

Instruction

Weighted Grading for Advanced High School Courses

The High School uses a letter grading system and a course “weighting system.” The basis of the system is developed on a 4.0 scale, where each letter grade has a corresponding numeric value. All courses are used to determine a student’s grade point average (GPA). In addition to the GPA, all students have a Weighted GPA (WGPA). Courses designated as honors will carry a +0.83 weight and those designated as Advanced Placement carry a +1.33 weight.

	Weight	+0.83	+1.33
	<u>College Prep</u>	<u>Honors</u>	<u>AP</u>
A+ 97-100	4.00	4.83	5.33
A 93 - 96	3.67	4.50	5.00
A- 90 - 92	3.33	4.17	4.67
B+ 87 - 89	3.00	3.83	4.33
B 83 - 86	2.67	3.50	4.00
B- 80 - 82	2.33	3.17	3.67
C+ 77 - 79	2.00	2.83	3.33
C 73 - 76	1.67	2.50	3.00
C- 70 - 72	1.33	2.17	2.67
D+ 67 - 69	1.00	1.83	2.33
D 65 -66	0.67	1.50	2.00
F Below 65	0.00	0.00	0.00

The weighted grades in honors and Advanced Placement shall be used in calculating the grade point average. Students’ transcripts will reflect their weighted GPAs.

The WGPA shall be used in determining class rank.

Legal Reference:

10-220g, Connecticut General Statute Section 10-220g, Policy on Weighted Grading for Honors and Advanced Placement Classes
Public Act 21-199 An Act Concerning Various Revisions to the Statutes Related to Education and Workforce Development

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