

UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION AND SCHOLARSHIPS

(for degree and nondegree-seeking students)



Please read the attached instructions. Type or use black ink or apply online at admissions.ku.edu. Please do not do both.

- Current high school students: Please provide a self-reported, unofficial copy of your high school transcript and ACT/SAT test scores with this application.
- For U.S. citizens and permanent residents only: If you have attended KU previously, please fill out the application for readmission found online at admissions.ku.edu.

- Scholarship Deadlines: Nov. 1, 2016 – freshman scholarship consideration (for summer and fall degree-seeking applicants only). Feb. 1, 2017 – transfer scholarship consideration (for summer and fall degree-seeking applicants only).
- Final application deadlines (one week before the start of classes): Spring entry: Jan. 10, 2017. Summer entry: May 30, 2017. Fall entry: Aug. 14, 2017.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Legal name: Last First Middle Maiden name or other last names used

Preferred first name (If different from legal name)

Applicant's mailing address City and state ZIP code County, if Kansas

Email address where you'll receive important information about admission and scholarships

Social Security number (optional)

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Home phone: area code and phone number

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Birth date: month/day/year

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month day year

Cell phone: area code and phone number

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Gender: Female Male

RACE AND ETHNIC BACKGROUND (optional)

Are you Hispanic or Latino?

Yes, I am Hispanic or Latino.

No, I am not Hispanic or Latino.

What is your race?
(select one or more races)

American Indian or Alaska Native

Asian

Black or African American

Native Hawaiian
or Other Pacific Islander

White

CITIZENSHIP QUESTIONS:

Are you a U.S. citizen? yes no

If yes, skip to English language question.

If "no," are you approved for or pending U.S. permanent residency? yes no

If "yes," please provide a copy of your card or your application materials.

Please provide your alien registration number if available: _____

If "no," have you been approved for the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)? yes no

If "no," will you have nonimmigrant status (F-1, J-1, H-4, etc.) while at KU? yes no

If "yes," please fill out the international student application. See general instructions for details.

Is English your primary language? yes no

Please note: If English is not your primary language, you will be required to prove English proficiency before being allowed to enroll in regular course work. You will be contacted at a later time with more information about this process.

2. ENROLLMENT STATUS

If you have attended KU previously, please use the application for readmission online at admissions.ku.edu.

When will you enter KU? Semester: Spring Summer Fall Year _____ As a? Freshman Transfer Nondegree-seeking student

If you are applying as a nondegree-seeking student, please note your reason for applying as outlined in the attached instructions.

If you are applying as nondegree-seeking, do you have a bachelor's degree? yes no

Have you ever applied to KU before? yes no If "yes," for what semester and year did you apply? _____

3. AREA OF ACADEMIC INTEREST (degree-seeking students only)

Using the list of majors in the application instructions, please list one major for your proposed program of study. If you are still deciding, please list one of the exploratory tracks listed below. _____

Academic Interest

4. PARENT OR GUARDIAN INFORMATION (optional for applicants who are 21 or older)

Name of parent(s) or guardian(s) _____ Relationship(s) _____

Parent/guardian home address _____ City and state _____ ZIP code _____

Phone: area code [] - [] - []
and phone number [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] []

Email (optional) _____

Do you have immediate family members who are alumni or currently attending KU? yes no

Check and name all that apply:

Parent(s) _____

Sibling(s) _____

Grandparent(s), Great-grandparent(s) _____

What is the highest level of education either parent has attained?

Some High School, No Diploma Earned High School Diploma/GED Some College, No Degree Earned Two-Year Associate's Degree
Bachelor's Degree Master's, Doctorate Degree or Higher Don't know

5. KANSAS RESIDENCY & MILITARY SERVICE

Are you a resident of the state of Kansas? yes no

If "yes," provide dates for any period you have lived in Kansas.

From []/[]/[] to []/[]/[]
month day year month day year

If "yes," list your most recent Kansas address.

