

Today's Agenda

► Your Honors Facilitator presents:

Advising and Academic Info

- Preparation and Resources
- After the appointment



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HON 102A17: Honors Mindset Seminar

Students complete this seminar as their first Honors Learning Experience in the fall semester to which they have been admitted to the Honors Program.

Fall 2025 Honors Facilitator Materials

Week 1 (August 18 - 22)

[Presentation](#) 

Honors Program Website

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Meeting with your Honors Advisor in the fall semester is **required**.

October 2025						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Registration	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Spring 2026 Registration Timeline

September 8 - October 10: Honors Advising Appointments Available

- Meeting with your Honors Advisor is **required** before you can register. Your access to registration will be blocked until you have had an appointment.
- It is your responsibility to schedule an appointment in a timely manner.
- Your Honors Advisor will be available after registration begins for follow-up appointments.

September 15: Spring courses viewable on [CourseFinder](#)

October 1: Registration date and time posted in **My Illinois State**

- Check the Academics tab for your registration time.

Registration Times			
If you need additional assistance with Course Registration, visit the Registrar's Office website or contact the Registrar Service Center in Moulton Hall or call (309) 438-2188, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.			
Summer 2025 Registration Times Available February 1	Fall 2025 Registration Times Available March 1	Winter 2025 Registration Times Available October 1	Spring 2026 Registration Times Available October 1

- Check **My Illinois State** for Holds, Blocks, or To-Do items.
 - Click on the link for information regarding Holds, Blocks, or To-Do items that may prevent you from registering.
 - Common Holds include the **Financial Responsibility Agreement** (completed every semester) or late notices from Student Accounts; Holds must be cleared in order to register for classes.

October 13: Registration opens at 8:30 am; Honors students are eligible to register at this time.

- Honors Advisors are available for follow-up appointments, if desired.
- For winter session, your registration date/time will be based on earned credit hours.

Tips for Meeting with Your Advisor

- Meet in person, if possible.
- Email your advisor if available appointment times conflict with your schedule.
- Be aware of your schedule so that you avoid appointment times when you have class.
- Consider where you are coming from or going to after your appointment. Plan for 30 minutes.
- Check in at the computer kiosk and wait up front for your advisor.
 - If your advisor is Vicky Johnson, her office is in Fell Hall. You'll go to Fell 340 to check in and will wait for her there.
- Stay home if you are sick. Ask your advisor to switch to zoom or reschedule.
- Be ready for your appointment with the preparation sheet and a list of questions you may have for your advisor.



My Primary Advisor



Name

Email

Phone

[Make an Appointment](#)

[View my success team](#)

Account Notifications At a Glance

View personalized notifications associated with your account. Select a topic to view complete details.


You have no account notifications at this time.

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Tips for your meeting with your advisor

- Meet in person if possible
- Contact your advisor if appointment times don't work
- Be aware of your schedule; plan for 30 minutes
- Check in at the kiosk and wait up front
- Stay away if you are sick
- Be prepared

Preparing for your Appointment

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Fall 2025 Honors Advising Appointment Preparation

Name: _____

Advisor: _____

Appointment Day/Time: _____

Courses I would like to take in Spring 2026:

Dept./School	Course Number and Title	Credit Hrs.	Gen Ed, Major, Elective, etc.

Questions for my Honors Advisor:

Notes:

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- Appointment details
- Your plan for classes
- Questions for your advisor

Preparing for your Appointment

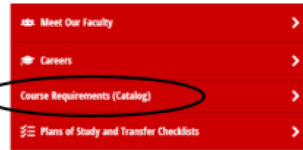
Tips to Complete the Honors Advising Appointment Preparation Worksheet

Major Requirements and Sample Plan of Study

To find information regarding your major, start on the Illinois State University home page.

Click on Academics and then Majors.

Find your major using the A – Z links or by scrolling down the page. Once you are on the page for your major, click on **Course Requirements (Catalog)**. This will take you to your major department/school's section of the catalog.



On your Department/School's page, select **View Course Requirements**.

[View Psychology Course Requirements >](#)

Review the courses required for your major, specific graduation requirements, as well as how General Education fits with your major. You can also view a Sample Plan of Study.

Jump to > [Major Requirements](#) • [Graduation Requirements](#) • [General Education Requirements](#) • [Sample Plan of Study](#)

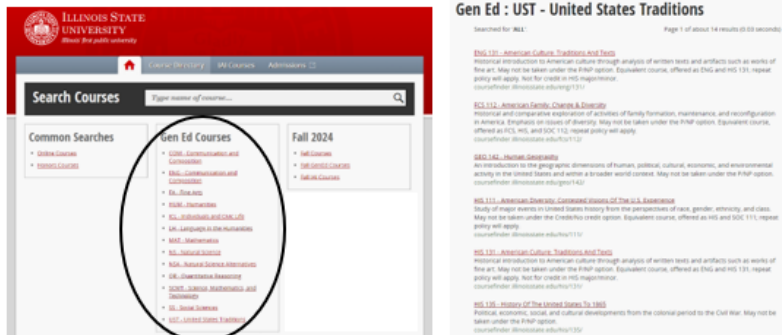
General Education or Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI)*

For a complete listing of General Education or IAI classes by category, refer to CourseFinder:

coursefinder.illinoisstate.edu

*Students who are following IAI were notified at Preview.

Your Honors Advisor encourages you to review the options in each category in order to select the courses that are the most interesting to you.



