HONORS COLLEGE

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What Honors students all share is the conviction that college is about more than just getting a degree or just learning the subject matter. It is about being challenged and experiencing an in-depth involvement in their education and field of study.

The goals for the Honors College are to offer students an enriched educational experience through increased undergraduate research opportunities, leadership development, community engagement and international program opportunities.

The Honors College is open to all Texas A&M University-Kingsville students who meet the academic requirements. Students in the Honors College belong to their degree-granting college and the Honors College. Participation in the Honors College does not lengthen the time it takes a student to graduate. All Honors courses count toward a student’s degree.

There is a separate application process for the Honors College.

Eligibility: For incoming freshmen, the requirements are a minimum ACT of 24 or SAT of 1100 (verbal/math); a high school grade point average of 3.5 or above and class rank of top 10% or better. Current and transfer students will require a minimum grade point average of 3.5

Benefits of a Texas A&M University-Kingsville Honors College education:

- Small classes of 12-15 scholars
- Special courses and seminars
- Priority registration
- Research experience in academic area leading to a senior thesis/project
- Study abroad scholarship support
- Assistance/mentoring with applications for national scholarships
- Honors housing opportunities
- Sense of community
- Honors courses listed on transcript
- Honors recognition at honors ceremony and graduation

Office of National Scholarships
The Office of National Scholarships (ONS) offers advisement on national competitive scholarships, fellowships and internships. ONS offers application assistance to all Texas A&M-Kingsville students at the undergraduate, graduate and doctoral levels including:

- Notification of upcoming competitions
- Application assistance for competitions and graduate/professional schools
- Essay assistance
- Mock interviews
- Graduate and professional school test study lessons
- Resume/portfolio building

Contact the Office of National Scholarships at 361-593-4862 for additional information or to schedule an appointment.