Students who meet the following requirements are automatically admitted. The admission application is available at umcrookston.edu/apply.

Additional review factors include but are not limited to a review by the Admission Committee. The Admission Committee very carefully, reviews the overall assessment of each student's academic preparation and performance, as well as the additional information provided in the applicants Insight Resume, based on the primary and secondary factors listed below. Note that no single factor is the deciding factor in the decision.

Students who meet the following requirements are automatically admitted. Because academic preparation is key to student success in college, the strongest consideration in the decision is given to student’s academic preparation, or primary review factors:

- Successful completion of a high school or college preparatory program
- Grade point average; grades in academic coursework (avg. g.p.a 2.0)
- ACT or SAT scores (minimum 21 ACT or 980 SAT)
  Strength of the student’s curriculum through high school graduation, including courses that exceed the core subject requirements and any advanced courses (honors, AP, IB, college level)

Additional Review Factors—Students who fail to meet minimum requirements of GPA and ACT or SAT scores will be referred to the Admissions Committee for an admission decision, where the following factors also will be considered:

- Evidence of exceptional achievement, aptitude, or personal accomplishment not reflected in the student’s academic records or standardized test scores
- A pattern of steady improvement in academic performance
- Participation in extracurricular college preparatory programs ( MEP, PSEO, Talent Search, Upward Bound, Admission Possible, and others)

Secondary Factors—Individual circumstances listed below are also considered as part of the overall assessment of each application. Enrolling a diverse student body—with students bringing differing experiences, talents, and perspectives to their campus experience—is essential to achieving the outcomes of a University of Minnesota education.

The Admission Committee review takes into consideration the individual circumstances that make each individual student unique. We consider the following secondary factors in our decision review.

- Outstanding talent, achievement, or aptitude in a particular area
- An exceptionally rigorous academic curriculum (enrollment in honors, AP, IB, or college-level courses)
- Strong commitment to community service and leadership
- Military service
- First-generation college student
- Personal or extenuating circumstances
- Insight Resume