To: Undergraduate Council
From: Frank "Fritz" Claydon, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Programs and
Computer Facilities
Date: Tuesday, November 14, 2006
Re: Engineering Home School Admissions Requirements

Proposed Change.

Reference: Page 18 of the printed 2005-2007 Undergraduate Catalog and web link
http://www.uh.edu/academics/catalog/general/admis.html#UHreqHS.

Remove Engineering from the 2nd paragraph under Nonaccredited High Schools and
add a sentence to the current paragraph under Nonaccredited High Schools and Home
School Applicants that reads: Engineering majors must also satisfy the engineering
required high school courses and credits.

High School Graduation

Sixth/Seventh Semester Grades:
The university will evaluate and admit applicants based on their record through six
semesters (end of junior year) of high school work. If, on the basis of six semesters’
work, a student does not meet the admission criteria, a decision will be reserved until the
middle of the senior year, when seventh semester grades are available.

Accredited High Schools:
Applicants who have graduated from a high school accredited by either the Texas
Education Agency or the appropriate Regional Association of Schools and Colleges will
be admitted if they meet the outlined requirements.

Nonaccredited High Schools:
Applicants who have graduated from a high school not accredited by either the Texas
Education Agency or the appropriate Regional Association of Schools and Colleges may
be admitted by scoring a minimum of 1180 on the SAT or minimum of 26 on the ACT
and meeting high school academic core requirements. Engineering majors must also
satisfy the engineering required high school courses and credits.

Applicants in this category will not be admitted to the Bauer College of Business, the
undergraduate Computer Science major, or the Cullen College of Engineering, but may
enroll as undeclared majors in the University Studies Division. Admission to those
programs will be dependent on the student’s academic work at the university. Additional
information may be obtained from the office of the college dean representing these areas.
General Education Development

The University recognizes GED tests as the equivalent of high school graduation. An applicant who has passed the GED tests and submits satisfactory SAT or ACT scores may be considered for general admission to the University of Houston. Please contact the Office of Admissions, 713-743-1010, for details.

Home School Applicants

Documentation of non-accredited high school/home schooled students is required for admission in addition to official SAT/ACT scores. Home school applicants may be admitted by scoring a minimum of 1180 on the SAT or 26 on the ACT. Engineering majors must also satisfy the engineering required high school courses and credits.