



# THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

## COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS HONORS PROGRAM GUIDELINES

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## APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY – THE STUDENT MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS

1. Student must be classified as
  - Sophomore
  - Junior
  - SeniorStudent must have at least two years – four full spring and fall semesters – remaining to graduate
2. Student is required to have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5

## IF THE REQUIREMENTS ABOVE ARE FULFILLED, THE STUDENT MUST SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO ENTER THE LIBERAL ARTS HONORS PROGRAM

LAHP Rolling Admission - ([PDF](#)) or LAHP Rolling Admission - ([WORD](#))

## TO EARN THE LIBERAL ARTS HONORS DEGREE MINOR FOR BOTH PHASES, THE STUDENT MUST FULFILL THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS

1. Member Agreement  
The member agreement will be signed and submitted to UHP only once and upon entry to the program. Any changes in the program will be acknowledged to the student by email
2. Academic Requirements  
Maintain a minimum 3.5 cumulative GPA



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### 3. University Honors Program Group Event Participation

Students must be part of the Honors community at UTEP and it is mandatory to attend at least one (1) UHP Group Event each fall and spring semester. Events are announced by the UHP Office ahead of time during the academic year and managed and tracked by the UHP Office ([uhpnetwork@utep.edu](mailto:uhpnetwork@utep.edu))

NOTE: We encourage students in the Honors program to attend as many UHP Group Events as possible within the context of a positive school-life balance

### 4. Graduation Clearance for the Honors Degree

Students are responsible for submitting a Graduation Clearance Form (available on the UHP website) to the UHP Office by the deadline given on the Form. This form must be submitted in the last semester before graduation and late submissions may not be awarded the Honors degree. If the student is graduating in the summer and walking in the Spring commencement, required documents must be submitted based on the UHP Academic Spring calendar due dates. If you are graduating summer and walking in the Fall commencement, required documents must be submitted based on the UHP Academic Fall calendar due dates

### 5. High Impact Extracurricular Engagement

Complete requirements. The student will have to provide proof of satisfactory completion and attendance of the activities. Be sure to visit the LAHP [Admission Requirements](#), as well as [What to do When You're Admitted](#), and [Graduating with LAHP Honors](#) for more information on how the LAHP Minor works. You can apply to the LAHP when you have completed a minimum of 30 credit hours, with at least 12 of those hours at UTEP

To complete the LAHP minor a student must fulfill the following requirements:

- a) Two LAHP [theory/methodology courses](#) (6 Credit Hours)
- b) Three additional courses, or two for Psychology students, that can be chosen from a list of over **100 Honors-Designated Courses, Internships taken for course credit**, Study Abroad courses (up to six hours), or [courses taken with UTEP professors outside of El Paso](#). We also partner with the [Law School Preparation Institute \(LSPI\)](#) and accept up to six hours of their courses.
- c) One [Zero credit cross-disciplinary Honors Seminar](#) taken in the student's last semester (0 Credit Hours)
- d) One [Honors Project/Thesis](#) to be completed in an independent study course within the student's home department (3 Credit Hours)

## UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM RECOGNITION

1. Recognized at commencement by the wearing of a gold stole and pin
2. Commencement booklet mention
3. Honors Degree recognition on the transcript

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