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EDUCATION IS A RIGHT, NOT A PRIVILEGE!



SUPPORT EDUCATIONAL ACCESS! DEFEND UPWARD BOUND! SAVE TALENT SEARCH! KEEP GEAR-UP!

President Bush proposes to eliminate the Upward Bound, Talent Search and GEAR UP programs from the 2007 federal budget. These programs have brought effective educational services and provided educational opportunity to hundreds of thousands of low-income students for over 40 years. We seek your support in opposing Bush's plan to eliminate these great educational access programs.

What is TRIO Upward Bound and Talent Search? What is GEAR UP?

TRIO Upward Bound and Talent Search are federally funded educational programs for high school and middle school students and military veterans from disadvantaged and/or low-income families. GEAR UP stands for **G**aining **E**arly **A**wareness **R**egarding **U**ndergraduate **P**rograms and helps middle school students develop an awareness of going on to college.

***IF YOU CARE ABOUT ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION,
WE ASK THAT YOU SIGN THIS PETITION***

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