University Pathway Honors Scholarship Application Rubric 2025-26

**Name of student:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

To be eligible for the 2025-26 "University Pathway" Honors Scholarship, an applicant must:

| Submit by 4:00pm on the Monday after Spring Break |  |
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| Be enrolled full-time in the 2025-26 academic year (at least 12 credit hours per semester) |  |
| Be enrolled in University Honors at least one semester before applying |  |
| Complete at least 3 credits of Honors generated courses before applying |  |
| Have a Weber State University professor send a letter in support of your application via [honors@weber.edu](mailto:honors@weber.edu) by March 10, 2025. |  |

**Essay Question**

**Score the following five sections from 1 to 5** (1= Poor, 5= Excellent) and include comments in the boxes provided.

1. We are interested in you telling us about your experiences in the Honors Program, specifically an experience that pressed or challenged you in some way.

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

1. The purpose of the writing isn’t necessarily to promote Honors. It's more about capturing your honest, thoughtful reflection, a reflection that places you at the center of the narrative. With this in mind, tell us about the nature of the challenge.

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

1. Were you prepared or under-prepared for it?

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

1. Was it meaningful? How?

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

1. Has the experience extended beyond the particular class or transferred to your overall approach to learning?

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

1. We are looking for thoughtful, developed responses, so you will want to aim for **at least 300 words.**

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

1. Writing is clear, articulate, and free from errors.

**Quantitative Score** 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

***Additional comments***

**Subtotal: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_/35**

3) Must Fund 2) Fund if Possible 1) Not Competitive

Reviewer Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_