Last year, did anyone claim you as a dependent for income tax purposes? yes no

If "yes," please list:

Name

Relationship to you

City and state

Are you a dependent of a KU employee?

yes no

Are you a U.S. military veteran?

yes no

Are you an active duty member of the U.S. Armed Forces?

yes no

Are you a dependent of an active duty member of the U.S. Armed Forces?

yes no

Do you intend to use Montgomery GI Bill education benefits while attending KU?

yes no

6. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

High school Home-school or GED

Name of school

City and state of school

Graduation/GED date

When will or did you take the ACT or SAT?

1st _____

Month/year

2nd _____

Month/year

3rd _____

Month/year

COURSES IN PROGRESS:

Freshmen: Please submit along with your application an unofficial copy of your high school transcript. Below, please list any senior year and college courses not included on your enclosed transcript. **Transfers:** Please list courses you are currently taking and plan to take before entering KU. Attach an extra sheet if necessary.

Course name	Term (Fall, Spring, Summer)	High School or College	Course name	Term (Fall, Spring, Summer)	High School or College
_____			_____		
_____			_____		
_____			_____		
_____			_____		

COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES OR OTHER POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED:

Please list all colleges, universities, vocational, or technical institutions you've attended. Attach extra sheets if necessary. Request that each school send an official copy of the transcript by mail or certified electronic sender to the Office of Admissions. Faxed transcripts sent by the school can be used for admission only (and are considered unofficial). Credits will be evaluated from official transcripts only. **Please note that omitting school information will be grounds for revoking an offer of admission or for dismissal from KU.**

Name of school	City and state	Dates
_____		from <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
_____		from <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
_____		from <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
		month year month year

ESTIMATED COLLEGE CREDITS: Estimate how many college credit hours you have completed as of today. Transfer students with fewer than 24 transferable hours completed must also provide an official copy of the final high school transcript or GED scores and ACT/SAT scores.

Freshman (1-29 hours)
 Sophomore (30-59)
 Junior (60-89)
 Senior (90 or more)
 Do you have an undergraduate degree?
 yes
 no

WORK EXPERIENCE (required if you are not currently attending high school or a postsecondary institution): Please list all work experiences during the past year. If you are not working, please list what you have been doing (volunteer, travel, stay-at-home parent, etc.) and the dates of each. Attach extra sheets if necessary.

Name of Employer	Location	Job title	Dates
_____			from <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
_____			from <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
_____			from <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>
			month year month year

7. APPLICATION FEE

A \$40 nonrefundable application fee is required to process your application. Enclose a check or money order payable to the University of Kansas and mail application and fee to Office of Admissions, KU Visitor Center, 1502 Iowa St., Lawrence, KS 66045. Credit card payments may be accepted in person only at the KU Visitor Center. Do not send cash.

8. STUDENT CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate without evasion or misrepresentation. I understand that this application is a legally binding document and if this information is found to be false or misleading, this fact alone will be sufficient cause for my admission to be denied or revoked and my enrollment to be canceled.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

2016-17 APPLICATION



GENERAL ADMISSION AND APPLICATION INFORMATION

General KU Admission Requirements

21 ACT/1060 SAT and 3.25 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale

or

24 ACT/1160 SAT and 3.0 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale

and

2.0 (Kansas resident) or 2.5 (nonresident) GPA on a 4.0 scale in a high school college prep curriculum

Kansas and Nonresident transfer students

Complete 24+ transferable semester credit hours with a 2.5+ transferable GPA.*

*Transferable college GPA refers to all work completed at regionally-accredited colleges, universities, or other postsecondary institutions that transfers to KU.

Transfer students who have completed fewer than 24 transferable hours at the time of application must meet the freshman admission requirements in addition to the transfer requirements listed above.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE PAPER APPLICATION

Section 1

Applicant Information

Provide your full legal name. If you have used other last names, please indicate them in the space provided. Please provide your preferred first name, if different from your legal name. The name you list as your full legal name must match exactly your name on one of these valid documents: driver's license, passport, military ID, state ID. *You must present one of these documents to verify your name when you receive your KU identification card (KU card).*

Provide your current mailing address. Our office will use this address for all correspondence.

