



## Kansas State University Honors Program Application for Admission Instructions

The general criteria for admission to the University Honors Program are:

- A high school (weighted or unweighted) GPA of 3.75
- An ACT score of 28 or above
- Submitting an application form with an accompanying essay/project (see below)
- One letter of support from teacher/counselor/individual familiar with your record

Students who have notable extracurricular experience and/or leadership activities and who, for whatever reason, do not quite achieve the GPA and ACT cutoffs are still encouraged to apply. Also, because of the high quality and number of applicants, meeting the above criteria does not necessarily guarantee admission. All components of the application are used to reach a final decision.

Please use the following steps to complete your application. Completed applications will be evaluated upon receipt and applicants will be notified of a decision as soon as possible.

1. Fill out the application form with your background information. This form is available on this website. You can submit the form as a hard copy (University Honors Program, 7 Leasure Hall, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS 66506-3500) or submit it electronically to [ksuhonors@ksu.edu](mailto:ksuhonors@ksu.edu).
2. Using your imagination, thought, and creativity provide a one page (8 ½ x 11) supplement to your application form. You are free to put anything on this page that you feel expresses your desire and ability to be a part of an exciting honors program. Rather than sending three dimensional objects, you may send CD-ROMs, DVDs, electronic files, slides, videotapes, etc. with the written description. Be sure your name is clearly indicated on all your materials. Please note that these materials will not be returned.
3. Request that one letter of support be filled out by an individual from your school, K-State, or someone who can attest to your qualifications for admittance to the University Honors Program. A form for the letter can be found on this website. Note that we are asking specifically about their evaluation of you as a potential honors student and that their letter should be focused on this issue. Be sure that the letter is sent to the University Honors Program, 7 Leasure Hall, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS 66506-3500. *This letter cannot be sent electronically.*

Review of applications is done on a rolling basis. We will notify you of a decision as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please feel free to email us ([ksuhonors@ksu.edu](mailto:ksuhonors@ksu.edu)), call (785-532-2642), or write using the address mentioned

above.