

Honors Scholarship Application



Deadline: January 15, 2011

Applications must be received in the Admissions Office prior to 5 p.m. on January 15, 2011 to be eligible for consideration. Applicants must score 27 or higher on the ACT (1210 or higher on the SAT) and possess a 3.2 HS CGPA.

Please type all responses.

Mr.
Ms. _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

High School _____ Grad. Yr. _____

Class Rank _____ of _____ ACT/SAT Score _____ GPA _____

High School Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parents _____

Parent's Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please list three references. Two of the three must submit letters of recommendation. One letter must be from an instructor.

Instructor _____ School Phone (____) _____

School Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Guidance Counselor _____ School Phone (____) _____

School Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Pastor/Mentor/Employer/Community Leader _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

ESSAY: Part One

(250 words, typed, double-spaced, attached to application)

"The University of Sioux Falls is a Christian Liberal Arts college. What are some ways you can live and learn in this environment, and what contributions can you make to that environment?"

ESSAY: Part Two

(750 words, typed, double-spaced, attached to application)

"You have an opportunity to be an invisible observer at an historic event for one day. Although you cannot change the course or the outcome of the event, you will be able to bring back with you to the present all the insights you gain from being an observer. Discuss/explain which historic event you would most like to witness and why you think being at that event would help you make an important contribution to the future."

Application checklist:

- ____ 1. Apply to USF and be accepted as a full-time student.
- ____ 2. Submit Honors Scholarship Application Form.
- ____ 3. Submit official 7th semester high school transcript (3.2 HS CGPA or higher).
- ____ 4. Submit official ACT/SAT results (27 ACT/1210 SAT or higher).
- ____ 5. Submit list of courses to be completed during the applicant's senior year.
- ____ 6. Submit résumé (a 1-2 page document demonstrating achievement, leadership, involvement, and community service, attached to application).
- ____ 7. Submit two letters of recommendation (one must be from an instructor).
- ____ 8. Complete Essay: Part One and Part Two (250 words each, typed, double-spaced, attached to application).
- ____ 9. Successful completion of an on-campus interview on Saturday, February 19, 2011.

The application deadline for all scholarship requirements is 5 p.m., January 15, 2011.

My signature indicates that I have reviewed the components/requirements of the USF Honors Scholarship Program and verify that this application is an accurate representation of my work.

Signature

Date

Return form to: University of Sioux Falls Admissions Office
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