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WHAT IS THE UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM?



The Honors Program at Cleveland State University offers a challenging program designed to meet the needs of academically talented students interested in attending an urban university. Students enjoy the benefits of being in a large, diverse, comprehensive University located in a dynamic urban center, while at the same time receiving the personalized attention, small class sizes, and opportunities for undergraduate research and creativity typical of smaller schools. Students graduating with Honors from CSU typically go on to graduate study and professional careers.





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WHO ARE THE STUDENTS?

Honors students at CSU come from the top 10 percent of their high school classes and/or scored in the top 10 percent on the ACT or SAT.

Many are from Northeast Ohio, but Honors students come from many other states and a variety of other countries, including Canada, Germany, India, China, Nigeria and Somalia.

Honors students pursue virtually every major offered at CSU. They have engaged in a wide variety of undergraduate research projects and creative activities.

Beyond their academic achievements, Honors students engage in numerous activities, both on and off campus. They are student-athletes, they volunteer in the community and around the country, they study abroad, they complete internships in businesses, schools, engineering companies, and nonprofit organizations, and they are active in the life of the CSU campus.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF BEING AN HONORS STUDENT AT CSU?

Honors students at CSU enjoy an enriched curriculum, individualized attention from faculty and advisors, scholarship support, and a rich array of academic and extra-curricular opportunities. The benefits of the program include:

- Small section freshman and sophomore honors classes
- Honors advising
- Enriched curriculum
- Strong peer community
- Scholarship support
- Honors Residence

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- Undergraduate research opportunities
- Early law school admission
- Opportunities for internships, study abroad and volunteer activities



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ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Students may be admitted to the program as freshmen or juniors. To be considered for admission, applicants must meet the following criteria.

FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS STUDENTS MUST MEET AT LEAST ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA TO BE CONSIDERED:

- ▶ 30 ACT Composite score or above (or comparable SAT score)
- ► Top 10 percent of high school class

Other factors considered in the selection process are the application essay, high school transcript, results on AP exams, and other information provided by the applicant.

UPPER-DIVISION STUDENTS

Upper-division applicants should be two years or fewer from graduation. To be considered for admission, upper-division applicants must submit:

- College transcript(s) providing evidence of a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or above in college-level work
- ▶ Three letters of reference from faculty familiar with their work
- ► A written, autobiographical essay