**MACON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**

**HONORS PROGRAM**

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**Students who choose to be enrolled in the Honors Program at Macon County High School must decide as an entering freshman.**

**Requirements:**

1. **“A” average in all core classes (figured cumulatively for grades 6-8) for enrolling in honors classes as a freshman (state and local test scores for grades 6-8 are also taken into consideration)**
2. **Students must be enrolled in the Honors level of every state-required core class all four years of high school**
3. **Students must maintain a 3.25 cumulative unweighted GPA in all core classes**
4. **Students who earn a “C” or below per semester in any Honors level course will be encouraged to change out of the Honors level of that course. If student should earn a “C” or below any two semesters, the student will no longer be part of the Honors program**

**Criteria may change with further development of the Honors Program.**

* ***Students are allowed to take any Honors or advanced level course without participating in the Honors program as long as they have an “A” average (4.0 GPA) in that subject area.***
* ***They must make no lower than a semester grade of “B” in that subject area to remain in the Honors level.***
* ***Students who make a semester grade of “C” in an Honors class will not be allowed to take the Honors level the next year unless it is a graduation requirement.***
* ***Previous teacher recommendation and both counselor and parent approval is also required to enroll in an Honors class for the first time if student is not a freshman.***
* ***Also taken into consideration will be scores on practice ACT assessments, the ACT, the TCAP Writing Assessments, and EOC/TnReady exams.***

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