

HORRY-GEORGETOWN TECHNICAL COLLEGE

PROCEDURE

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President

Three methods of receiving academic honors at Horry-Georgetown Technical College are the President's List, the Dean's List, and Commencement Recognition.

Dean's and President's Lists

Students will be given these honors according to these criteria:

1. Any student for the specified term who has 12 graded credit hours or more and a 3.50-3.74 institutional term GPA will receive – Dean's List recognition. Non-graded hours, such as S grades or audits, are not counted within the total hours.
2. Any student for the specified term who has 12 graded credit hours or more and a 3.75-4.0 institutional term GPA will receive – President's List recognition. Non-graded hours, such as S grades or audits, are not counted within the total hours.

Students receiving a grade of Incomplete (I) cannot be considered for the President's List or the Dean's List until a grade change has been processed through the Registrar's Office.

The President's List and Dean's List are published after each semester and posted on the College website and the College's social media platforms for students who have not marked the Confidentiality Indicator in the Student Information System prohibiting the College from publishing FERPA directory information. Students receiving this honor will receive a certificate mailed to their address on file. The designation is also entered on the student's transcript.

Commencement Recognition

Commencement recognition will be provided as follows:

Cum Laude - Students graduating with a cumulative grade point average of 3.50-3.74.

Magna Cum Laude - Students graduating with a cumulative grade point average of 3.75-3.99

Summa Cum Laude - Students graduating with a cumulative grade point average of 4.00.

Graduation honors are designated on the student's transcript, printed in the commencement program, and announced when the students receive their diplomas.