Provide your current email address. Our office will use this email for important information regarding admission and scholarships. Please provide an email address you will monitor regularly.

You are not required to include your Social Security number (SSN). If you plan to apply for financial aid, however, we

recommend that you include it on this application to match your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Citizenship

If you are a permanent resident, you must provide your alien registration number and a photocopy of your card. If you are pending permanent residency, please provide a copy of your application materials or notification letter. If you will have nonimmigrant status (F-1, J-1, H-4, etc.) while at KU, do not complete this application; instead contact International Recruitment & Undergraduate Admissions at 785-864-2616 for a separate application.

Ethnic Background

Information about your ethnic background is not required but helps the University of Kansas comply with federal and state reporting laws. This information is not used for admission purposes.

Section 2

Enrollment Status

This application is for new degree-seeking and nondegree-seeking students only. If you have previously taken courses at KU, please submit the readmission application online at admissions.ku.edu or call the Office of Admissions for more information. Please indicate the semester and year you wish to start your studies at KU. Please indicate your admission type by selecting one of the following:

Freshmen – students who are currently in high school or who have not taken any college, university, vocational, or technical institute courses after high school graduation.

Transfers – students who have attended a college, university, vocational, or technical institution after high school graduation.

Nondegree-seeking – a student who is visiting from another college or university, an adult who is taking only one or two classes (a “lifelong learner”), a high school student who wants to take a college-level course, a person taking classes for personal enrichment but not to obtain a degree. There are also special programs at KU that require nondegree admission to the university.

- If you are a part of one of these programs, please work with the sponsoring department and note the program on the application.

- If you are from another college or university and participating in a KU study abroad program, please note the program on the application.
- If you are a high school student, please note this on your application. Your high school counselor will need to notify KU in writing that you are eligible to take the course. This can be done in a letter or via email to processing@ku.edu.
- If you are not any of the above, please note “other” on your application.

Section 3

Area of Academic Interest

(degree-seeking students only)

Review the undergraduate fields of study and make your selection from the list below. This list outlines the majors and degrees offered in KU’s undergraduate schools and available to new students. Students interested in double majoring should discuss this option with an academic advisor at summer Orientation. For purposes of the application for admission, please select only your primary interest.

If you are a nondegree-seeking student, you will be placed in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences. If you are interested in taking a course in one of the KU professional programs as a nondegree-seeking student, please contact the appropriate office for enrollment permission.

Section 4

Parent/Guardian Information

If you are over 21, this information is optional. If your parents have separate mailing addresses, you can provide both addresses. Please note, however, that most KU communications will be sent only to the parent or guardian listed first on the application.

Section 5

Kansas Residency Information

This information will be used to determine your residency status for tuition purposes. Questions about Kansas residency for tuition purposes should be directed to the Office of the University Registrar, 785-864-4472.

Section 6

Educational Information

Please list your high school or GED information.

Transcript requirements

Current high school students (applying for admission the following academic year): Your unofficial transcript and ACT/SAT test scores submitted with this application will be used for initial admission and scholarship consideration. If you do not provide these documents with this application, official documentation will be required for review.

We must receive your final, **official** high school transcript (with a graduation date) and official ACT/SAT scores by **July 1, 2017**. Your school must mail, fax, or have them sent to KU by certified electronic transmission. If your high school does not include your ACT/SAT scores on the transcript, you must

arrange to have official scores sent directly to KU from the testing agency.

