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pward Bound Math Science (UBMS) Center, in its 25th year at Wichita State, serves students from schools in Kansas. UBMS selects 74 students who demonstrate a propensity for science, technology, engineering and math (STEM).

Students participate in academic year and summer components focusing on academic preparedness and college preparation. Planned activities that support academic growth and non-cognitive skills remove barriers to postsecondary education and improve college graduation rates among participants.

During the summer, participants attend a curriculumdriven, residential experience. The summer program allows students to bolster interest in STEM and build proficiencies in research. Participants attend courses developed to foster critical thinking, research and experimentation, and presentation skills.



## 2016-2017 Highlights

78 Students Served



Serves High School Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors



13 Students Admitted to Postsecondary Institutions



\$209,000 Awarded Scholarships

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