
Fayette County Class Rank/GPA Calculation Methodology

Class Rank

Class rank is determined using the student's unweighted numeric GPA.

The unweighted numeric GPA is calculated using the final grades posted to the student's transcript.

Weighted Courses

In Fayette County, only Advanced Placement (AP) courses receive additional grade weight.

Prior to the final grade posting to the transcript, 5 bonus points are added to the final grade for AP courses added by the teachers (i.e. grades of 70 and above).

Failing grades do not receive additional weight (i.e. grades less than 70).

Weighted GPA

Weighted Numeric GPA - 10 points are added for all AP courses.

Weighted GPA - 1 additional quality point is added for all AP courses

AP courses	Non AP courses
A - 5points	A- 4points
B - 4points	B - 3points
C- 3points	C- 2points
D - 2point	D-1 point

Unweighted GPA

Unweighted numeric GPA - uses the final grades posted to the transcript

For AP courses, this includes the 5 bonus points which is added prior to posting to the transcript by the teacher

Unweighted GPA- uses the following scale for calculation:

A- 4 points B - 3points C- 2 points D-1 point F- 0 points

Example 1

AP class - final calculated grade 84

- ★ The grade on the transcript would show a grade of 89 after teacher adds the 5 bonus points.
 - ★ This grade is used in the weighted and unweighted GPA calculation.
 - ★ Weighted GPA - 4 points
 - ★ Unweighted GPA - 3 points
 - ★ Weighted Numeric GPA - receives 10 additional points (99)
 - ★ Unweighted Numeric GPA - grade is 89
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Example 2

AP class - final calculated grade 85

- ★ The grade on the transcript would show a grade of 90 after teacher adds the 5 bonus points. This grade is used in the weighted and unweighted GPA calculation.
 - ★ Weighted GPA - 5 points
 - ★ Unweighted GPA - 4 points
 - ★ Weighted Numeric GPA - receives 10 additional points (100)
 - ★ Unweighted Numeric GPA - grade is 90
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