

CITY VIEW AWARDS & HONORS

At City View, we intentionally celebrate the effort, growth, and achievements of our students across academics, community engagement, internships, and self-directed learning. Beginning in 9th grade, students can work toward a variety of honors and distinctions that reflect their commitment to the full City View experience. Many of these recognitions—such as graduation cords, medallions, and special awards—are presented during Senior Awards and other end-of-year celebrations. Students are encouraged to wear the cords, stoles, and medallions they have earned at graduation as a reflection of their hard work and the pathways they have pursued.

Internship Excellence Award: Completed at least one internship cycle with 90%+ attendance and positive supervisor feedback

Kirkwood Scholar Tier 1: Enrolled in at least 1 Kirkwood course each semester

Kirkwood Scholar Tier 2: Earned 12 or more college credits by the end of Junior year

Kirkwood Scholar Tier 3: Completed an Associate's Degree through Kirkwood

Community Contributor Award: 40 verified community service hours or a community impact project

Project Innovation Award: Completed 2 or more projects addressing authentic community problems, with public presentation

Student-Designed Learning Award: Independently designed and completed 1 or more student-designed learning experiences beyond core requirements

Exhibition Presenter Award: Delivered a polished public exhibition or defense scored proficient by panel

Citizen Eagle Award: Positive staff and peer nominations, resulting in one recipient per year

Advisor's Choice Award: Chosen by each advisory group, one student from each advisory per year

City View Honors Medallion: Completed all five key experiences (internship, Kirkwood, community project, service, self-design) at high quality

Community Partner's Award: Nominated by community partners each year

City View Silver Cord: Students complete 200 verified, unpaid hours from the summer after 8th grade through May 1 of their senior year

Academic Letter: Earn a minimum GPA of 3.33 for any two consecutive semesters during grades 10-12.

Academic Pin: Once a student earns an academic letter, they're eligible for an academic pin. To earn this, a student must achieve two additional consecutive semesters with a GPA of 3.33 or higher.

Outstanding Four-Year Math Scholar: Complete four years of math courses.

Outstanding Four-Year Science Scholar: Complete four years of science courses.

Outstanding Four-Year World Language Scholar: Complete four years of a single world language.

Outstanding Four-Year Social Studies Scholar: Complete four years of Social Studies courses.

Credit Club: Earn 54 semester credit hours over the course of four years.

The Academic Honors Program: Earn a minimum of 42 total credits, 30 of which are from core subjects (language arts, math, science, social studies, and world language), and maintains a minimum 3.0 GPA in core subject classes.

The Academic Honors Program With Distinction: Earn a minimum of 48 total credits, 34 of which are from core subjects, (language arts, math, science, social studies, and world language), and maintains a minimum 3.33 GPA in core subject classes.

Valedictorian Scholar Award: Cumulative GPA of 4.165 or above.

Salutatorian: Cumulative GPA between 4.0 and 4.164.

Graduate with Distinction: Cumulative GPA between 3.815 and 3.999.

