



BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY



# HONORS COLLEGE

SMALL SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT, BIG SCHOOL OPPORTUNITY



Boise State's Honors College provides talented, highly-motivated students a challenging curriculum that fits within their major's requirements; the personalized attention of a small, private college with the benefits and resources of a large, metropolitan university; and a community of like-minded individuals who love to learn and enjoy a variety of Honors activities.



## WHAT MAKES THE HONORS COLLEGE UNIQUE?

The Honors College provides students with opportunities in and out of the classroom to transform their experience at Boise State.

EDUCATION	COMMUNITY	DISTINCTION
Discussion-based classes that are normally capped at 25 students	A tight-knit community through our Honors House system	Priority consideration for scholarships, internships and leadership opportunities
Increased advising support	Outdoor and recreational excursions	Priority registration for classes
Research opportunities with Boise State's leading professors	On-campus housing in the Honors Residential Hall (optional)	Recognition on transcripts, diplomas and at commencement
Dedicated support for applications to the world's most prestigious fellowships	Engagement with local, national and international communities through classes and service projects	Specialized funding for student research and international study
Professional development and career mentoring	Close contact with dedicated Honors faculty and staff	Enhanced library privileges



## IMPORTANT DATES

### December 15

Honors Early Admission Date

### February 15

Honors Admission Priority Date  
Honors Scholarship Deadline

### April 1

Honors Housing Application Priority Date

### May 1

Honors Admission Deadline

Your Honors application is complete when your essay and resume are uploaded *and* you are admitted to the University.



## HONORS CURRICULUM

COURSES	CREDITS
■ Honors Flex Credits	9*
■ UF 200 Civic and Ethical Foundations	3*
■ HONORS 198 Seminar	1
■ HONORS 390 Proposals and Purpose Statements	1
■ HONORS 392 Colloquia (2 courses)	6
■ HONORS 498 Senior Seminar	1
<b>Total credits (out of 120-128 to graduate)</b>	<b>21</b>

■ 12 credits of customizable coursework including Honors sections of University Foundations classes. Students fulfill both Honors requirements and the requirements of their major at the same time.

■ 9 credits of signature Honors coursework are also required. These credits will count as electives in students' major requirements.

\*Core-certified students have a reduced Honors courseload.

Honors students must maintain a 3.25 cumulative GPA, take one Honors course per year, attend an annual meeting with their Head of House, and pay a \$100/semester fee.

## EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

The Honors College offers 50-60 activities per semester designed to enhance the student experience. Ranging from service projects to theater performances to karaoke nights, the activities connect Honors students to each other and provide a diverse experience designed to expand their view of the world.

## HOW TO APPLY

We seek motivated and engaged students from all backgrounds who demonstrate potential through:

- Competitive GPA (recommended 3.5 unweighted or higher)
- Strong test scores (recommended 26 ACT/1240 SAT or higher)
- Thoughtful and compelling essay
- Extensive/diverse resume of activities and achievements

Find more information at [boisestate.edu/honors/admissions](http://boisestate.edu/honors/admissions).

**Priority will be given to students who apply by February 15.**



## LIVE WITH HONORS

Honors students will find community 24/7 living in the Honors College. Located in the heart of campus, residents will have convenient access to Honors classrooms, Honors staff offices and a dedicated Faculty in Residence. The newest residence hall on campus offers 325 students suite-style living with shared kitchens, entertainment lounges and SouthFork Market, a state-of-the-art dining facility.

## FIRST-YEAR FLOOR PLANS



*Two-person single suite*



*Four-person single suite*



*Four-person double suite*

### IMPORTANT HOUSING INFO

You must submit your Honors College application *and* your University Housing application by **April 1** to receive priority consideration for Honors housing.

To learn more about the Honors Residential Hall and other housing options, visit [boisestate.edu/housing](https://boisestate.edu/housing).



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