

Determining Your Grade Point Average (GPA)



What is a GPA?

- An average of your grades
- Helps determine class rank
- Determines awards, scholarships, academic eligibility in high school etc.
- Helps see how you're doing in school



How are grades calculated?

A = 4

B = 3


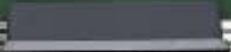

C = 2

D = 1

E = 0



Formula for Computing GPA:

1. Match each grade earned with the equivalent points/number
 2. Total all points/numbers
 3. Add credits/classes attempted.
 4. Divide total number by total credits/classes attempted.
 5. Final number is your unweighted GPA.
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GPA Worksheet

□ Step 1:

- Determine point/number equivalent for each grade.

i.e.



Math Grade	=	_____
Science Grade	=	_____
S.S. Grade	=	_____
English Grade	=	_____
Elective Grades	=	_____


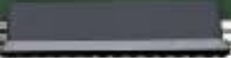



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□ Step 2:

□ Add the totals together.

(i.e. $4+3+3+2+2+2+4=20$)






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□ Step 3:


- Divide the total by the number of credits taken

$$(i.e. 20 \div 7 = 2.86)$$

Weighted vs. Unweighted Classes

- In high school, the quality points/number equivalent to each grade is higher when you take Advanced Placement, Concurrent Enrollment, or Honors classes.



	AP/ Concurrent	Honors
A	5.0	4.5
B	4.0	3.5
C	3.0	2.5
D	1.0	1.0
E	0	0

