University of St. Thomas
Honors Program
2014-2016 Catalog

Semester Course Should be Taken	Honors Program (21 hours)	Total Hours Complete	Total Hours Needed
Fall Semester Freshman Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 1391 – The Tribe and the City		
Spring Semester Freshman Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 1392 – From Empire to Christendom		
Fall Semester Sophomore Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 2391 – Church and Nation		
Spring Semester Sophomore Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 2392 – Revolution and the New Empires		
Fall Semester Junior Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 3391 – Community Service Project		
Spring Semester Junior Year	**No Required Course**		
Fall Semester Senior Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 4394 – Independent Research Project		
Spring Semester Senior Year	**Required 3 credit hours:** HNRS 4395 – Contemporary Problems Seminar		
	Total Required	**21**	

Students who Complete the Honors Program

Upon completion of the four-course honors sequence (HNRS 1391, 1392, 2391, 2392) and the Contemporary Problems Seminar (HNRS 4395), the student will be credited with fulfilling 15 credit hours in the core curriculum as follows:

- English (ENGL 1341)
- History (any course)
- Social science (any course)
- Either of the third courses in theology or philosophy
- The Theology/Philosophy/Catholic Studies Synthesis

No course may be applied to the mathematics, natural science, language, oral communication or fine arts block of the core curriculum.

ENGLISH REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTERING FRESHMEN IN HONORS

Students with no transfer credit in English take 1342, 2312
Students with 3 hours of English transfer credit take 2312
Students with 6 hours of English transfer credit need no additional English for core

- Upon completion of the Independent Research Project (HNRS 4394), students will receive 3 credit hours in their major field.
- Students must consult their department chair to determine what course in their major is eligible for credit.

Students Who Withdraw from the Honors Program

A student who leaves the Honors Program **after completing one course** will receive credit for the honors course as an elective. It will NOT fulfill any core curriculum requirements.

A student who leaves the Honors Program **after completing two or more courses** may designate the appropriate blocks in the core curriculum requirements to which to apply the honors credits.