

AVILA UNIVERSITY

HONORS PROGRAM



Follow your curiosity. Challenge yourself. Serve the community.

As an Avila Honors student, you will enrich your education with an in-depth academic exploration tailored specifically to your needs and interests. You will be challenged. You will explore new ideas and possibilities. You will build the skills to make a difference in our community. Avila's Honors Program is exclusively for high-achieving students like you who have the drive and skills to thrive in this environment.

In addition, Honors Program membership offers you:

- Personalized learning experiences
- The opportunity to build meaningful, one-on-one relationships with faculty
- Renewable honors grants (\$1000)
- An honors designation on your transcript and diploma
- Graduation cords

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

PRE-APPROVED

Scores + GPA
HS GPA of 3.75+
ACT of 25+ or SAT 1200+

CONDITIONAL

Scores or GPA + Writing
HS GPA of 3.75+
ACT of 25+ or SAT 1200+
AND Admission Essay

TRANSFER/LATE-JOIN

College GPA 3.5+
Letter of recommendation from academic source
Admission Essay

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS *Completion will result in 9 credit hours (tuition waived), retroactively applied.*

SEMINARS

Complete two:

- First year honors seminar (in addition to traditional first-year seminar)
- Junior honors seminar
- Senior capstone

CULTURAL & COMMUNITY EXPERIENCES

Complete two semesters

- Pre-determined list of events
- Must register
- Curated by the Honors Program Director and Steering Committee

HONORS ENHANCEMENTS

Complete five. Enhancements to existing classes. Any class is eligible so long as it is for-credit and has professor's approval. Examples:

- Additional reading/reviews
- Literature review
- Research proposal
- Conference presentation
- Community-based project
- Creative project

Each semester the Honors Program cohort is limited and entry is competitive. Early application is recommended.

Priority deadlines: November 15th & January 15th

