

# NHCC Honors Program Benefits & Requirements

The North Hennepin Community College Honors Program is designed to maximize the academic experience of the two-year college student. The Honors program offers qualifying students the opportunity to strive for excellence in an environment that nurtures them academically, socially, emotionally and intellectually.

## Program Benefits:

- » Personal Growth
- » Take an active role in your education
- » Reach your full potential personally and professionally
- » Faculty mentoring
- » Priority registration each term  
(only for High Honors and Highest Honors students)
- » Scholarships opportunities for Honors only students
- » Honors recognition on official transcript

## North Hennepin Honors Program

### In addition to Honors points requirements students must:

- ✓ Graduate with a 3.5 Cumulative GPA
- ✓ Complete an Honors Check-in
  - Each Semester in program
- ✓ Participate in the Student Celebration Day
  - Each year in program

### Eligible points in each category:

Course Option	-----15pts
Honors Seminar	-----15pts
Undergraduate Research	-----xxpts
Honors Experience	-----xxpts
Honors Capstone	-----15pts

Honors experience points and Undergraduate Research points are determined both by the Honors Committee and the student's instructor.

### Honors Scholar

#### Requirements

**60 points** combined across all categories:

- » Category 1: Course Option
- » Category 2: Honors Seminar
- » Category 3: Student Choice:
  - Undergraduate Research
  - Honors Experience
  - Honors Capstone

#### Benefits:

- ❖ Recognition on transcript
- ❖ Access to HONORS ONLY scholarships

### High Honors Scholar

#### Requirements

**90 points** combined across all categories:

- » Category 1: Course Option
- » Category 2: Honors Seminar
- » Category 3: Student Choice:
  - Undergraduate Research
  - Honors Experience
  - Honors Capstone

#### Benefits:

- ❖ Early Registration Priority
- ❖ Recognition on transcript
- ❖ Access to HONORS ONLY scholarships

### Highest Honors Scholar

#### Requirements

**135 points** combined across all categories:

- » Category 1: Course Option
- » Category 2: Honors Seminar
- » Category 3: Student Choice:
  - Undergraduate Research
  - Honors Experience
- » Category 4: Honors Capstone

#### Benefits:

- ❖ Early Registration Priority
- ❖ Recognition on transcript
- ❖ Access to HONORS ONLY scholarships

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