

GRADING AND REPORTING SYSTEM

Students are to receive report cards quarterly on a schedule determined by central administration.

Final performance indicators will be permanently recorded in kindergarten through grade five (5). In grades six (6) through eight (8), annual grades will be permanently recorded. Semester grades will be permanently recorded for students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12).

Grade Scale

Grades for academic course work will be awarded according to the following scale for grades 6 - 12:

Letter Grade	Numerical Grade	Quality Points
A	90-100	4.00
B	80-89	3.00
C	70-79	2.00
D	60-69	1.00
F	Below 60	0.00

High School Grades

- A. Weighted Grades - An exception will apply to Advanced Placement courses whereby A=5 quality points, B=4, C=3, D=2, F=0 when the Advanced Placement course is completed and the Advanced Placement test taken. Students must take the appropriate Advanced Placement test to get a weighted GPA. Pre-advanced Placement courses will award A=4.5, B=3.5, C=2.5, D=1.5, F=0. Only Advanced Placement courses and Pre-advanced Placement courses based on College Board standards will be weighted.
- B. Honor Graduates - Students who maintain a 4.0 or above and earn a Seal of Distinction (beginning with the graduating class of 2017) will be named honor graduates and considered number one in class ranking.
- C. Pass/Fail - All credit courses will be graded on the A,B,C,D,F, scale and will be awarded Carnegie units for successful completion. No credit courses including summer school and independent study, will be graded pass/fail. All credit courses will contribute toward the grade point average. Note: For limited English proficient students who are following a written individual plan, an alternative grading system may be appropriate when English fluency is severely limited.

Middle School Grades

Middle school grades (6-8) shall be reported the same as those for grades 9 - 12. Annual grades will be permanently recorded.

Elementary School Grades

K - 5: Performance indicators shall be used to report student progress.

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