Transferring into Honors at Eastern
Honors Opportunities for Transfer Students

1. University Honors for continuing Honors Students
2. Departmental Honors for Research Opportunities
3. General Honors for Flexible Honors Study
4. Honors Transfer Scholarship

Honors programs require a 3.5 GPA from CC for admission.
University Honors

- 28 credits of Honors courses, often counting toward General education.
- Students can count up to 12 cr of prior Honors work at CC towards University Honors.
- Ideal for students who have some general education classes to complete.
Departmental Honors

• 24 Departmental Honors programs
• Research / Capstone focused
• High participation by transfer students
• Requires a 3.5 GPA at prior institution for eligibility: no prior honors experience required
• 12 cr of independent study/research/thesis

• Ideal for students interested in grad/prof’l study
General Honors

• 15 cr. of any Honors course work, including up to 6 cr. of Honors work at prior institution
• Requires 30 cr. of completed coursework for admission.

• Ideal for students who need flexibility
Honors Transfer Student Scholarship

• For students who have been enrolled in an honors program at a post-secondary institution before attending EIU. Eligible students must have a 3.5 GPA and must enroll in an EIU Honors program.
• $1500 paid over fall and spring semesters.
• www.eiu.edu/honors/HTS.php
• Ideal for students who like money
Honors Opportunities

Students in all programs (University/ Deptl / General) get

• Priority registration
• Access to honors scholarships for study abroad
• Honors Advising
• Honors community – extracurricular programs
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Questions?
Suggestions?

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