

The Honors Program



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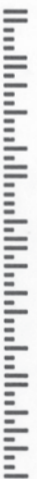
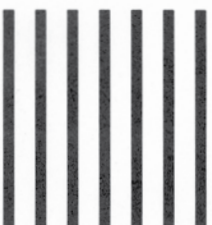
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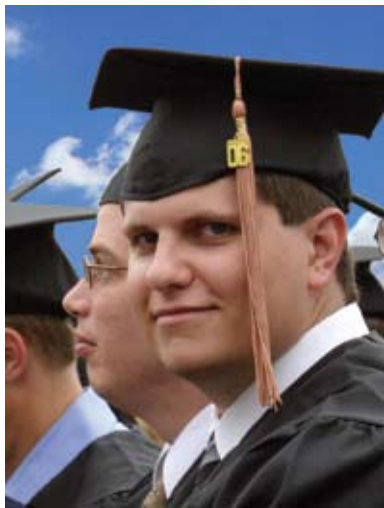
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Benefits



- The opportunity to meet in smaller classes with students similar to you in interests and ability.
- The opportunity to exercise your own initiative rather than always depending on explicit instructions from teachers.
- Students who graduate in the University Honors Program have that notation recorded on their diplomas and permanent records.
- Personalized and comprehensive Honors advising.
- Independent research experience providing excellent preparation for graduate and professional training.

Program Features

- **Seminar Courses—9 hours**
A three-course sequence wherein students learn of the most influential ideas, authors, and trends that have helped to shape the 21st Century world.
- **“H-designated” Courses—6 hours**
Honors students take two honors-designated upper-division courses in their respective majors.
- **Honors Senior Thesis—3 hours**
Students complete an independent senior thesis that builds on the students’ knowledge and interest in a field of study. During the course, students complete a research paper or a creative project.
- **Senior Seminar—1 hour**
Honors students meet once a week to discuss with fellow honor students current topics and ideas as well as their individual projects.

Entrance Requirements



- Minimum 3.5 High School GPA on a 4.0 scale
- 1100 SAT or 24 on ACT
- Mandatory essay wherein the student must state his or her interest in the program and must answer a general question (e.g., “What role should a college graduate play in society?”)
- We also recognize that high school GPAs and standardized tests will not measure each student’s academic capabilities and talents. Therefore, a student who does not meet the initial requirements may submit an application to the Honors Program. These students must also submit two letters of recommendation from former teachers. These students must still write the mandatory essay.



- Automatic admission to the Honors Program will be granted to any student who:
 - is a National Merit Scholar
 - is a Hispanic Merit Scholar
 - has earned an International Baccalaureate degree

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Yes!

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