



Honors Education in Arkansas

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University of Arkansas

- 4,000 students in the honors program
- 3.5 GPA requirement
- Up to 90 freshman fellowships that provide \$70,000 over four years
- Special housing

University of Central Arkansas

- 300 Students
- 3.5 GPA
- More than 80% of UCA's Honors College graduates pursue post-baccalaureate training
- Special housing
- Incoming Honors College freshmen will be awarded the Honors College Scholarship upon admission. When added to the Arkansas Lottery Scholarship, this award constitutes a full-ride scholarship

Henderson State University

- 3.25 GPA requirement
- Minimum of 28 hours of classwork each academic year
- During the freshman and sophomore years, students should take at least 12 of the following 18 hours of liberal arts core honors courses:
 - ENG 1803, Freshman English-Honors
 - ENG 2793, Masters of Western Literature-Honors
 - HIS 1043, Civilization Since 1660-Honors
 - HUM 2093, Fine Arts-Honors
 - PHI 2083, Introduction to Philosophy-Honors
 - PSY 1073, General Psychology-Honors

Arkansas Tech

- 3.5 GPA required for acceptance
- 27+ ACT required for acceptance
- Top 10% of graduating class required for acceptance
- Seniors have to complete a Senior Honors Symposium

University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

- 3.25 GPA requirement
- 21 ACT requirement
- Top 25% of graduating class
- Honors dorms
- Honors study lounge

Arkansas State University

- 28 ACT requirement
- 3.5 high school GPA
- To graduate "In University Honors" students must have:
 - 24 credit hours of Honors coursework. 12 credit hours must be upper-level courses.
 - Senior thesis in major or minor area.
 - Cumulative GPA of 3.50 or higher.
- To graduate "In Honors" students must have:
 - 18 credit hours of Honors coursework. 9 credit hours must be upper-level courses.
 - Cumulative GPA of 3.50 or higher.
- To earn an Honors certificate students must have:
 - 18 credit hours of Honors coursework.
 - Cumulative GPA of 3.00

Harding University

- 27 ACT required for acceptance
- 3.25 to stay in the program
- Honors College Graduates earn a minimum of 20 hours of honors credits while maintaining a 3.25 overall grade point average. Students must include at least three honors (H) sections and/or HNRS courses, and four honors contracts.