

ADMISSION DEADLINES	APPLICATION & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS	DECISIONS MAILED
EARLY ACTION	NOVEMBER 1, 2016	DECEMBER 1, 2016
REGULAR ADMISSION	JANUARY 15, 2017	MARCH 1, 2017

**1. Application**

- Visit [www.soka.edu/apply](http://www.soka.edu/apply) to start your application

**2. Non-refundable Application Fee**

**3. High School and college/university transcripts:**

- Transcripts must show all coursework completed.
- All coursework completed outside of the U.S. must be sent to IERF ([www.ierf.org](http://www.ierf.org)) for conversion into U.S. grade equivalents (There is a separate fee and time requirement for this service so please plan accordingly).

**4. SAT with Essay and/or ACT with Writing examination scores:**

- The Essay exam is required for SAT and the Writing exam is required for ACT.
- Official results/scores of the SAT and ACT examination must be sent directly to Soka University by the testing agency. Our SAT code is 4066 and our ACT code is 0467.
- The name used for your SAT and/or ACT examinations must be your legal name that you use on your admission application.

**5. Two [academic] Letters of Recommendation:**

- Electronic recommendation forms can be sent to your recommenders through the Soka Online Application or the Common Application. The paper recommender form is also available at [www.soka.edu/apply](http://www.soka.edu/apply).

**6. Two Mandatory essays – Each essay must be 500-750 words in length, double spaced:**

- Mandatory Essay Question 1: Imagine you are at SUA, and you're invited to give a lecture to all the students and faculty. What would you talk about, and why?
- Mandatory Essay Question 2: In today's world, what is your purpose in seeking a liberal arts education? Among the many fine colleges and universities you might attend, how do you think SUA could help you fulfill that purpose?
- Optional Question: Do you have any special circumstances that you would like Soka University to take into consideration when reviewing your application? Please be concise. Essay should not be more than a paragraph.

**7. List of extracurricular activities**

- Completing the Activities section of the Soka Online Application or Common Application fulfills this requirement.

Please note: Within 3 business days of receiving your application Soka University will send you a username and password via email with instructions for logging into our GoSoka! system. It is your responsibility to ensure that all of your documents are received in a timely manner. Soka does not accept faxed, emailed or late documents.

If you have any questions, you can contact us via email at: [admission@soka.edu](mailto:admission@soka.edu) or call us at 888.600.SOKA.

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