

**Honors and AP Benchmarks
2023-2024**

Below are the standards used to select Honors/AP recommendations. Students must have met 2 out of 3 criteria to be recommended. "All terms" means Quarter 1, Quarter 2, and Midterm.

ENGLISH

Course	PSAT Score	Grade	Additional Criteria
Honors English I	ERW 555	"A" all terms from Eng 8	Teacher Rec
Honors English II	ERW 565	"A" all terms from English I CP; "A" or "B" all terms from English I Honors	Teacher Rec
Honors English III	ERW 575	"A" all terms from English II CP; "A" or "B" all terms from English II Honors	Teacher Rec
English III AP	ERW 600	"A" all terms from English II CP or Honors	Teacher Rec
Honors English IV	ERW 600	"A" all terms from English III CP; "A" or "B" all terms from English III Honors or AP	Teacher Rec
English IV AP	ERW 650	"A" all terms from English III CP/ Honors; "A" or "B" all terms from English III AP	Teacher Rec
English V DE	18 in Eng. or counselor rec	2.5 Cumulative GPA	N/A

MATH

Course	PSAT Score	Grade	Additional Criteria
Honors Algebra I	450	“A” all terms from Algebra 8	Teacher Rec
Honors Geometry	480	“A” all terms from Algebra I CP; or “A” or “B” all terms from Honors Algebra I	Teacher Rec
Honors Algebra II	530	“A” all terms from Geometry CP; or “A” or “B” all terms from Honors Geometry	Teacher Rec
Honors Advanced Math	570	“A” all terms from Algebra II CP; or “A” or “B” all terms from Honors Algebra II	Teacher Rec
AP Precalculus	570	“A” all terms from Algebra II CP; or “A” or “B” all terms from Honors Algebra II	Teacher Rec
AP Calculus	610	“A” or “B” all terms from Honors Advanced Math	Teacher Rec
AP Statistics	570	“A” all terms from Algebra II or Advanced Math; or “A” or “B” all terms from Honors Algebra II or Honors Advanced Math	Teacher Rec

SCIENCE – uses a weighted average composite score: math score .7 + science score .3; must score at or above 70th percentile of the composite score:

$[0.7 * \text{Math} + 0.3 * \text{Sci}] \geq 349$ rising 9th graders;

$[0.7 * \text{Math} + 0.3 * \text{Sci}] \geq 377$ rising 10th graders;

$[0.7 * \text{Math} + 0.3 * \text{Sci}] \geq 370$ rising 11th graders;

$[0.7 * \text{Math} + 0.3 * \text{Sci}] \geq 385$ rising seniors

Grade levels shown below are “rising” (rising 9th grader is a current 8th grader, etc)

Course	PSAT Score	Grade	Additional Criteria
Honors Physical Sci	Placement Test		Math Placement
Honors Env Sci	9th: 349	“A” all terms CP PS ≥ “B” all terms PSH	Teacher Rec
Honors Biology	9th:349; 10th 377	≥ “B” all terms PSH	Teacher Rec
Honors Chemistry	10th: 377; 11th: 370	≥ “B” all terms Bio H “A” all terms Bio	Teacher Rec
Honors Physics	11th: 370; 12th: 385	≥ “B” all terms for any honors/AP course “A” all terms Chem	Teacher Rec
AP Biology	11th: 370; 12th: 385	≥ “B” all terms for current science course	Teacher Rec
Honors Organic Chemistry	11th: 370; 12th: 385	≥ “B” all terms for current science course	Teacher Rec
Honors HBS		PLTW EOC score, current course, must be higher than “Novice”	Teacher Rec
Honors MI		≥ “B” all terms for current PLTW course; PLTW EOC score, current course, must be higher than “Novice”	Teacher Rec
Honors BI		≥ “B” all terms for current PLTW course; PLTW EOC score,	Teacher Rec

		current course, must be higher than “Novice”	
Honors POE or CSP		≥ “B” all terms for current PLTW course; PLTW EOC score, current course, must be higher than “Novice”	Teacher Rec
Honors EDD		≥ “B” all terms for current PLTW course; PLTW EOC score, current course, must be higher than “Novice”	Teacher Rec

SOCIAL STUDIES

Course	PSAT Score	Grade	Additional Criteria
Honors World Geo	ERW 470 & Social Studies 25	“A” all terms from Louisiana Studies	Teacher Rec
AP Human Geo	ERW 500 & Social Studies 26	“A” all terms from Louisiana Studies, or “A” in any upper level Honors	Teacher Rec
Honors World History	ERW 530 & Social Studies 26	“A” all terms from World Geography CP; “A” or “B” all terms from World Geo H	Teacher Rec
AP World History	ERW 590 & Social Studies 27	“A” all terms from World Geography CP/Honors; “A” or “B” all terms from Human Geography	Teacher Rec
Honors American History	ERW 570 & Social Studies 27	“A” all terms from World History CP; “A” or “B” all terms from World History Honors/AP	Teacher Rec

AP US History	ERW 590 & Social Studies 28	“A” or “B” all terms from World History Honors or WHAP	Teacher Rec
Honors Civics	ERW 600 & Social Studies 28	“A” all terms from American History CP; “A” or “B” all terms from American History Honors/AP	Teacher Rec
AP Government	ERW 610 & Social Studies 29	“A” or “B” all terms from American History Honors or APUSH	Teacher Rec
AP Psychology	ERW 600 & Social Studies 30	“A” or “B” all terms from any Honors/ AP	Teacher Rec
DE Sociology	18 in Eng. or counselor rec	2.5 Cumulative GPA	Teacher Rec

WORLD LANGUAGE

Course	PSAT Score	Grade	Additional Criteria
Honors French II	ERW- 520	“A” all terms from any French 1	Teacher Rec
Honors Spanish II	ERW- 520	“A” all terms from any Spanish I	Teacher Rec
Honors Spanish III	ERW-530	“A” or “B” all terms from any Honors	Teacher Rec
DE Spanish	18 in Eng. ACT or counselor rec	2.5 Cumulative GPA	Teacher Rec
Honors Latin II	ERW-520	“A” all terms from any Latin 1	Teacher Rec
Honors Latin III	ERW-530	“A” all terms from any Latin II	Teacher Rec

FINE ARTS AND MEDIA

Course	PSAT Score	Grade	Additional Criteria
AP Art	NA	NA	Teacher Rec.

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