

UNSTOPPABLE.

WHAT IS NEXTUP?

The NEXTUP program is dedicated to foster youth's success towards higher education. Identifying and addressing barriers including health and well-being, thereby strengthening independent living and financial literacy skills support.

What services does NextUp provide?

- Academic, career and personal counseling
- Priority registration
- Book grants
- Laptop loan service
- Tutoring
- Scholarship information
- Housing referrals & other related services
- School supplies
- Transportation (U-Pass Service)
- · Weekly meal vouchers
- Peer mentoring

How Do I Qualify?

- 1. Be EOPS eligible
- 2. Be a current or former foster youth
- 3. Be enrolled in at least nine (9) units for Fall. May enroll in six (6), if approved by the OSS program.
- No older than 25 years of age at the beginning of the academic year
- Have been in foster care in California on or after your 16th birthday.

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