Freshmen applying after high school graduation and transfer students with fewer than 24 transferable credit hours:

Please request that your school mail, fax, or send by certified electronic transmission your final high school transcript (with a graduation date) and, if your ACT/SAT test scores are not included on your high school transcript, request they be sent from the official testing agency to KU. If you are over the age of 21, test scores are not required. An official transcript from each college or university attended is required. A faxed transcript directly from the school is considered unofficial and will be used only for initial admission and scholarship consideration. An official copy of your transcript must be sent directly to the Office of Admissions as soon as it is available. Transfer credit will not be evaluated until an official copy of the college transcript is received.

Transfer students with 24 or more transferable credit hours:

An official transcript from each college or university attended is required. A faxed transcript directly from the school is considered unofficial and will be used only for initial admission and scholarship consideration. An official copy of your transcript must be mailed or sent by certified electronic transmission directly to the Office of Admissions as soon as it is available. Transfer credit will not be evaluated until an official copy of the transcript is received.

If you have international records, send them with your application. All original documents must be sent in the native language and be accompanied by English translations.

Courses in Progress

Freshmen: Please provide an unofficial copy of your high school transcript or grade report with this application. Please list any senior year and college courses not included on your enclosed transcript.

Transfers: List courses you are currently taking and plan to take before entering KU. Attach an extra sheet if necessary.

Colleges, Universities or Other Postsecondary Institutions Attended

Please list all colleges, universities, vocational, or technical institutions you’ve attended. Attach extra sheets if necessary. Please request that each school fax or mail a transcript to the Office of Admissions. Faxed transcripts can be used for admission only. An official transcript must be mailed or sent by certified electronic transmission for credits to be evaluated. Please note that omitting school information will be grounds for revoking an offer of admission or for dismissal from KU.

Work Experience

For residency purposes, list all work experience (or other experiences, such as volunteering, study abroad, etc.) you’ve had in the past year or since your high school graduation. Please be sure to include the city and state for each activity.

Section 7 Application Fee

Credit card payments may be accepted only in person at the KU Visitor Center. **Do not send cash.**

A \$40 nonrefundable application fee is required to process your application. Enclose a check or money order payable to the University of Kansas and mail application and fee to [Office of Admissions, KU Visitor Center, 1502 Iowa St., Lawrence, KS 66045.](#)

AREAS OF ACADEMIC INTEREST (Please select one)

GUIDE TO THE MAJORS LIST

MAJORS: Regular type

CONCENTRATIONS: *Italics*

Contact the appropriate school for a complete list of concentrations.

MINORS: *

You can major or minor in these subjects.

This is not a complete list of minors. See minors.ku.edu

(EC): Taught at Edwards Campus.

A co-major must accompany a major.

Premedicine and prelaw are career interests, not majors. Talk to an advisor about prerequisites for medicine and law degrees.

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE, DESIGN & PLANNING

Architectural studies

Architecture

Design *Illustration & animation;*

Industrial design; Photo media;

Visual communication design

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Accounting

Business administration (Lawrence & EC)

Finance

Information systems

Management & leadership

Marketing

Supply chain management

The following concentrations may be combined with any business major: Entrepreneurship; Human resources; Information systems; International business; Supply chain management

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

CURRICULUM & TEACHING

Unified early childhood (birth-grade 3)

Elementary (K-6)

English secondary (6-12)

History and government secondary (6-12)

Mathematics middle (5-8)

Science middle (5-8)

Foreign languages (PK-12)

ENDORSEMENTS

Teaching English as a second language

Special education

HEALTH, SPORT & EXERCISE SCIENCES

Athletic training

Community health

Exercise science

Health & physical education teacher licensure (K-12)

Sport management

UKANTEACH PREPARATION PROGRAM

Obtained by completing a College of Liberal Arts & Sciences degree with UKanTeach certification

Secondary (6-12) mathematics

Secondary (6-12) biology

Secondary (6-12) chemistry

Secondary (6-12) earth & space science

Secondary (6-12) physics

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Aerospace engineering

Architectural engineering

Chemical engineering *Biomedical;*

Environmental; Petroleum engineering;

