

Academic Honors available to HDFS/ Elementary Education Dual Degree Students

Honors available each semester

Each semester except senior spring, a student can earn “Dean’s List” at NDSU or “President’s Honor Roll,” “Dean’s Honor Roll,” or “Honor Roll” at VCSU, but cannot earn both. These designations are based on the student’s term GPA using only the graded credits from that institution. Grades from the two institutions are not combined or averaged.

Graduation with Honors

At graduation, students can earn Honors at NDSU only, VCSU only, or both. Honors at NDSU is based on the student’s cumulative GPA from NDSU credits only. Honors at VCSU is based on a student’s overall cumulative GPA, including credits from NDSU and VCSU.

Semester	Honor	Institution	Credit Criteria	GPA of 3.5+
First year fall	Dean’s List	NDSU	12 cr. NDSU	NDSU Term
First year spring	Dean’s List	NDSU	12 cr. NDSU	NDSU Term
Sophomore fall	Dean’s List	NDSU	12 cr. NDSU	NDSU Term
Sophomore spring	Honor Roll	VCSU	6 cr. VCSU	VCSU Term
Junior Fall	Dean’s/President’s Honor Roll	VCSU	12 cr. VCSU	VCSU Term
Junior Spring	Dean’s/President’s Honor Roll	VCSU	12 cr. VCSU	VCSU Term
Senior Fall	Dean’s/President’s Honor Roll	VCSU	12 cr. VCSU	VCSU Term
Senior Spring	Not available			
Graduation	Honors	NDSU	60 cr. NDSU	NDSU Cum.
Graduation	Honors*	VCSU		VCSU & NDSU Combined Cum.

*Students who earn honor cords from VCSU are allowed to wear the cords at their NDSU

Commencement Ceremony.