

# **Redwine Honors Program** Application for Current High School Students

Applicants must also apply separately for admission to MSU. If you have not already done so, you may do that here: <u>https://msutexas.edu/admissions/apply.php</u>

Consideration of applications will begin upon receipt of all documents. Please submit all application materials to <u>honors@msutexas.edu</u>, or Redwine Honors Program Midwestern State University, 3410 Taft Blvd., Wichita Falls, TX 76308.

## **Eligibility Criteria:**

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Applicants must meet one of the following requirements:

 A minimum combined SAT score of 1200, excluding writing
 A minimum combined ACT score of 25, excluding writing
 Top 25% of your graduating class
 An IB diploma
 In special cases, other relevant outstanding achievements

Name:							
	First	Middle	Last				
Preferred Nam	e (if different fro	m your first name):		-			
Current Mailir	ng Address:				-		
City		State		Zip	-		
Telephone:							
E-Mail Addres	s:						
Mustangs ID#	(capital "M" follo	wed by 8-digit number): <u>M</u>					
Semester for w	hich you are app	lying (circle semester and fill i	n year): Fall Spr	ring 20			
University clas	sification for first	semester in the Honors Prog	gram (please circle):	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
Anticipated ma	ajor(s) at MSU Te	exas:	Anticipated	date of gradu	ation:		

**Honors Housing Option:** There is an Honors Living-Learning Program (LLP) in Legacy Hall, in which Honors students may reside. Students who elect to live in the Honors LLP receive a \$300.00 discount on housing costs each fall and spring semester. Students interested in the Honors LLP should indicate that they wish to live in the Honors Wing of Legacy Hall on their housing application. Please contact the Office of Residence Life & Housing for the appropriate application and deadline information. The Residence Life web page is located at <a href="https://msutexas.edu/housing/">https://msutexas.edu/housing/</a>

Honors Housing: Are you interested in Honors Housing? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Qualifications: Please provide the Honors Faculty Council with some information regarding your academic qualifications for the Redwine Honors Program.

High School:								
Estimated rank in class: Are you graduating with an IB diploma?					Yes No			
SAT Scores:	TOTAL:	REA	D/WRITE:	MATH:				
ACT Scores:	COMP:	MATH:	SCIENCE:	ENGLISH:	READ:	WRIT:		

List Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) exams you have taken or plan to take. Also, include scores if available:

List concurrent college courses you have taken or plan to take before you arrive at MSU Texas, or attach an unofficial transcript to your application. Be sure to state the name of the university/school(s) and list courses by prefix and course number (ex: Vernon College- ENGL 1301). Include grades if available:

Please list any prior leadership activities or roles you have completed in your school or community.

Please list any prior volunteer service you have completed in your school or community.

Please list any additional special accomplishments such as artistic or scholarly accomplishments, work experience or other relevant qualifications.

Please attach additional pages if you need more space to list AP/IB exams, college coursework, and/or accomplishments.

## Please attach the following to your application:

- 1. Please have one former or current high school instructor send a letter of recommendation by electronic or postal mail.
- 2. If you have received AP, IB, or dual-enrollment course credit, please submit paperwork and/or transcripts to reflect that credit.
- 3. To help us evaluate your application please tell us about yourself and your career and/or academic goals in a one to two page essay. Why are you interested in joining the Redwine Honors Program? If accepted, how would you contribute to the Redwine Honors Program and the broader MSU Texas community? In this essay, please think carefully about your response and present the best case for your acceptance into the program.
- 4. Please submit all application materials to the Honors program:

honors@msutexas.edu or Redwine Honors Program Midwestern State University 3410 Taft Boulevard Wichita Falls, Texas, 76308

#### **Academic Scholarships**

Honors students are eligible for one of two academic scholarships: the Redwine Honors Scholarship and the Redwine Honors Presidential Scholarship.

#### **Redwine Honors Scholarship:**

The Redwine Honors Scholarship is awarded to students of all classifications in amounts up to \$4,000 per academic year, is renewable for up to four years (or 8 semesters), and requires admission to the Honors Program; for eligibility requirements, see the top of the first page. To be considered for scholarship funding for the fall semester, applications must be received or postmarked by January 15<sup>th</sup>.

Would you like to be considered for a financial scholarship? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

## **Redwine Honors Presidential Scholarship:**

Redwine Honors Presidential Scholarship is awarded to five distinguished *incoming high school graduates only* in the amount of \$10,000 per academic year beginning each fall. This scholarship is renewable for up to four years and requires admission to the Honors Program. Recipients must maintain a 3.50 GPA, enroll in a minimum of 15 credit hours each long semester (see above), and complete additional honors program requirements. To be considered for scholarship funding for the fall semester, applications must be received or postmarked by January 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Eligibility Criteria:**

- 1. Applicants must be unconditionally accepted for admission to Midwestern State University.
- 2. Applicants must be incoming freshmen.
- 3. Applicant must be in the top 15% of their graduating class.
- 4. Applicants must meet one of the following:
  - A minimum combined SAT score of 1270, excluding writing
  - A minimum combined ACT score of 27, excluding writing

Would you like to be considered for the Redwine Honors Presidential Scholarship? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE NOTE:** Recipients of the Redwine Honors Scholarship and the Redwine Honors Presidential Scholarship must be enrolled in a minimum of fifteen (15) semester hours per long term, passing a minimum of thirty (30) semester hours prior to the beginning of the next academic year. Additionally, applicants who have been awarded the Priddy Scholarship are not eligible to receive Redwine Honors or Redwine Honors Presidential Scholarships but may participate in the Redwine Honors Program and receive the benefits of all of its associated non-scholarship privileges and perks.

## How did you hear about the Redwine Honors Program?

\_\_\_High School \_\_\_Honors Program Student \_\_Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_MSU Admissions Office \_\_\_Website \_\_\_\_Letter or e-mail from Honors \_\_\_\_Mustangs Rally

According to Senate Bill 1325, TEC 51.969, a person is eligible to receive a scholarship originating from and administered by an institution of higher education or university system if the person is related to a current member of the governing board of the institution only if the scholarship is based on academic merit.

Please review a list of current Midwestern State University Board of Regents members at https://msutexas.edu/regents/index.php

Are you related to any member of the MSU Board of Regents?	Yes	No
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If yes, which board member?