

Overview & Admission Process

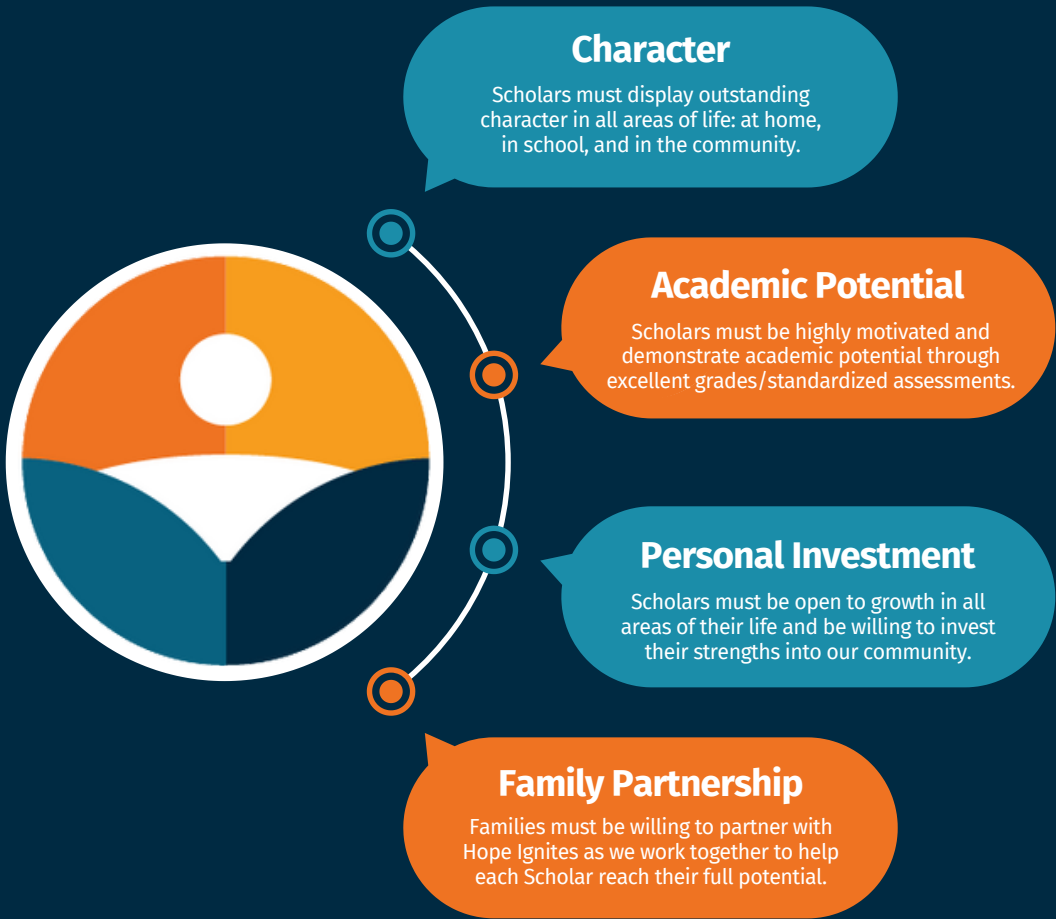


Highlights

OVERVIEW

The Hope Ignites Residential Program is a selective scholarship program for young men and women of high character and capability. Since our beginnings in 1986, our hallmark program provides safe, nurturing, family-like homes for up to 18 Scholars on our 5.5-acre Campus of Hope located in Garfield Heights. Our “home-away-from-home” environment, coupled with an outstanding education and a unique partnership with each Scholar’s family, provides the support needed for all Scholars to achieve their full potential. Residential Scholars also participate in our out-of-school time Academy Program on a weekly basis.

Profile of a Residential Scholar



Admission Process



NOMINATION

A potential Scholar's family can self-nominate or a student can be nominated by his or her school or a community organization. The family is then asked to complete an inquiry packet, and we collect academic records. Begin the process today at: bhgh.me/residential!



CAMPUS TOUR

After an inquiry packet is completed, we contact the family to share more about the program and answer questions. A campus tour will be scheduled for the student and family so that they are able to see our campus and learn more about the admission process.



APPLY

- At this point, the family decides if they would like to formally apply to the program. This includes:
- 1. Initial Application:** Family will complete an initial application over the phone with a team member to collect basic information.
 - 2. Applicant "Shadow" Day:** Applicant is invited to come after school to participate in residential life for an evening and complete an interview.
 - 3. Student Application:** Applicant is asked to complete an application which includes a formal essay and submitting letters of recommendation.
 - 4. Family Interview and Proof of Income:** An official meeting is scheduled to review family goals and hopes for their child. Family submits proof of income.



CANDIDATE WEEK

An applicant is invited to spend 3-5 nights on campus to fully experience the program and complete additional individual and group activities.



PRE-ADMISSION

If accepted, a candidate is offered a place in our Residential Program! Together with a team member, the family will complete pre-admission steps and paperwork.



ADMISSION

The student moves on campus and becomes an official member of our Residential Program!

QUESTIONS AND NOMINATIONS MAY BE SENT TO:

Andrea Turk, School Partnership and Recruitment Coordinator, at aturk@bhgh.org or (216) 553-4010