

UPWARD BOUND PROGRAM
REND LAKE COLLEGE

COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATION

TO THE STUDENT APPLICANT:

Print your name and grade in the spaces below and give this form to your counselor. Please inform your counselor of your deadline date AND kindly remind him/her that a copy of your transcript must be attached to this form.

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

TO THE COUNSELOR COMPLETING THIS FORM:

Upward Bound is a federally funded educational program designed to motivate and prepare first-generation students (neither parent having a bachelor's degree) and/or students who fall under the income guidelines determined by the U.S. Department of Education with academic potential for post secondary education.

The above named student is interested in participating in the Upward Bound Program at Rend Lake College. *Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge. Your careful evaluation will assist us in gaining a more complete picture of the student applicant.* Please confirm the deadline date with the student.

Please comment on the student's demonstrated need for services provided by RLC Upward Bound.

Please evaluate the student's personal and social skill in each of the following areas:

Maturity _____ Excellent _____ Good _____ Poor

Judgment _____ Excellent _____ Good _____ Poor

Self-discipline _____ Excellent _____ Good _____ Poor

Tact _____ Excellent _____ Good _____ Poor

Academic Commitment _____ Excellent _____ Good _____ Poor

In your opinion, does this student have the academic ability, drive and potential for post-secondary education?

_____ YES _____ NO

Comments: _____

List any available scores on standardized tests of ability or achievement (include the name of the test, the score and the dates taken).

Is the student motivated toward college? _____ YES _____ NO

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

I _____ highly recommend _____ recommend _____ recommend with reservation _____ do not recommend
that this student be admitted to *Rend Lake College's Upward Bound Program*.

Signature _____ Date _____

School _____

*** PLEASE RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM ALONG WITH THE STUDENT'S TRANSCRIPT
AND MOST CURRENT REPORT AND PROGRESS REPORT (S) TO YOUR
SCHOOL'S UPWARD BOUND STUDENT ADVISOR.
THANK YOU!**