## **PROGRAM FACT SHEET**

2017-2018 Academic Year

# UPWARD BOUND

"Upward Bound provides fundamental support to participants in their preparation for college entrance. The program provides opportunities for participants to succeed in their pre-college performance and ultimately in their higher education pursuits. The goal of Upward Bound is to increase the rate at which participants complete secondary education and enroll in and graduate from institutions of post-secondary education." (U.S. Department of Education, 2018).

### **Milestones**

Established: 2017

University of Arizona Pueblo High School Cholla High School Tucson, Arizona Number of Participants: 60

> 35 Pueblo High School 25 Cholla High School

Program Size:

Project Director Project Coordinator Private Investigator 7 Mentor/Tutors 1 Graduate Intern

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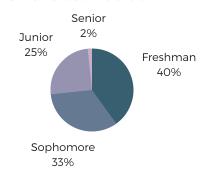
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## **Mission & Vision**

UA Upward Bound/TRIO (UA UB) supports underrepresented, low-income, first-generation high school students through programming that provides student personalized access to Academic Preparation & Field Research Activities, Access to Technology and Scientific Tools, Financial Literacy and Planning, and Socio-cultural Literacy to make higher education a reality for these under-served populations.

## Key Student Characteristics



3.26 Average student GPA
16 of students in AP/Honors:
95% of students on track to
graduate high school on time
100% of students planning to
attend college/university after high
school graduation

## **Program Services**

#### **MENTORING**

- Undergraduate Peers
- 1 on 1 individualized development



#### **TUTORING**

- Undergraduate Peers
- 1 on 1 individualized assistance

#### **SATURDAY ACADEMIES**

- College Workshops
- Cultural Enrichment





## **Summer Program**

- Academic Enrichment
- College Tours

## Student Participation

86.6% participation rate at Saturday Academies.

300 total number of study/tutoring hours logged by students.

26: average of one-on-one meetings with peer mentors per student.



