

**HOW TO
APPLY FOR AN
HONORS
RESIDENTIAL
COMMUNITY:**

- Follow Residential Programs and Services' instructions for filling out the online housing application at www.rps.indiana.edu/housinggd_main.cfm
- Select "Hutton Honors" and your preferred neighborhood as assignment preferences. Because the HRCs fill quickly, you should indicate a different HRC for each of your top neighborhood preferences if you want a good chance of being assigned a spot in an HRC, but you also must sign up early in the school year.
- Housing assignments are made on a first-come, first-served basis. Do not wait until late spring to sign up for housing.

Life in the Hutton Honors Residential Communities

Would you like to live in an intellectually vibrant environment that emphasizes both learning and the social aspects of campus life?

If so, why not consider a Hutton Honors Residential Community? Enjoy the HRC spirit of support and friendship while taking part in various cultural events, parties, dinners, out-of-state trips, as well as group study sessions and the occasional midnight pizza party.

HRC floors offer students a sense of family at IU, and many students find the HRCs are one of the best experiences they have at IU. The HRCs have one of the highest return rates on campus, so there are many upperclass students to help with coursework. Often students make life-long friends on the HRC

floors, and end up living with friends from their HRC floor when they move off campus.

HRC floors are unique on the campus in that students can actually study in their rooms and in the lounge without too many distractions. HRC residents are very socially engaged; most campus leaders are members of the Hutton Honors College and many live on HRC floors, but HRC residents know how to manage their time, and share mutual goals and values regarding their education.



No matter the weather, living in an HRC means always having a warm, welcoming home away from home.

HRC floors are found in residence centers located in the Northwest, Central and Southeast neighborhoods, and there is an annual \$100 activity fee. Each residence hall has its own unique traditions and character. All HRCs are within a fifteen-minute walk of any class on the campus.

Although honors freshmen may choose to live anywhere on campus, the Hutton Honors College also highly recommends the following residential options: Collins Living Learning Center, Foster International Living Learning Center, The Global Village, and other Thematic and Academic Communities.

“...such a community feeling” in the Northwest Neighborhood HRC



"There's such a community feeling, and a very comfortable atmosphere. We don't seclude ourselves from other floors. In fact, we get lots of visitors who secretly wish they lived on our floor! I definitely recommend living in the HRC."

"I had a great time living in the HRC. I made friends there who really helped ease the transition from high school to college. I also appreciated the activities and trips that were part of the living arrangement."



“Why is an HRC fabulous? Well, besides having awesome conversations until all hours of the night, watching films and eating popcorn, and having my mind opened for the first time, I met friends for a lifetime. I actually met the man who would become my husband there—the first day!”

“...the support of my HRC family” in the Southeast Neighborhood

"My senior year, I was nervous about my LSAT exam. The night before the exam, my floor mates made sure everyone was quiet in the hallways, and the next morning I found a note under my door directing me to the kitchenette where I found zucchini muffins they had baked for me and a card signed by all my friends. I walked into that exam relaxed and confident because of the support of my HRC family."

"It makes a big state university smaller, providing an environment where smart students can brainstorm ideas



and discuss issues of the day. It gives students the opportunity to make friends with people who are thought-provoking, motivated, and fun!"

“Fun traditions and activities...” in the Central Neighborhood HRC



"I like the HRC environment, and can study without the distractions found on other floors. We have a lot of fun, though. We go to athletic events, have dinner together most nights, hold lounge parties, play volleyball and study together."



"Fun traditions and activities include dances, monthly dinners at one of Bloomington's



ethnic restaurants, and floor trips—once to New York City, once to Washington, D.C.)"