



GRADING, PROGRESSION AND WITHDRAWAL POLICY 411

APPENDIX B

Weighted Grade Point Average

CALCULATION OF WEIGHTED GRADE POINT AVERAGE

The grade point average is a weighted average and is calculated as follows:

Grade Point Average (GPA) is calculated by multiplying the grade points associated with the letter grade assigned for a course by the number of term credit value assigned to that course, adding those values for all courses taken, and dividing the result by the total number of term credit hours taken. Some types of grades (such as withdrawals) are not included in the calculations; please see Appendix A.

Term Grade Point Average (TGPA) is the GPA calculated for all courses taken in a specific term.

Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) is the GPA calculated over all the courses in which the student has been enrolled. All attempts at a course are calculated into the GPA as separate courses.

1. The course grade points shall be calculated as the product of the course credit value and the grade value.
2. The GPA shall be calculated by dividing the total number of achieved course grade points by the total number of assigned course credit values (refer to example of calculation below)
3. This cumulative GPA shall be determined and stated on the Transcript at the end of each Program level or term.
4. If a course is repeated to replace a failed or other grade, the higher grade will be used to calculate program/term grade point average or to determine standing.

EXAMPLE OF CALCULATION OF TERM GRADE POINT AVERAGE				
COURSE	CREDIT	LETTER GRADE	GRADE POINTS	GRADE POINTS X CREDIT
1	3	A-	3.67	11.01
2	3	B+	3.33	9.99
3	4	C+	2.33	9.32
4	2	A	4.00	8.00
5	3	C	2.00	6.00
Totals	15			44.32
Weighted Grade Point Average = $44.32/15 = 2.95$				