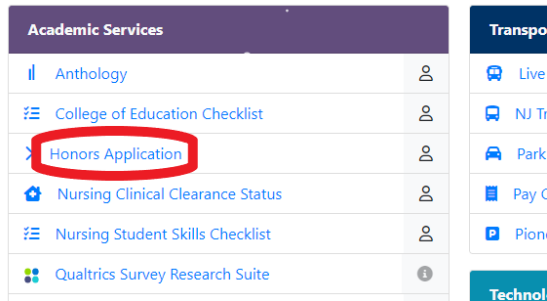


2024 Honors Excel Scholarship Application

Apply by April 5, 2024

William Paterson University Honors College

1. **Click on the application in the Student Tab of WPCConnect. Under Academic Services, click on Honors application.**



This application asks which Honors track you are interested in; how you heard about the University Honors College; Name of High School; High School Grade Point Average; Highest SAT or ACT Scores (if any); Name of Previous College and Name of Transfer Counselor (if any); List any honors or International Baccalaureate courses that you took in high school/college; list any dual-credit courses you took in high school; list any AP courses you completed in high school; your extracurricular activities and interests; any academic awards or honors you have received. There is a required essay. The topic is "Why you want to be a part of the Honors College at William Paterson University".

2. **Complete this second application:**

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The application asks how many credits you have earned; to acknowledge that you are aware of the additional Honors requirements (found in the Honors Student Handbook on the Honors webpage); pick 5 words to describe yourself; give some advice to an incoming student; and to describe your role model.

Please note: The William Paterson University Honors College includes all majors and seeks diversity in representation across groups. The Honors Excel Scholarship is for current WP students. This is a competitive scholarship. Not all qualified applicants will receive a scholarship. The requirements for the scholarship are that the student be a first-year student at WP, have freshman or sophomore status, have earned a WP grade point average of 3.5 or higher, completed 90% of attempted credits, have earned 30 credits by the end of the second semester, complete the regular Honors College application in WPCConnect and complete this scholarship application. The scholarship is \$2000 per year for three years, starting in the Fall **2024** semester for students who remain in good standing in the Honors College. Decisions will be made in June 2024 by the Honors Track Directors.