

How do I calculate my grade point average (GPA)?

How is my GPA calculated?

In order to calculate a semester GPA, first determine the number of honor points earned for each class, using the following chart.

GRADE	1 credit hr.	2 credit hrs.	3 credit hrs.	4 credit hrs.
A	4	8	12	16
BA	3.5	7	10.5	14
B	3	6	9	12
CB	2.5	5	7.5	10
C	2	4	6	8
DC	1.5	3	4.5	6
D	1	2	3	4

Second, take the total quality points and divide it by total hours attempted (not earned).
Example:

Course	Credit Hours	Grade	Honor Points
COM 2000	3	A	12
SPAN 1000	4	BA	14
PHIL 2000	3	BA	12
HPER 1110	2	E*	0
	13 (attempted)		38
38 honor points / 13 credit hrs = 2.92 semester GPA			
*Because a grade of "E" was earned in the HPER 1110 course, only 11 of the 13 hours will count toward the total hours needed for graduation.			
In order to calculate overall GPA, take the total quality points earned and divide it by the total hours attempted (not earned).			

Note:

- An 'X' is the same as an 'E' in calculating the GPA.
- An 'I', (Incomplete) is not figured in the GPA until it is replaced with a grade.
- Courses taken Credit/No Credit do not affect the GPA in any way.
- The repeat policy at WMU uses only the most recent grade for a repeated course when calculating a student's grade point average.
- For help in computing your GPA, see the online gpa calculator:
www.wmich.edu/registrar/gpacalc.html.