

**HONORS FLOOR LEARNING COMMUNITY
REDWOOD HALL**

LOCATION	Redwood Hall, 5 th and 6 th floors
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Goal:

The purpose of this learning community is to provide support for and recognize the Honors College students that are in their first year at NJIT. The staff (RA/RC/Advisor) will provide resources for academic and social success while fostering an environment that is supportive of the valuable connections that are made inside and outside of the classroom.

Structure:

The Honors Learning Community has a total of four resident assistants (RA), two on each floor. The RA staff members on each of these floors are representatives of the Honors College. They are directly supervised throughout the year by the residence coordinator (RC) for Redwood Hall. The RAs on these floors will work together to form a Honors Learning Community that supports Honors College initiatives and provides opportunities to be involved in the community service., diversity, leadership, educational and social programming. The RAs will assist residents with making connections to the Honors College staff and faculty through an opening reception in the fall and an international program in the spring. The RA staff will lead a programming committee that consists of the residents from each floor to plan both the programs.

Upper Class Connection:

Residence Life is introduced an upper class Honors floor in the 2007-2008 term. The RAs from both the first year and upper class communities will assist their

residents in connecting with each other through diversity and social programming throughout the year.