

**GEAR UP
Parent Survey**

Dear Parents,

GEAR UP is a Federally funded program to help us help your child prepare for college. The Gear Up Incentive Program, for which you completed an application, helps your child begin a College Savings Account if he/she qualifies under the Gear Up rules. Thank you for filling out this survey.

1. Name(s) of student(s) in the 9th grade at Provo High School _____
2. Have you talked with someone about college admissions for your child? Y/N
3. Do you know enough information about college preparation? Y/N
4. What degree aspiration do you have for your child?
 ____ Less than High School Graduate
 ____ High School Graduate only
 ____ Training Certificate
 ____ Associate's Degree
 ____ Bachelor's Degree
 ____ Post Graduate Degree or Professional Degree
5. Main reason why you think your child would NOT continue education after high school.
 ____ NA- my child will continue ____ Not interested
 ____ Costs too high ____ Military service
 ____ Need to work ____ Family issues
 ____ Poor grades ____ Other
6. Are you familiar with college entrance requirements for:
 ____ 2 year college
 ____ 4 year college
 ____ University with Bachelor's and postgraduate degrees
 ____ Vocational, trade or business college
7. Have you talked with your child about attending college? Y/N
8. Have you talked with someone about the availability of financial assistance for your child to attend college? Y/N
9. Do you think your child will be able to afford to attend a 4-year public institution?
 ____ Yes (Definitely or Probably)
 ____ Not Sure
 ____ No (Doubt it or Definitely Not)
10. Have you participated in GEAR UP events at a Middle School? Y/N
11. If you knew that financial aid was available, would you change your plans for your child to attend college? Y/N
12. What is the highest level of education you or your spouse has achieved? _____
13. Does your child qualify for free or reduced lunch? Y/N