As an entering honors first-year student, you may join an Honors Residential Academic Program (RAP). These programs offer students the opportunity to live together and study together. The courses selected as part of these programs assist you in meeting your General Education and Honors requirements. During the first semester, you'll take one or two courses with other honors students living on or near your floor. Each of these Honors RAPs is located within one of the three Commonwealth Honors College Living-Learning Communities, also designated as Residential First Year Experience Halls.

Some of the programs are by application. The application period is March 1 - May 9.

APPLY FOR HONORS RAPs

Here are the Honors RAPs that will be offered in Fall 2016:

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Creativity Honors RAP
Engineering Honors RAP
Global Learning Honors RAP
Ideas Honors RAP
Isenberg Honors RAP
Leadership Honors RAP
Nursing Honors RAP
Topics in Health and Science Honors RAP
To see the University's full RAP selection, please look at the RAP website.

If you have any questions, please review our FAQs about Honors RAPs. Any remaining questions should be directed to melissa@honors.umass.edu.

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