

**University of Central Florida
McKnight Center of Excellence**



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National Achievers Society Application

(Please type or print legibly using ink. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone Number _____ Alternate Phone Number _____

Date of Birth _____ Gender Male Female _____ Age _____

Race (Please check the appropriate box)
 Asian Black Hispanic Indian (Native American) White Other: (Please Specify) _____

Jacket Size (Adult): Small (32-34) Medium (36-38) Large (40-42) XLarge (44-46)
 Jackets should be ordered to accommodate for growth (jackets that are XXLarge will be an additional \$5.00)

FAMILY INFORMATION

Parent(s) Name: _____

Parent(s) Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Work Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Emergency Number: _____

Email Address: _____

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Students must have a minimum 3.0 grade point average over three consecutive grading periods, **with no grade lower than a "C", and only one "C" in honors or advanced placement classes.** Please attach a copy of your report card for the last three consecutive grading periods.

Current School: _____ Counselor Name: _____

Grade Level: _____ School Activities: _____

Other Accomplishments: _____

Career Goal: _____

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Sponsor Fee: \$75.00 (For Achiever's jacket and dues for the first year). **No personal checks accepted**, make money orders and business checks payable to: UCF McKnight Center of Excellence. Please note the candidate's name on the payment. Cash payments are accepted at our office. **This fee is NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Sponsor's Name: _____

Sponsor's Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

Mail application, report card, (2) signed letters of recommendation, Laws of Life Essay, and sponsor fee to: Student Outreach Services, University of Central Florida, PO Box 163620, Orlando, Florida 32816-3620. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our office at 407-823-5580 or email Outreach@ucf.edu.

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National Achievers Society Application Criteria

1. Must be an African American or other underrepresented student enrolled in 6th through 9th grade **at the time of application**.
2. In order to be inducted into the National Achievers Society, applicants must have a minimum 3.0 grade point average over three consecutive grading periods, **with no grade lower than a “C”, and only one “C” in honors or advanced placement classes**. Any grade changes must be certified by a school official.
3. Students must be recommended by two adults, such as parent, teacher, counselor, pastor, principal, or other person; one **must** be a school official. The **signed** letter of recommendation must include the following information: Name of person nominating the student, name of candidate, description of the student’s accomplishments, and the reason for the recommendation.
4. Application must include a Laws of Life Essay, **please see the criteria for details** (available on the website- sos.sdes.ucf.edu).
5. Applicants who provide appropriate documentation of a completed community service project will be given priority in the application process.
6. Must have a sponsor who pays a ***NON-REFUNDABLE FEE OF \$75.00*** to cover jacket and dues for the first year. The sponsor may be an individual, parent, club, organization, or entity willing to pay the fee and be supportive of the Achiever. Eligible applicants not included may be inducted in a subsequent ceremony only. **No personal checks accepted**, please make money orders and business checks payable to: **UCF McKnight Center of Excellence**. Please note the candidate’s name on the payment. Cash payments are accepted at our office.
7. Must officially participate in an Induction Ceremony to become a full-fledged member of the Society.
8. After formal induction into the National Achievers Society, students are expected to participate in monthly meetings, various community service projects, and activities. Please visit the website for additional information (sos.sdes.ucf.edu).
9. Achievers are expected to uphold the code of conduct and the basic tenets of the society at all times.

Please adhere to the following deadline for the next Induction Ceremony:

APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 28, 2017 Summer 2017 Induction: June 10, 2017

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