The Bert C. Bach Fine & Performing Arts Scholars Program invites high-achieving students to join our community of undergraduate scholars pursuing excellence in the many arts represented on our campus.

The program offers a distinctive honors curriculum with a focus on creative accomplishment. Our honors scholars, faculty, and staff will welcome you, challenge you to think critically, assist you with your artistic interests, and help you to excel.

In addition, we sponsor activities, events, and programs designed to enhance the collective cultural and intellectual environment and foster a more global perspective within the university community.

Admission is competitive; 10 funded and five unfunded scholars are admitted each fall. Scholarships include eight semesters of in-state or out-of-state tuition (if applicable), and most fees.

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Bert C. Bach  
Fine & Performing Arts Honors Scholars

- 24-credit hours, honors curriculum, focused on fostering artistic identities and professional practices

- An opportunity to work one-on-one with faculty on a significant creative, artistic or research project in the student’s field

- Preparation for conducting research and writing or presenting an undergraduate honors thesis

- Honors advising and mentoring

- Priority registration

- 24/7 access to honors facilities (honors computer labs, study facilities, rehearsal and studio spaces)

- Honors Living and Learning Community (housing option)

- Special Honors College events

Eligibility

- Incoming freshmen

- Minimum 2.75 High School GPA (4.0 scale)

- Minimum 22 ACT (or comparable SAT)

- Excellent artistic portfolio

- Community and leadership activities

- Writing skill and academic references

Apply

Application Deadline: March 1st
(a separate application, in addition to applying for admission to ETSU, is required)

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