ninth grade, but have not completed the eleventh grade
- ◆ be enrolled in one of the eight target schools in Orangeburg and Calhoun Counties:
  - Bethune-Bowman High
  - Branchville High
  - Calhoun County High
  - Edisto High
  - Hunter-Kinard-Tyler High
  - Lake Marion High
  - North High
  - Orangeburg-Wilkinson High

## What does Claflin University Upward Bound offer?

- ◆ Guidance, counseling, and personal development which will result in positive self-concepts and motivation to improve academically, plan career goals, and matriculate at post-secondary institutions.
- ◆ Basic skill development in Reading, Mathematics, and Communication is provided to all participants according to need.

- ◆ Assistance with improving grades, and achieving the ACT and SAT scores required for admission into post-secondary institutions.
- ◆ Culturally enriching experiences which include trips you can relate to in your studies and opportunities to express talent and interests through the Fine Arts.
- ◆ Orientation activities that include visits to college campuses and the opportunity to participate in the Bridge Summer Program after high school graduation.
- ◆ Financial Aid assistance includes completing financial aid applications,



*Upward Bound Student Leadership Conference 2017*