Since 1982, the College has singled out "the best of the best" among entering students to participate in a multi-faceted honors program. These students, who comprise about 5 to 10 percent of each entering class, are recognized as James Monroe Scholars. Beginning in 1990, each Monroe Scholar has been guaranteed a summer scholarship of $2,000 to support an independent project to be undertaken after either the sophomore or junior year.

Among Monroe Scholars in the class of 1997 are:

- Jeffrey Bergman
- Deborah Binford
- Nicole Bonnaffon
- Stephen Diehl
- Owen Duckworth
- Kristin Herring
- Brent Justus
- Heather King
- Joshua Sutton
- David Thomas

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