FRESHMAN ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

On your application, you will select whether you want your application to be reviewed with a test score or without a test score. The admission criteria for each choice is below. Once you submit your application, you will not be able change your admissions review selection.

### WITH TEST SCORE

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<th>SAT</th>
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<td>Top 10%</td>
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<td>11 – 25%</td>
<td>1080</td>
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<td>26 – 50%</td>
<td>1170</td>
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### WITHOUT TEST SCORE

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<th>CLASS RANK</th>
<th>CALCULATED UNWEIGHTED GPA**</th>
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<td>Top 10%</td>
<td>No Minimum</td>
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<td>3.4 or higher</td>
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**This unweighted GPA will be calculated by the University of Houston (out of a 4.0 scale) using the grades submitted by PDF transcript upload or self-report. Extracurricular classes won’t be included.

Admission requirements are different for international students.
For more information, visit uh.edu/international.

MAJORS WITH ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS
Some majors have additional requirements on top of the ones listed above. Majors with additional requirements are indicated with a +. For more information, visit uh.edu/freshman-majors-ar.
APPLICATION DEADLINES

Spring 2021
December 1, 2020

Summer 2021
May 3, 2021

Fall 2021
May 31, 2021

Fall 2021 Scholarship Priority Deadline
November 1, 2020 (Transcript info is due by November 4, 2020)

CODES

FAFSA: 003652
SAT: 6870
ACT: 4236

APPLICATION PROCESS

1 APPLY ONLINE
Go to applytexas.org or commonapp.org to apply. This is where you'll indicate whether you want to be reviewed with a test score or without a test score.

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**ESTIMATED TUITION AND FEES**

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<th>NON-RESIDENT</th>
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<td>Tuition</td>
<td>$10,561</td>
<td>$25,831</td>
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<td>Required Fees</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$11,569</strong></td>
<td><strong>$26,839</strong></td>
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Tuition and fees are based on two 15-hour semesters in the 2020-2021 academic year. This is an estimate as costs may vary based on your academic college. Use our tuition and fee calculator at [uh.edu/undergrad-calculator](http://uh.edu/undergrad-calculator). See if you qualify as a Texas resident at [uh.edu/residency](http://uh.edu/residency).

*Indirect expenses, not paid to the University of Houston, will vary based on individual choices.

**SCHOLARSHIPS**

Complete your admissions application by the priority scholarship deadline, **11/1/20**, and complete your FAFSA by that same date to maximize your award. Some scholarships may require an additional application. Check out [uh.edu/scholarships](http://uh.edu/scholarships) for other University, foundation, state, and private scholarships.

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<td>Academic Excellence</td>
<td>Up to $6,000 per year; renewable up to 4 years</td>
<td>Varies from year-to-year. For Fall 2020, the avg awardee had a 1320 SAT or 29 ACT and top 11% class rank</td>
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<td>National Merit</td>
<td>Full tuition &amp; fees up to 4 years + research/study abroad stipend eligibility</td>
<td>National Merit Finalists</td>
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<td>Tier One</td>
<td>Full tuition &amp; fees up to 4 years + 2 years on-campus housing &amp; meal plan + research/study abroad stipend eligibility</td>
<td>Varies from year-to-year. For Fall 2020, the avg awardee had a 1400 SAT or 30 ACT and top 10% class rank. Includes an additional selection process.</td>
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**COUGAR PROMISE**

We’ll cover tuition and fees for those with an adjusted gross family income at or below $65,000. Tuition support is provided for those with an adjusted gross family income between $65,001 and $125,000. You must be a Texas resident and submit the FAFSA by the priority deadline of **1/15/21**. More information can be found at [uh.edu/cougarpromise](http://uh.edu/cougarpromise).

**OUT-OF-STATE TUITION WAIVER**

Out-of-state and international students who receive $1,000 or more from various competitive University scholarships may qualify for an out-of-state tuition waiver. This means waiver recipients will pay in-state tuition rates.
PICK YOUR PROGRAM

GERALD D. HINES COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE & DESIGN
Architecture +
Environmental Design*
Industrial Design +
Interior Architecture +
*All new Environmental Design students should select Architecture as their major when applying.

KATHRINE G. MCGOVERN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS
Applied Music +
Art +
Art History +
Dance +
Graphic Design +
Music +
Painting +
Photography/Digital Media +
Sculpture +
Theatre +

C. T. BAUER COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
Accounting +
Entrepreneurship ★★★
Finance ★★★
Management +
Management Information Systems +
Marketing +
Supply Chain Management +
All new students are admitted as Pre-Business. Once you complete the required University and business core classes, you’re able to declare a specific major in business.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
Health ★
Human Development and Family Studies ★
Teaching and Learning ★★★

CULLEN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
Biomedical Engineering ★★★
Chemical Engineering ★★★
Civil Engineering ★★★
Computer Engineering ★★★
Computer Engineering and Analytics +
Construction Engineering +
Electrical Engineering ★★★
Industrial Engineering ★★★
Mechanical Engineering ★★★
Petroleum Engineering ★★★
Systems Engineering +

CONRAD N. HILTON COLLEGE OF HOTEL & RESTAURANT MANAGEMENT
Hotel and Restaurant Management ★★★

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES
African American Studies
American Sign Language Interpreting
Anthropology
Chinese Studies
Communication Sciences and Disorders ★
Communication Studies
Economics
English
Exercise Science ★
Fitness and Sports ★
French
Health Communication ★
History ★
Human Nutrition and Foods
Journalism
Liberal Studies
Media Production
Philosophy
Political Science ★
Psychology ★
Religious Studies
Sociology
Spanish
Sports Administration ★
Strategic Communication
Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
World Cultures and Literatures

COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS
Biomedical and Biophysical Sciences +
Biology ★★★
Chemistry +
Computer Science ★★★
Earth Science +
Environmental Sciences ★★★
Geology +
Geophysics +
Honors Biomedical Sciences +
Mathematical Biology +
Mathematics +
Physics +

COLLEGE OF NURSING
Pre-Nursing ★★★

COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
Biotechnology ★★★
Computer Engineering Technology ★★★
Computer Information Systems +
Construction Management ★★★
Digital Media +
Electrical Power
Engineering Technology ★★★
Human Resources Development +
Mechanical Engineering Technology ★★★
Retailing and Consumer Science +
Supply Chain and Logistics Technology +
Technology Leadership and Innovation Management +

PRE-PROFESSIONAL TRACKS
Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Law
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Optometry
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Veterinary Medicine
These are not majors, but if you choose a pre-professional track, your advisor will work to align your degree plan with prerequisite requirements for professional school.

EXPLORATORY STUDIES
Exploratory Studies is a short-term preparatory major for students still considering their major options and for those admitted because they didn’t meet the specific admissions requirements for their chosen majors. Student Success Advocates will help you make informed career decisions and complete your prerequisite preparation so you can petition to change majors as soon as you are eligible.

Nationally Ranked*
Additional Requirements
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