**Student: HONORS PROGRAM ADVISING CHECK SHEET**

**Suggested BIC/Honors Course Sequence**

The schedule below is one way for students in the BIC to earn Honors Program credit without having to take a significant number of additional Honors sections outside of the BIC during the freshman and sophomore years. (You are free to take other Honors classes in place of the BIC group contracts; BIC students sometimes do so when there is an Honors section of a class in their major or professional program.) In several cases, satisfying a BIC group contract requires four supplemental discussion meetings outside of the regular BIC class.

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|  | ***Fall Term*** | | | ***Spring Term*** | | |
|  | Semester | Complete? |  | Semester | **Complete?** |
| ***First Year of Study*** | BIC 1314  (with group contract  for Honors credit) |  |  | BIC 1324  (with group contract  for Honors credit) |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Additional Honors unit  Course: |  |  |
|  | BIC 2334  (with group contract  for Honors credit) |  |  | HON 3200: Colloquium I |  |  |
| ***Second Year of Study*** | BIC 2330  (with group contract  for Honors credit) |  |  | BIC 2344  (with group contract  for Honors credit) |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | BIC 2340  (with group contract  for Honors credit) |  |  |
| ***Third Year of Study*** | (*HON 3100: Advanced Readings & Research I is usually taken during this semester*) |  |  | Adv. Read. & Research  Hon 3100 (if not completed): |  |  |
| Hon 3101 |  |  |
|  | Additional Honors unit  (upper level)  Course: |  |  | Additional Honors unit  (upper level)  Course: |  |  |
| ***Fourth Year of Study*** | HON 4V87 (2 hrs):  Honors Thesis  Advisor: |  |  | HON 4V87 (2 hrs)  Honors Thesis  HON 4088:  Honors Exit Review |  |  |
|  | Additional Honors unit  (upper level)  Course: |  |  |  |  |  |

*“Additional Honors units” are Honors sections of classes required for your major, minor, or elective. The last three Additional Honors units must be in classes at the 3000 or 4000 level. Note that up to two Honors units may be completed through the alternative means listed in the Honors Program Student Handbook.*

**University Scholars/BIC/Honors Curriculum**

If you participate in these 3 programs, you should follow the above Honors guide for the four years you are in the program.

**Great Texts/BIC/Honors Curriculum**

Students with a major or minor in Great Texts should follow the above Honors curriculum guide and petition for BIC classes to substitute for GTX 2301/02.

BIC Modifications:

* FYS & GTX courses replaced with other honors courses (e.g., BIC 1314, 1324, 2334 with a group contract)

Additional Honors Units:

* Additional Honors courses
* Honors contract
* Colloquium may be taken a second time (as HON 3201) to satisfy an upper-level Honors unit

Max. of 2 Honors Units by these means:

* Leader in Freshman Read. Project
* *Pulse* staff for one acad. year
* HSAC/BICLC for one acad. year.
* Book Club (x2; x4 requires leading once)
* Film Club (x2; x4 requires leading once)
* Study Abroad response
* Select scholarship competitions

Half Honors Unit by these means:

* Participate in Book Club/Film Club for 1 semester
* Participate in the HRC Formation series for semester
* Present research, esp. @ Honors Week

GPA Requirement

* 3.5 or better after second year
  + Students can petition if close
* 3.2 or better at graduation. No exceptions.

Group contracts arranged with BIC faculty in World Cultures and Social World.

For Honors contracts in other classes, see information and form here:

[www.baylor.edu/honorsprogram/contracts](http://www.baylor.edu/honorsprogram/contracts).

A [list of Honors class](https://www.baylor.edu/content/services/document.php?id=51100) will be posted on the Honors Program web site when available.