Applicant FAQs

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INCOMING FRESHMEN

- Can I schedule a visit?
 - The UCF Campus is closed to all except essential UCF Employees, so no visitors are allowed on campus until further notice. You can learn a lot about our program by browsing our website. If you want to learn more about our program, please email us at <u>HonorsAdmissions@ucf.edu</u> and we will be happy to tell you more. Once the University has resumed regular operations, we will be able to schedule visits once more.
 - We are available for Virtual Visits! Please visit the Visit Us page at <u>https://honors.ucf.edu/admissions/visit-us/</u> to learn more about Virtual Visits.
- How do I request a late application?
 - Our incoming class for Fall 2020 is full, and we are no longer accepting late applications.
 Should any space become available, we may invite exceptionally qualified students to apply.
- How do I submit my application?
 - Late applications may be submitted via email to <u>HonorsAdmissions@ucf.edu</u>. The document and ALL attachments must be in .pdf or .doc format; we cannot work with other formats or photographed documents. Late applications are not guaranteed consideration.
- What is the deadline to apply?
 - The deadline was March 31st (postmarked) to guarantee consideration. Applications received after the deadline were considered on a space-available basis.
- What do I do if my school is closed and I cannot get my transcript?
 - Remember that an unofficial transcript is acceptable. If you have an online virtual counselor or grade portal, feel free to send us a copy of what you have there. If you have report cards or grade reports to share with us, feel free to do so.
- How will I receive my application decision?
 - You can check your application status online at https://my.honors.ucf.edu (log in with your UCF NID and password).
- I was deferred. How will I receive my final decision?
 - We have made our final decisions for deferred applicants. You can check your updated status online at <u>https://my.honors.ucf.edu</u> (log in with your UCF NID and password).
- How do I reserve my seat?
 - The seat reservation process can be completed entirely online. There are three steps:
 1) Submit the UCF Enrollment Deposit Form to Undergraduate Admissions
 - (which can be completed online at <u>www.my.ucf.edu</u>), AND
 - 2) Register for a UCF Freshman Orientation session at <u>www.fye.ucf.edu</u>, AND
 - 3) Submit the completed Honors Student Reply Form to

HonorsAdmissions@ucf.edu to accept your seat in Honors.

-If you do not have the Honors Student Reply Form, you can email us at <u>HonorsAdmissions@ucf.edu</u> with the following:

a) Your Name and UCF ID

b) The following statement: "I have submitted the UCF Enrollment Deposit, I am signed up to attend Orientation on ______ (fill in your Orientation date here), and I wish to accept my seat in the Burnett Honors College for Fall 2020."

- You can check your seat confirmation status online at https://my.honors.ucf.edu (log in with your UCF NID and password).
- How can I ask a question?
 - Please email us at <u>HonorsAdmissions@ucf.edu</u> with any questions, and we will respond within 24 hours (during the workweek).

TRANSFER STUDENTS

- How do I request an application?
 - Please email us at <u>HonorsAdmissions@ucf.edu</u> with your name, UCF ID (if known), mailing address, and email address. Please be sure to indicate that you are a transfer student in the email.
- How do I check on my application status?
 - Please email our Honors Admissions Specialist, Ms. Brandy Blue, at Brandy.Blue@ucf.edu.
- What do I do if my school is closed and I cannot get my transcript?
 - Remember that an unofficial transcript is acceptable. If you have an online virtual counselor, transcript, or grade portal, feel free to send us a copy of what you have there.
 - If you have no access to your grades at all, please send us your application without your transcript by the deadline, and send your transcript as soon as you can do so. As long as your application with other materials is received by the deadline, you will be guaranteed consideration.
- How do I submit my application?
 - Since the deadline to apply for transfer students is your first day of classes at UCF, you should be able to mail your application to us as usual. Please continue to check our website for updates as things may change depending on how long campus remains closed.

SECOND YEAR ENTRY APPLICANTS

The deadline for the 2020 application year has passed!

- I submitted my Eligibility Form. How do I get the Second Year Entry Application?
 - Once you have completed the Online Eligibility Form and have confirmed that you are eligible, please email <u>Honors2ndYearEntry@ucf.edu</u> to request the Second Year Entry Application.
- How do I get my Letter of Nomination/Letter of Recommendation?

- Your letter writers are welcome to submit their letters via email to <u>Honors2ndYearEntry@ucf.edu</u>. Please have them include your full name and whether this is the Letter of Nomination or Letter of Recommendation in the email subject line.
- How do I submit my application?
 - Applications may be submitted via email to <u>Honors2ndYearEntry@ucf.edu</u>. Please attach your documents as a .pdf or .doc file; we cannot accept other types of documents or photographs of pictures.
 - Please continue to check the Honors website for updates as things may change depending on the length of the campus closure!
- Can I submit a late Online Eligibility Form for Second Year Entry?
 - **No**, we are not accepting late requests to apply for Second Year Entry.
- Can I submit a late application for Second Year Entry?
 - **No,** we are not accepting late applications for Second Year Entry.
- I applied for Honors Second Year Entry. When will I hear back?
 - Our Second Year Entry Committee will meet before the end of this month to make their decisions. You will receive a decision letter via email by the end of May. Thank you for your patience!