



Honors Certificate

Honors students who complete 15 units or more in honors-designated courses will earn special recognition as an Honor Scholar, a distinction that may entitle students to enhanced transfer and scholarship opportunities at select transfer colleges and universities. Honors students should meet regularly with an Honors faculty advisor to ensure completion of Honors Scholar requirements in a timely fashion. Courses that qualify as part of the Honors Program are listed below. Honor courses are limited to Honors Program students.

Total Units: 0

First Year

Pre-Semester 1 Summer Option

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS [^]	SEMESTERS OFFERED*
ENGL C1000H Z Honors College Composition	3	Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures assessment process	Su, F

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Or any other available Honors course.

Semester 1

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS [^]	SEMESTERS OFFERED*
COMM 480 Z Honors Seminar: Political Campaign Communication	3	ENGL C1000	Offered every 4 yrs (2028, 2032, etc.)

A few notes about the Honors Program:

1. No Honors courses must be taken consecutively or in a specific sequential order.
2. Some Honors courses (ENGL C1000H, STAT C1000H, PHIL 486, MATH 483, and MATH 484) have course-level prerequisites.
3. Only students in the CRC Honors Program are eligible to take CRC Honors courses.
4. To be eligible for the Honors Certificate, students must complete at least 9 units of CRC Honors coursework and an additional 6 units of CRC Honors-approved coursework. CRC Honors-approved coursework includes CRC Honors coursework, honors coursework at other Los Rios Colleges, and up to one 400's-level Los Rios STEM course.
5. Not all CRC Honors Program course offerings are indicated for each semester they are available. Courses typically offered in, but not recommended for, a particular semester are not indicated.

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ENGL C1000H Z Honors College Composition	3	Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures assessment process	Su, F
HIST 485 Z Recent United States History - Honors	3		F
PHIL 485 Z Honors Seminar: Philosophy of the Martial Arts	3		F, S
PHIL 486 Z Honors Seminar in Critical Thinking and Composition: Philosophy of Happiness	3	ENGL C1000 or C1000H	F, S
STAT C1000H Z Introduction to Probability and Statistics - Honors	4	Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures assessment process or completion of a course taught at or above the level of intermediate algebra.	Check Class Schedule

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Semester 2

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*
BIOL 485 Z Honors Seminar in Genetics	3		S

Zero Textbook Costs (ZTC):

The Zero Textbook Costs designation and logo are added to any course that provides free access to all required instructional materials. These are typically shared with students through Canvas. Courses that are designated as ZTC may still require students to purchase supplemental materials such as lab coats, a calculator, art supplies, etc. See full definitions and searching tips on the [Zero Textbook Costs page](#) of the college website.

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*
ENGLT 488 Z Honors - Literature Adapted into Film	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	S, Su
FMS 488 Z Honors Seminar: Introduction to Critical Theory	3		S
MATH 483 Z Honors Seminar in Mathematics - Introduction to Mathematical Proof	1	MATH 370	Even-numbered S terms
MATH 484 Z Honors Seminar in Mathematics - Topics in Number Theory	1	MATH 370	Odd-numbered S terms
PHIL 485 Z Honors Seminar: Philosophy of the Martial Arts	3		F, S
PHIL 486 Z Honors Seminar in Critical Thinking and Composition: Philosophy of Happiness	3	ENGL C1000 or C1000H	F, S
POLS C1000H Z Introduction to Government: United States - Honors	3		Even-numbered S terms
POLS 482 International Political Economy - Honors	3		Odd-numbered S terms

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Second Year

Semester 3

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*
COMM 480 Z Honors Seminar: Political Campaign Communication	3	ENGL C1000	Offered every 4 yrs (2028, 2032, etc.)

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HIST 485 Z Recent United States History - Honors	3		F
PHIL 485 Z Honors Seminar: Philosophy of the Martial Arts	3		F, S
PHIL 486 Z Honors Seminar in Critical Thinking and Composition: Philosophy of Happiness	3	ENGL C1000 or C1000H	F, S

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Semester 4

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*
BIOL 485 Z Honors Seminar in Genetics	3		S
ENGLT 488 Z Honors - Literature Adapted into Film	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	S, Su
FMS 488 Z Honors Seminar: Introduction to Critical Theory	3		S
MATH 483 Z Honors Seminar in Mathematics - Introduction to Mathematical Proof	1	MATH 370	Even-numbered S terms
MATH 484 Z Honors Seminar in Mathematics - Topics in Number Theory	1	MATH 370	Odd-numbered S terms
PHIL 485 Z Honors Seminar: Philosophy of the Martial Arts	3		F, S
PHIL 486 Z Honors Seminar in Critical Thinking and Composition: Philosophy of Happiness	3	ENGL C1000 or C1000H	F, S
POLS C1000H Z Introduction to Government: United States - Honors	3		Even-numbered S terms

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POLS 482 International Political Economy - Honors	3		Odd-numbered S terms

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Honor Courses

Select a minimum of 15 units from the following:

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BIOL 485 Z Honors Seminar in Genetics	3		S
COMM 480 Z Honors Seminar: Political Campaign Communication	3	ENGL C1000	This course is currently offered only every four years: 2028, 2032, etc.
COMM 482 Z Honors Seminar: Persuasion within Social Issues	3	ENGL C1000 and C1000H	Check Class Schedule for offering
ENGL C1000H Z Honors College Composition	3	Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures assessment process	Su, F
ENGLT 488 Z Honors - Literature Adapted into Film	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	S, Su
FMS 488 Z Honors Seminar: Introduction to Critical Theory	3		S
FMS 489 Honors: Director's Cinema	3		Check Class Schedule

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HIST 485 Z Recent United States History - Honors	3		F
MATH 483 Z Honors Seminar in Mathematics - Introduction to Mathematical Proof	1	MATH 370	Even-numbered spring terms
MATH 484 Z Honors Seminar in Mathematics - Topics in Number Theory	1	MATH 370	Odd-numbered spring terms
PHIL 485 Z Honors Seminar: Philosophy of the Martial Arts	3		F, S
PHIL 486 Z Honors Seminar in Critical Thinking and Composition: Philosophy of Happiness	3	ENGL C1000 or C1000H	F, S
POLS C1000H Z Introduction to Government: United States - Honors	3		Even-numbered spring terms
POLS 482 International Political Economy - Honors	3		Check Class Schedule
STAT C1000H Z Introduction to Probability and Statistics - Honors	4	Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures assessment process or completion of a course taught at or above the level of intermediate algebra.	Check Class Schedule for offering

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[^]You must have passed the prerequisite course(s) with a "C" or better; Corequisite must be taken during the same semester; Advisory means it is recommended but not required to enroll in the course.

*(O) = online available (P) = Partially online

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