

The City College Honors Program

Application for Continuing and Transfer Students

For admission to the City College of New York Honors Program for students currently enrolled at City College.

Most students admitted to the City College Honors Program are new freshmen, but a small number of continuing students may be admitted to the City College Honors Program at the discretion of the program staff.

Eligible applicants must have fewer than 60 credits and a cumulative GPA of 3.6 or higher. Students will be required to **take** at least five (5) core courses in Honors. (These courses are also known as ‘general education’ courses or ‘pathways’ courses.) *Students with too many core courses may not be appropriate for the program.*

Candidates under consideration for acceptance may be interviewed in early January. If you will not be available for interview in early January, please contact us in December in case we need to make alternative arrangements.

The Honors Program is *not* able to offer scholarships to continuing or transfer students applying for admission. The program is an academic program that offers intensive advising, a supportive academic community and other benefits.

Please note that students in the Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education are not eligible for the program.

Applications for the spring semester are due the first week of January. Decisions about admission to the program for spring will be made by mid-January.

Applications for the fall semester are due the first week of June. Decisions about admission to the program for fall will be made by late June.

Email Application to: cityhonors@ccny.cuny.edu

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The application should include the following:

1. Application form. Please print or type all information and sign the form. Your recommenders should complete Part II of this form and return to you.
2. A letter of introduction, telling us your academic interests and goals as well as what motivated you to apply to honors.
3. Two letters of recommendation. At least one must be from a faculty member. The recommendations should include your name and the phrase “recommendation for City College Honors Program.” Please request that your teacher return the recommendation to you in a sealed envelope, signed across the flap. If the recommendation is from someone outside of school, they may send it directly to the Honors Center at the address above.
4. Writing sample: Please include a copy of a *graded* paper with your professor’s comments. Please include a copy of the assignment as well. The paper need not be long—250 words will suffice.
5. If you are a CUNY student, you do not need to submit a transcript. We will review your transcript on CUNYFirst once final grades are posted (in early January). If you are **not** currently a CUNY student please send an official copy of your transcript after the semester grades are in.

CITY COLLEGE HONORS CONTINUING STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

Last Name _____ First
Name _____
Emple ID: _____
Address _____ Apt: _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
City College E-Mail
Address _____
Other E-Mail Address _____
Telephone Home # () _____
Telephone Cell # () _____
Major _____

Minor(s) _____

If selected as a candidate for the program, will you be available in early to mid-January
for an interview? Yes ____ No ____
Signature _____
