

Today's Agenda

▶ Your Honors Facilitator presents:

The Honors Program

- Requirements
- Maintaining “**Good Standing**”



“Navigating the Honors Program”

- ReggieNet Quiz
- Opens Week 13: Monday, November 8
- Closes on Friday, November 19

Honors Program Good Standing



- ▶ Grade Point Average
 - 3.3 cumulative Grade Point Average
- ▶ Participation
 - 1 Honors Learning Experience (HLE) each semester

Honors Program Grade Point Average

- ▶ 3.3 cumulative Grade Point Average = **Good Standing**
- ▶ 3.0 – 3.29 cumulative GPA = **Probation**
- ▶ < 3.0 cumulative GPA = **Ineligible to continue** in Honors
 - Appeal process is available

Honors Program Grade Point Average

- ▶ 3.0 – 3.29 cumulative GPA = **Probation**
 - Up to two Probation Semesters
 - Earn a 3.3 **semester** GPA to earn a 2nd probation semester
 - If given a 2nd probation semester, cumulative GPA must be back to 3.3 by the end.

Honors Program GPA Scenario 1

- ▶ Student A is in the Honors Program.
They had a difficult fall semester and earned a 2.9 semester GPA. The cumulative GPA is 3.44.
- ▶ What happens to the student?
- ▶ **Nothing.**
All good!
The cumulative is still above 3.3.

Honors Program GPA Scenario 2

- ▶ Student B is in the Honors Program.
The fall semester GPA is 2.9.
The cumulative GPA is 3.15.
- ▶ What happens to the student?
- ▶ **“Honors Probation” for the spring semester.**

Honors Program GPA Scenario 3

- ▶ It's the spring and Student B is on Honors Probation. The spring semester GPA is 3.40 and the cumulative GPA is 3.24.
- ▶ What happens to Student B?
- ▶ **2nd probation semester in the fall.**
- ▶ **Must end the 2nd probation semester with a minimum 3.3 cumulative GPA to continue in the Honors Program.**

GPA Estimator in My Illinois State

The screenshot displays the 'My Illinois State' user interface. At the top left is the Illinois State University logo and name. To the right are navigation links for 'Giving', 'News', 'Events', 'Map', 'Apply', and 'My' with a search icon. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with links for 'Requests & Forms', 'Safety & Policy', 'Utilities', 'My Profile', and 'Logout'. A prominent red navigation bar contains the main menu items: 'Home', 'Academics', 'Finances', 'Student Life', and 'Pay & Benefits'. The 'Academics' tab is selected and highlighted. Below the navigation bar, the word 'Academics' is displayed in a large, bold font. Underneath it, a descriptive sentence reads: 'View your full class schedule, ReggieNet information, grade history and more.' A large, bright yellow arrow points downwards from the 'Academics' section towards a row of four blue buttons. The buttons are labeled 'Academic Advisor', 'GPA Estimator', 'Academic Status', and 'Progress Towards My Degree'. The 'GPA Estimator' button is the central focus of the arrow.

GPA Estimator in My Illinois State

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Course	Hours	Grade
ENG 297 - The Teaching Of Writing	3	A ▾
THE 331 - History And Styles Of Stage Costuming I	3	A ▾
THE 240 - Principles Of Stage Direction	3	A ▾
ENG 300 - Senior Seminar	3	A ▾

Projected Semester GPA: 4.00

Projected GPA: 3.92

Honors Program Participation

- ▶ 1 Honors Learning Experience (HLE) each semester
- ▶ Not required during the following experiences:
 - Study abroad for full semester
 - Student Teaching
 - Fall semester of PDS
 - Field based semester for Special Education
 - Full time (12 credit hours) internship

Honors Program Participation: Banking an HLE

- ▶ “Banking” an Honors Learning Experience (HLE)
- ▶ Multiple HLE in a semester:
“Bank” 1 for a future semester
- ▶ Only 1 HLE in the “bank”
at a time



Honors Program Suspension

- ▶ Did not complete an Honors Learning Experience and there is no HLE in the “bank”
- ▶ Honors Suspension for the following semester:
 - “Regular” registration time ☹️
 - Must complete *one* Honors Learning Experience while on Honors Suspension; don’t have to make up the missed HLE
 - Only one semester of Honors Suspension

Honors Program Participation: Summer

- ▶ Honors Participation is not required in the Summer
- ▶ If you complete a summer HLE...
 - It will be “banked” if your bank is empty, OR
 - It will be applied to the following Fall semester



Honors Program Participation: Summer



Summer registration is scheduled to open on February 14

Summer 2022 Honors Section:

IDS 213: Comics, Graphic Novels, and Society

- General Education: Humanities

Honors Learning Experiences for Spring

▶ Plan now:

- Honors Section
- Honors Seminar

▶ Plan later:

- Honors Exploration
- Honors Contract
- Honors Research
- Honors Travel

Honors Program Probation vs. Suspension

Probation

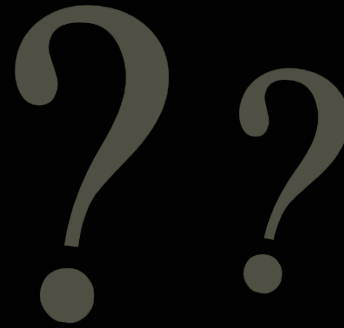
- ▶ **P**robation is related to Grade **P**oint Average.
- ▶ Probation can happen multiple times if GPA fluctuates.
- ▶ Early registration.

Suspension

- ▶ Suspension is related to Honors Learning Experiences.
- ▶ Suspension can only happen once.
- ▶ “Regular” registration.

Honors Program Requirements Review

- ▶ What are the two main requirements for **Good Standing**?
 - ✓ **3.3 cumulative GPA; 1 HLE each semester**
- ▶ What is it called when your **GPA** is not quite high enough?
 - ✓ **Honors Probation**
- ▶ What is the penalty for not completing an Honors Learning Experience?
 - ✓ **Honors Suspension; lose the privilege of early registration**



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