

# Latin Honors Distinctions

Pioneer Valley High School follows the *Latin Honors* system, granting *Top Performing Students* to be recognized with one of three honors distinctions at graduation:

## *Summa Cum Laude, Cum Laude, or Magna Cum Laude*

1. To earn the distinction of *Summa Cum Laude* (with highest honor), a student must have earned a total weighted grade point **average of at least 4.2000**.
2. To earn the distinction of *Magna Cum Laude* (with great honor), a student must have earned a total weighted grade point **average of at least 4.0 and less than 4.199**.
3. To earn the distinction of *Cum Laude* (with honor), a student must have earned a total weighted grade point **average of at least 3.8 and less than 3.99**.

All coursework offered by an accredited institution (including colleges) will be included when determining honors distinctions.