

YES DETROIT! UPWARD BOUND PLEDGE
University of Detroit Mercy

I pledge to maintain the highest academic intentions
Striving at all times to present myself
In a respectable and uplifting manner

I fully accept that my role
As an Upward Bound Student
Requires great focus, sacrifice and dedication

I will endeavor to maintain
Academic and ethical integrity
Believing that my words and work
Are reflections of my character

I will utilize my talents, knowledge and skills
To help myself and others
Always remembering that
Upward Bound is a mission and way of life

It is my goal to acquire higher education
Thereby validating and confirming the purpose of
Upward Bound

I fully understand that my success
Inspires and motivates my own as well as other student's
Potential for success and limitless possibilities

I pledge to show my parents, teachers, community and myself
That I am truly capable of being
The BEST Upward Bound student that I can be

