

# Guide to Understanding GPA for Class of 2022 and Beyond

## What is the difference between **Unweighted GPA** and **Weighted GPA**?

**Unweighted** takes ALL your classes and converts it into a 4.0 scale.

**Grades of 90-100 = 4.0**

**Grades of 80-89 = 3.0**

**Grades of 70-79 = 2.0**

**Anything below 70 = 0.0**

**Weighted GPA** uses classes that fall under the categories of **English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and World Language**.

They are then converted based on both semester grade and level. The chart below comes from the district policy.

Level 1 - Skills		Level 2 - Regular		Level 3 - Gifted and Talented/Pre-Advanced Placement (Pre-AP)		Level 4 - AP, Dual Credit, and OnRamps Courses	
Grade	Grade Points	Grade	Grade Points	Grade	Grade Points	Grade	Grade Points
100	4.0	100	5.0	100	6.0	100	7.0
99	3.9	99	4.9	99	5.9	99	6.9
98	3.8	98	4.8	98	5.8	98	6.8
97	3.7	97	4.7	97	5.7	97	6.7
96	3.6	96	4.6	96	5.6	96	6.6
95	3.5	95	4.5	95	5.5	95	6.5
94	3.4	94	4.4	94	5.4	94	6.4
93	3.3	93	4.3	93	5.3	93	6.3
92	3.2	92	4.2	92	5.2	92	6.2
91	3.1	91	4.1	91	5.1	91	6.1
90	3.0	90	4.0	90	5.0	90	6.0
89	2.9	89	3.9	89	4.9	89	5.9
88	2.8	88	3.8	88	4.8	88	5.8
87	2.7	87	3.7	87	4.7	87	5.7
86	2.6	86	3.6	86	4.6	86	5.6
85	2.5	85	3.5	85	4.5	85	5.5
84	2.4	84	3.4	84	4.4	84	5.4
83	2.3	83	3.3	83	4.3	83	5.3
82	2.2	82	3.2	82	4.2	82	5.2
81	2.1	81	3.1	81	4.1	81	5.1
80	2.0	80	3.0	80	4.0	80	5.0

The chart continues in the same pattern to a 70. **Weighted GPA is then used to determine a student's rank.**

The classes listed below are the classes that fall into one of the categories that count in **Weighted GPA**.

- **English 1, 2, 3, and 4 (regular, PAP, and AP)**
- **English Electives: Creative Writing, Lit Genres, Communication Applications, Public Speaking, Oral Interpretation (1,2,3), Debate (1,2,3), Ind Study in Speech, Journalism, Newspaper (1,2,3), ESOL 1 and 2, NELD, Practical Writing, Reading (1,2,3)**
- **All Math Classes (regular, PAP, AP)**
- **All Science Classes (regular, PAP, AP)**
- **All Social Studies Classes (regular, PAP, AP)**
- **Social Studies Electives: Psychology (regular, AP), Sociology, Human Geography, European History, Personal Financial Literacy**
- **All World Language Classes**