Premedical

Civil engineering *Environmental engineering*

Computer engineering

Computer science

Electrical engineering

Engineering physics *Aerospace*

systems; Chemical systems; Digital

electronic systems; Electromechanical

control systems

Information technology (EC)

Interdisciplinary computing *Astronomy;*

Biology; Chemistry; Geography;

Journalism; Physics

Mechanical engineering *Biomechanical*

Petroleum engineering

SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Clinical laboratory science

Molecular biotechnology

Health information management

Respiratory care

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATIONS

News & information

Strategic communication

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES

African & African-American studies*

African Studies; African & American Studies;

Arabic & Islamic studies

American studies* *Race/ethnicity; American*

cultural studies; Local & global; Popular

culture; Jazz studies; Gender & sexuality;

Religion

Anthropology*

Applied behavioral science* *Early childhood;*

Youth development & juvenile justice;

Adults with disabilities; Community health &

development; Basic research & conceptual

foundations

Astronomy*

Atmospheric science* *Air pollution*

meteorology; General meteorology;

Hydrometeorology; News media forecasting

Behavioral neuroscience

Biological Sciences *Biochemistry;*

Biology; Human biology; Microbiology;

Molecular biosciences (EC only)

Biotechnology (EC)

Chemistry* *Biochemistry; Biological*

chemistry; Chemical physics;

Environmental chemistry

Classical antiquity*

Classical languages*

Communication studies*

Economics*

English* *Creative writing; Rhetoric, language*

& writing; Traditional English

Environmental studies*

European studies co-major*

Geography* *Geographical information &*

analysis; Physical geography

Geology* *Earth & space science licensure;*

Engineering geology; Environmental

geology; General geology; Geophysics

Global & international studies* *Africa; Asia; Latin America & the Caribbean; The Middle East; Russia, East Europe & Central Asia; Western Europe*
History*
History of art*
Human sexuality*
Humanities*
Jewish studies*
Latin American & Caribbean studies*
Liberal arts & sciences
Linguistics*
Literature, language & writing* (EC)
Mathematics*
Philosophy*
Physics* *Computational physics; Interdisciplinary; Preprofessional*
Political science
Prelaw (no degree offered)
Premedical professions (no degree offered)
Psychology* (Lawrence and EC) *Behavioral neuroscience*
Religious studies*
Russian, East European & Eurasian studies*
Sociology*
Speech-language-hearing; sciences & disorders*
Women's studies*

SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

Dance*
Film & media studies* *Culture & studies; Production*
Theatre* *Performance; Theatre, culture & society*
Theatre design
Visual art* *Ceramics; Expanded media; Metalsmithing/jewelry; Painting/drawing; Printmaking; Sculpture; Textile/fibers*
Visual art education

SCHOOL OF LANGUAGES, LITERATURES & CULTURES

East Asian languages & cultures* *Double language; East Asian studies (Chinese, Japanese, or Korean language)*
French* *French; Italian*
German studies*
Slavic languages & literatures* *Polish studies; Russian; South Slavic studies*
Spanish*

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS & ADMINISTRATION

Law & society (EC)
Public administration* (EC)

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Music* *Jazz studies; Musicology; Music theory; Piano, organ & orchestral instrument; Voice*
Music composition
Music education
Music theory
Music therapy
Musicology

MUSIC PERFORMANCE

Organ
Piano
Strings & harp *Double bass; Harp; Viola; Violin; Violoncello*
Theatre & voice

Voice

Wind & percussion *Bassoon; Clarinet; Euphonium; Flute; French horn; Oboe; Percussion; Saxophone; Trombone; Trumpet; Tuba*

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Nursing

SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

Pharmaceutical studies
Doctor of Pharmacy

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WELFARE

Social work

STILL DECIDING? PICK AN EXPLORATORY TRACK

If you haven't chosen a major yet, select one of these four exploratory tracks: Arts & humanities; Medical & health sciences; Natural sciences, math & technology; Social & behavioral sciences.