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Muriel A. Howard HONORS PROGRAM

Established in 1984, the Muriel A. Howard Honors Program enrolls over 550 high achieving students across all majors at Buffalo State. Students are welcomed into a collegiate community from day one and emerge as leaders on- and off-campus.

HONORS PROGRAM PERKS INCLUDE:

- Early course registration – build your ideal schedule of classes
- Unique Honors seminar courses with small class size (24 students or less) led by excellent faculty
- Exclusive Honors events, workshops, and programs all year long
- Priority housing in beautifully renovated Bishop Hall
- Access to the *Honors Hub* – a lounge, computer lab with free printing, kitchenette, and program space
- Leadership, peer mentoring, and internship opportunities
- Dedicated Honors advisor for all first-year students
- Recognition on transcript and at graduation
- Scholarship opportunities



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

Who are the Honors Program students at Buffalo State?

- Over 500 academically committed students, in nearly every major, from across New York, the U.S., and the world!

Are Honors seminar courses more work than other general education courses?

- Honors courses are often discussion-based, not lecture-based, and focus more on student engagement and critical thinking skills.

Is the Honors Program just about academics?

- Beyond the academic requirements, Honors students are encouraged to get involved on campus in events, clubs, leadership positions, service projects and more.

How do I apply to the Honors Program?

- First-year applicants are automatically considered for admission to the Honors Program. No separate application or fee!

What are the criteria to be invited to join?

- A holistic review considering high school GPA, extra curriculars, leadership, writing ability, and promise of contribution. Typically, invited students had at least a 91 GPA in high school.

Can I join the Honors Program as a transfer student?

- High achieving transfer students may be eligible to join depending on credits remaining and schedule availability. Contact Honors Director Dr. McMillan to discuss eligibility.



Interested in talking further?
We'd love to hear from you!

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