



SCUP - Syllabus

Purpose

The mission of SCUP is to recognize and value the experiences of community members within the Central Utah Region in order to provide asset-based community outreach programs that increase academic access for student success, enhance economic viability, and facilitate community-based partnerships.

Learning Outcomes

Because students engaged with our department, they can now...

- **After School Early Literacy Programs**
 - ...obtain current reading grade level standards or exceed standards.
- **America Reads & Counts**
 - ...be provided support for academic progress.
- **Private Tutoring**
 - ...successfully complete targeted academic course.
- **Adult Spanish GED**
 - ...successfully complete Spanish GED while learning about future educational options.
- **UVU PREP**
 - ...feel empowered to pursue STEM fields in higher education and career pathways.
- **ARPA Grant Programs**
 - ...demonstrate increased interest and capability in pursuing higher education.

Programs & Services

After School Early Literacy Programs: UVU Work Study students provide free one-on-one tutoring in reading for low-income, 1st-3rd grade students.

America Reads & Counts: Hire and train UVU students who qualify for Work Study as reading and math tutors in the local elementary schools.

Private Tutoring: One-on-one student tutoring to successfully pass selected academic course.

Adult Spanish GED: Spanish-speaking community members attend free Saturday classes in Spanish. (evening tutoring optional)

UVU PREP: Middle School students complete nine advanced STEM courses over three consecutive summers and explore education and career opportunities through first-person STEM industry exposure.

Impact Outcomes

UVU PREP

2013 - Present

middle school students have participated in UVU PREP since 2013.

1094

DEMOGRAPHICS

Of the 1094 UVU PREP participants...

- 38% were students of color.
- 41% identified as female - nearly 20% higher than Utah's current rate of women in STEM fields.

ACADEMIC GAINS

+35%

average annual academic gains in the 9 STEM courses offered at UVU PREP.

ALUMNI SUCCESS

At least 77% of UVU PREP Alumni have enrolled in college. Of those students...

- 90% attended UVU as their first institute of higher education
- 73% of alumni's most recent college enrollment was at UVU
- 28% are likely still in high school and participating in concurrent enrollment

After School Early Literacy Programs

July 2023 - June 2024



My daughter was in second grade and was reading at a first grade level. She graduated from tutoring in third grade and is now reading books above her grade level. She fell in love with reading due to this program.

America Reads & Counts

July 2023 - June 2024

PARTNERS WITH:

- Local Elementary Schools
- Boys & Girls Club of Utah County
- Financial Aid
- AmeriCorps

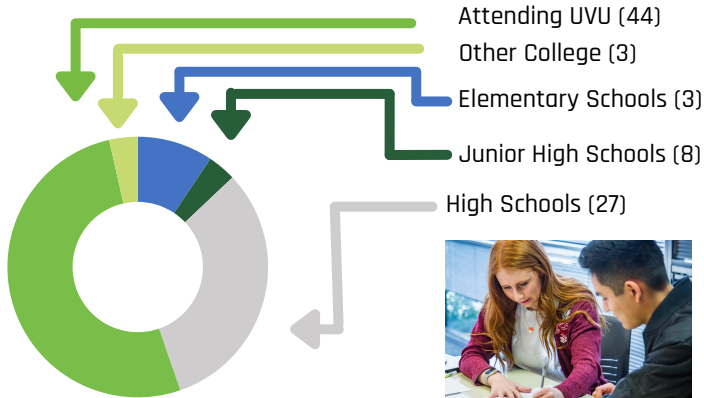
PROVIDED:

- Over 5,000 tutoring sessions to the elementary school students
- Employment for 26 Work Study students
- 5 AmeriCorps educational awards
- Since 2015, 103 Work Study students received education awards
 - Equal to \$129,258.40 toward educational expenses

Private Tutoring

July 2023 - June 2024

STUDENTS TUTORED:



- Attending UVU (44)
- Other College (3)
- Elementary Schools (3)
- Junior High Schools (8)
- High Schools (27)



PROVIDED:

- 85 students with tutoring
- Over 1,250 hours of tutoring

EMPLOYED:

- 28 Private Tutors

Adult Spanish GED

August 2023 - August 2024

60

Students Served

- 11 students passed the Math portion
- 6 students passed the Social Studies portion
- 6 students passed the Science portion
- 8 students completed the GED assessment and have their certification



Alma, a hard-working student and mother of very young children, set out to graduate and aspire to a better position in her restaurant job. When she achieved this, she was excited because despite not having much time for her plans, she made it a reality. Today she is a graduate, and she contacted to comment that she achieved her desired position.

ARPA Grant

Summer 2024

68

students participated in program courses.

PROGRAM PURPOSE

To provide high school students from underserved populations with opportunities for grade-level growth and college preparedness.

DEMOGRAPHICS

Of the 68 participants...

- 82% were students of color.
- 77% identified as female.
- 23% identified as male.
- 86% first generation

STUDENT IMPACT

"I learned a lot...and now I feel more comfortable and confident that I can achieve better things in life. I feel like this program really made me want to go to college and achieve my goals."

95%

of participants now find college to be a realistic option for their future.