FCS 112 - American Family: Change & Diversity

Department: Family and Consumer Sciences

Description: Historical and comparative exploration of activities of family formation, maintenance, and reconfiguration in America. Emphasis on issues of diversity. May not be taken under the P/NP option. Equivalent course, offered as FCS, HIS, and SOC 112; repeat policy will apply.

Credit Hours: 3

General Education: UST - United States Traditions

Graduation Requirement: IDEAS - Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Access in U.S. Society. This graduation requirement is for all students, starting with students following the 2023-2024 catalog.

Back Side of Handout

- Where to find:
 - Major requirements
 - Sample Plan of Study
 - General Education or IAI

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Major Changes

- ▶ Reach out to your Honors Advisor via email
- ▶ Your advisor will help you with next steps

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What Are You Looking For?

Things to try: tutoring, grade history, course registration, tech help, etc...




 [Office 365 and Email](#)

 [Canvas](#)

 [Student Center](#)

 [Pay/Review Account](#)

 [iPeople](#)

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Holds, Tasks, and To Do List



1 Holds

Profile



Advising / Academic Progress



Manage Classes



1 Active Appointment

Financial Aid



Student Financials



Milestones / Teacher Education



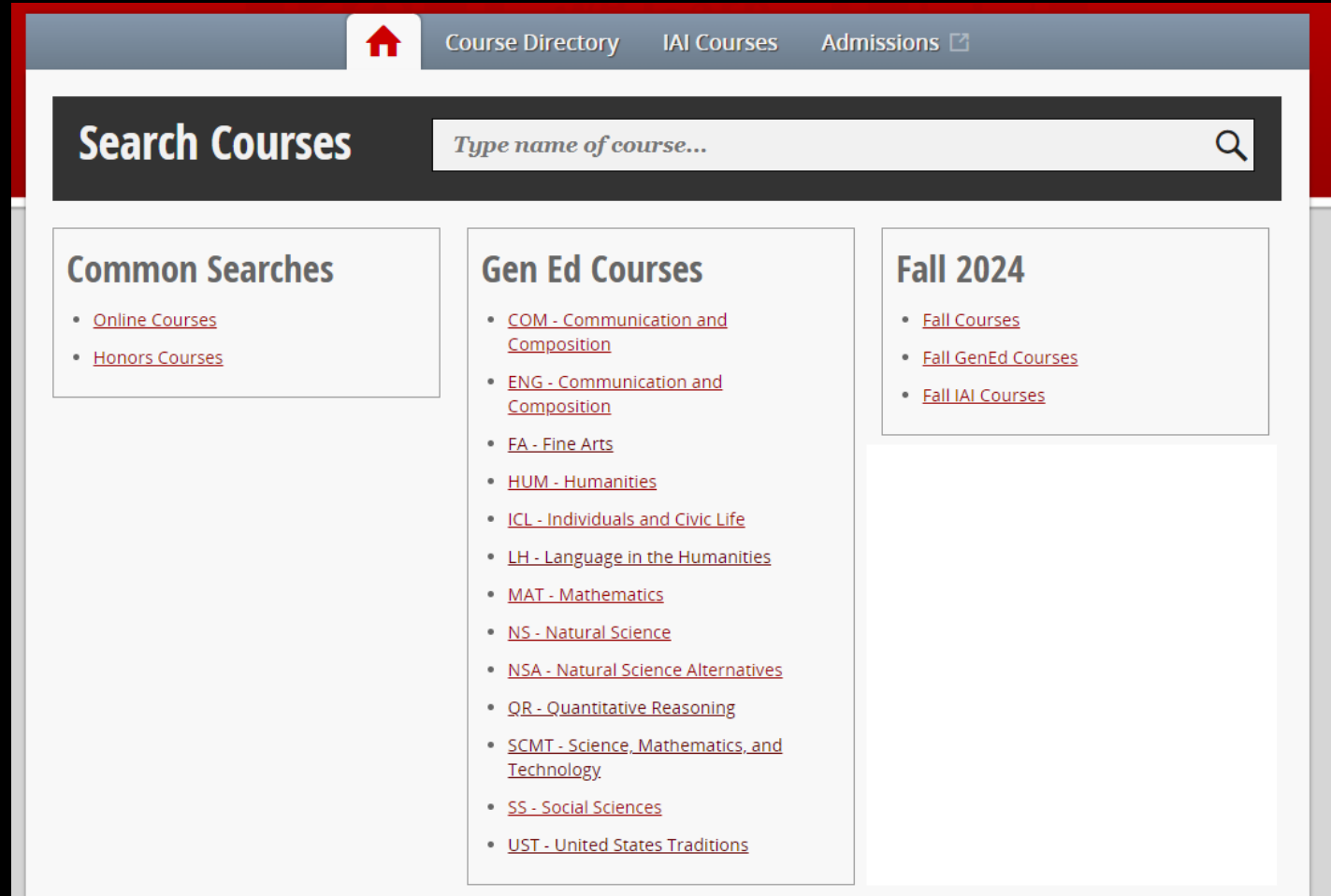
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Moving Forward

- ▶ Make an appointment with your Honors Advisor
- ▶ Start planning to register
- ▶ September 15: Explore CourseFinder



After Your Appointment

▶ Email

- Illinois State email account
- Please include your name

▶ 2nd Appointment is your choice

- After registration
- Honors Advisors are available year round



Welcome Picnic
5 – 7 pm on Thursday, September 4th

Food, games, and prizes.