

Formula For Weighted GPA Calculation For The Bright Futures Scholarship

DIRECTIONS:

1. In column A enter final grades earned or that you expect to earn in COURSES necessary to meet the credit requirement in each academic area – use the highest grades.
2. In column B enter the quality point value for each letter grade.
3. In column C enter a .5 for each applicable course --honors, AP, pre-IB, IB, or academic dual-enrollment course
4. In column D enter the total of columns B + C.
5. In column E enter the credit value for each course.
6. In column F enter the product of columns D*E.

**Example for steps 1-6: A student earns an "A" in a one semester course eligible for additional weight.
 (4 + 0.5 weight) * 0.5 credit value = 2.25 quality points**

7. Total the credits in column E. The total should be 15.
8. Total the quality points in column F and enter the total in the GPA formula at the bottom of the table.
9. Divide the total quality points by 15-core academic credits to derive GPA. (GPA = sum of column F / sum of column E)
10. If you do not have the required GPA, you may add up to four additional college prep credits (not included in the 15 core credits) to the GPA calculation, if the grades in these courses will improve your GPA to a 3.0 or 3.5. For example, if you earn four credits in math (one over the required three), the highest grades in three credits will be included in the core GPA calculation. If the grade in the fourth math credit improves your GPA, then it will be counted also. **These additional credits are not in lieu of, but in addition to, the core 15.**

	COLUMN A	COLUMN B	COLUMN C	COLUMN D	COLUMN E	COLUMN F
STUDENT # _____	LETTER GRADE	QUALITY PT. VALUE A=4, B=3, C=2, D=1	+ .5 WEIGHT IF APPLICABLE: HONORS, AP, PRE-IB, IB, DUAL-ENROLLMENT	COLUMN B + COLUMN C (B+C=D)	CREDIT VALUE YR.= 1.0 SEM.= .5	COLUMN D * COLUMN E (D*E=F) QUALITY PTS.
NAME _____						
English - 4 credits	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Math - 3 best credits Alg I and above <i>(Algebra I taken in Duval County Public Schools is not honors)</i>	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Sciences -3 best credits	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Social Sciences - 3 best credits from history, govt., eco, poli sci, sociology, psychology, philosophy, geography	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Foreign Language -2 best credits in same language	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

GPA _____ = Total Quality points (sum of column F) _____ divided by 15 core academic credits (sum of column E)