Class of 2025-2026 Macaulay Honors College General Education Requirements

Required Core

English composition: Honors ENG 111 and ENG 151
Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning: Honors MTH 229 and MTH 231 or approved selection
Life and Physical Science: Honors BIO 170, CHM 141, or PHY 120 or approved selection

Flexible Core

World Cultures and Global Issues: One three credit/three hour course from the approved list of classes. (Requirement may vary by major).
U.S. Experience in Its Diversity: MHC requirement HON 122* “The Peopling of New York City”
Creative Expression: MHC requirement HON 121 “Arts in New York City
Individual and Society: MHC requirement HON 224 “Shaping the Future of New York City”
Scientific World: MHC requirement Honors BIO 180, CHM 142, PHY 160 or approved selection
Addition Choice: MHC requirement HON 223 “Science and Technology in New York City”

College Option

Social Science: MHC may take HON 206** “Non-US experience in Social Science”
TALA: MHC may take HON 205* “Non-Us Experience in Arts and Literature”
Two science labs which are co-requisites of the required science courses above
Foreign Language for students in BA and BS majors which require a language or an additional 200 level TALA or Social Science if not required or exempt, or STEM variant for designated STEM majors

Macaulay students are required to take a minimum of four honors courses in addition to the seminars

*Pluralism and Diversity satisfied with HON 122 and HON 205
**Macaulay students are required to take either HON 205 or HON 206 to satisfy one area of the College option in consultation with their advisor