Honors Symposium Policies

HONOR THE HARDING DRESS CODE

Students are expected to adhere to the Harding University dress code which faculty, staff, and administration will enforce.

- Clothing must be neat and clean.
- Shorts must be mid-thigh or longer.
- Shirts and shoes must be worn on campus at all times.
- When wearing form-fitting attire (such as leggings), students must wear a top that is mid-thigh or longer.
- Women's tops must have at least 2-inch shoulder straps and must not reveal cleavage or midriff. Skirts and dresses must have hemlines that are mid-thigh or longer and slits not higher than midthigh. Banquet dresses may be strapless, but the back must not extend below the natural bra line.
- Men's tank tops are limited to athletic participation and must not reveal the chest and sides.
- Undergarments must not be visible. Sleepwear must not be worn as outerwear.
- Clothing that displays material or conveys a message inconsistent with the mission of the University is prohibited.
- Hair must be neat, clean, and free of extreme styles.
- Piercing is limited to the wearing of earrings and a small nose or eyebrow stud or ring.

HEALTH

- Students must provide a detailed and signed medical form. Students requiring medication must provide written instructions to Honors Symposium.
- Licensed health-care professionals are on duty daily serving the campus in case of illness and nearby Unity Health is used for emergencies. Any student diagnosed with contagious or communicable illness while at Honors Symposium must be withdrawn from Symposium immediately for the safety of all students.

VEHICLES

- All students driving themselves to Honors Symposium will be required to turn in their keys to the Summer Director for the duration of their session. Students will refrain from using their vehicles for personal trips for the duration of their session. Only designated adult staff members will operate vehicles during the sessions.

ACADEMICS

- The Honors Sympsium is an academic program that requires attendance and participation during the entire session. Students are enrolled in a 3-credit university course.
- By enrolling at the University, the student consents to the University photographing her or him for promotional and identification purposes.
- Cell phones are not to be used in class and/or any academic sessions beyond the classroom.