



Honors-to-Honors Articulation Agreement Between McDaniel College and Montgomery College

PURPOSE

This honors-to-honors articulation agreement is designed to encourage and streamline the transfer process for honors students with proven records of success. Helping high-quality honors students transfer from Montgomery College (MC) to McDaniel College perpetuates excellence through honors learning. Honors students at MC who do not meet the transfer criteria outlined below may still have the opportunity to develop a plan to transfer into the Honors Program at McDaniel College if they work directly with both Honors Program directors.

TRANSFER CRITERIA

Montgomery College Honors students transferring to McDaniel College's Honors Program must:

- Apply by April 1st (for fall enrollment) or by January 4th (for spring enrollment) to McDaniel College and be accepted
- Apply by April 1st (for fall enrollment) or by January 4th (for spring enrollment) to the McDaniel College Honors Program
- Be in the process of completing the AA, AS, AFA, AAT, or AAS degree at Montgomery College
- Be in the process of completing a minimum of 12 hours of honors coursework at Montgomery College (confirmation by the Montgomery College Honors Director or the registrar's office required)
- Have earned at least a 3.5 cumulative GPA at the time of application to the McDaniel College Honors Program

HONORS COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS AT MCDANIEL COLLEGE

To graduate as a *College Scholar* from McDaniel College's Honors Program, students must meet the following requirements:

- Overall GPA of 3.5 or better
- Demonstrate intellectual and moral character befitting a member of the Honors Program
- HON 1101 Leading Change (2 credits: fall of 1st year)
- HON 2201 Great Works (4 credits: fall or spring of 1st year)
- HON 4491 Senior Honors Colloquium (2 credits; spring of senior year)
- Completion of a College Scholars Project (4 credits: senior year, met by pursuing departmental honors or proposing a distinct project)
- Four Honors Modules, selecting from among the following:
 - Honors-enriched experiences, where students receive Honors credit for one upper-level course not otherwise designated as Honors that has been sufficiently augmented to fulfill the goals of the Honors Program (maximum of 1 allowed)

- Honors electives (courses that also fulfill general education requirements; may sometimes fulfill a major or minor requirement as well; must meet one or more of the four student learning outcomes)
- Study abroad (each semester abroad counts as one honors module)

Honors Program opportunities and privileges include: study abroad, co-curricular activities, Honors housing, priority registration, Honors study space, extended library loan, Honors alumni network, official recognition of College Scholar status, and participation in state, regional, and national honors conferences.

HONORS COURSE TRANSFER

The Honors Program at McDaniel College will accept in transfer up to 3 courses taken at MC in which the student earned a “B” or better. These courses may count as honors modules at McDaniel College.

MC honors humanities courses relying on primary readings in the great works tradition may be substituted for HON2201 as one of the three (3) honors courses that may be transferred toward McDaniel Honors Program requirements.* Substitutions will be decided by the McDaniel College Honors Program Director. Students should provide course syllabi and other appropriate materials to the McDaniel College Honors Program Director for consideration.

*For example, ENGL 190 (Introduction to Literature), ENGL 201 and ENGL 202 (World Literature I and II), ENGL 211 and 212 (Survey of American Literature I and II) and ENGL 213 and 214 (Survey of British Literature I and II).

SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY

Montgomery College students admitted to McDaniel College’s Honors Program will automatically be considered for the following scholarships in either the fall or spring:

- McDaniel College scholarship – \$18,000 guaranteed with a 3.5 GPA or higher, at least 30 college credits, and Phi Theta Kappa membership
- McDaniel College scholarship – \$16,000 guaranteed with a 3.2 GPA or higher
- All other scholarships for which the student may qualify

This scholarship is not associated with transfer admission into the McDaniel College Honors Program.

OTHER PROVISIONS

Both institutions agree to communicate annually to share information on program updates, scholarships, curricular and program changes, and all processes relative to this agreement. This agreement becomes effective upon the signing of both parties and shall continue in effect until both parties agree in writing to modify or terminate the agreement. Termination of the agreement shall become effective ninety (90) days after written notice is given; termination shall not affect students already accepted into the Honors Program at McDaniel College.

SIGNATURES

McDaniel College



Dr. Roger Casey, President of the College



Dr. Jeanine Stewart, Provost and Dean of the Faculty

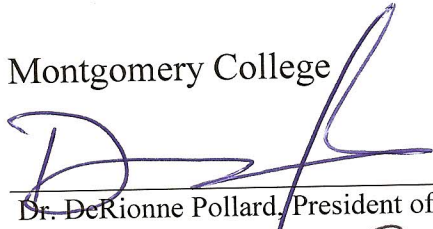


Dr. Sara Raley, Honors Program Director

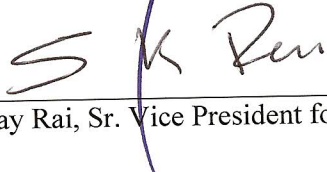
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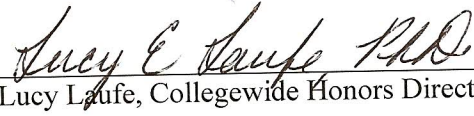
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Dr. DeRionne Pollard, President of the College



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