

## HOW TO CALCULATE YOUR GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)

If you are taking a 3 hour class that means you are in class equal to 3 hours a week. A full-time student must take at least 12 hours a semester.

Value of a grade for each hour you takes

A	=	4 points
B	=	3 points
C	=	2 points
D	=	1 point
E/F	=	0 points

So

An A in a 3 hour class	=	3 hours x 4 points	=	12 quality points
B	=	3 x 3	=	09 QP
C	=	2 x 3	=	06 QP
D	=	1 x 3	=	03 QP
E/F	=	0 x 3	=	No Points

Example of semester Grades

English	=	B(3 points)	x	3 hours	=	09 QP
Math	=	C(2 points)	x	3 hours	=	06 QP
Biology	=	A(4 points)	x	3 hours	=	12 QP
Bio Lab	=	B(3 points)	x	1 hours	=	03 QP
World Civ	=	D(1 points)	x	3 hours	=	03 QP

Add the QP and divide the number by the total number of class hours for the semester and you have a 2.385 GPA for the semester.

**NOTE:** If you want to raise GPA by retaking a class over it is more difficult to raise the grade than to simply get a good grade the first time.

***This comes from the current WSU undergraduate catalog:***

Academic Standards/Eligibility

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Minimum GPA Standards

The minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) required at WSU is 2.00 or C. The minimum GPA required by the University for graduation is 2.00; however most majors and minors have a higher requirement. Students with a GPA below 2.00 will receive one of the following notices and should see an advisor immediately.

*Academic Warning*

- Students who have accumulated less than 60 semester credit hours with a cumulative GPA below 2.00 will be placed on academic warning.

*Academic Probation*

- Students who have accumulated less than 60 semester credit hours who earn a semester GPA below 2.00 while on academic warning will be placed on academic probation. They must earn a GPA of at least 2.00 their next semester to avoid suspension.
- Students who have accumulated 60 or more semester credit hours who have a cumulative GPA lower than 2.00 will be placed on academic probation and must earn a GPA of at least 2.50 their next semester to avoid suspension.

*Academic Suspension*

- Students who do not earn the minimum required GPA while

on probation will be suspended for a length of time specified according to the number of suspensions:

- Students suspended for the first time will be required to remain out of school for one semester.
- Students suspended for the second time must remain out of school for one calendar year.
- Students suspended for the third time must remain out of school for three years.