

## **BECOME A BEARKAT!**

STEP 1

Apply to SHSU
// ApplyTexas.org

STEP 2

Apply for financial aid\*
// fafsa.gov

STEP 3

Review SHSU financial aid options // shsu.edu/finaid and shsu.edu/scholarships

\* FAFSA priority deadlines are November 1 (Fall and Spring) and September 30 (Spring only). Visit fafsa.gov for more information.

## TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID

- Grants are gift aid and do not have to be repaid.
- Scholarships are generally merit-based gifts that do not require repayment. SHSU awards more than 600 scholarships for achievement in academic, leadership, honors, and extracurricular activities. Financial Aid's scholarship application priority deadline is November 1st and recipient selections are made through February.
- Loans have to be repaid with interest.
- Work Study provides wages for part-time employment.









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