Official Grade Point Average:

All grades appear on the official transcript.

The following grades are counted as attempted, earned and in the gpa calculation: A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, C- and D.

Grades assigned to developmental courses are counted in attempted hours but are not counted in earned hours and are not counted in the gpa calculation. Developmental courses are identified with the asterisk (i.e. B*).

"AU" (audit) grades are not counted in attempted and earned hours nor are they counted in the gpa calculation.

"F" (fail) grades are counted in attempted hours. They are not counted in earned hours. They are counted in the gpa calculation.

"I" (Incomplete) grades are counted in attempted hours but do not count in earned hours nor are they counted in the gpa calculation.

"P" (pass) grades are counted in attempted and earned hours but are not counted in the gpa calculation.

"S" (satisfactory) grades are counted in attempted and earned hours but are not counted in the gpa calculation.

"T" grades (transfer credit) are counted in attempted and earned hours but not counted in the gpa calculation.

"U" (unsatisfactory) grades are counted in attempted hours but do not count as earned hours nor are they counted in the gpa calculation.

"W" (withdraw) grades are counted as attempted hours only. "W" grades are not counted as earned credit nor or they counted in the gpa calculation.

If a course is repeated, the higher grade will be included in the cumulative grade point average. All grades will appear on the student's transcript. If the course is repeated and passed on multiple occasions, it is only counted once as earned hours.

Fresh start grades are identified with the pound sign (i.e. D#). All fresh start grades are counted as attempted hours. All fresh start grades are not counted in the gpa calculation. Only passing fresh start grades are counted as earned hours (F# and U# are not counted as earned hours).

The web transcript and SHATERM mimic the official hard copy transcript.

Academic Standing Grade Point Average:

The following grades are counted as attempted, earned and in the gpa calculation: A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, C- and D.

In addition to counting the above grades, those grades assigned to developmental courses are counted in attempted and earned hours. They are also counted in the gpa calculation. Only passing developmental grades are counted as earned hours (F* and U* are not counted as earned hours).

All fresh start grades are counted as attempted hours. All fresh start grades are counted in the gpa calculation. Only passing fresh start grades are counted as earned hours (F# and U# are not counted as earned hours).

"AU" (audit) grades are not counted in attempted and earned hours nor are they counted in the gpa calculation.

"F" (fail) grades are counted in attempted hours. They are not counted in earned hours. They are counted in the gpa calculation.

 "I" (Incomplete) grades are counted in attempted hours but do not count in earned hours. "I" grades are treated as "F" grades in the gpa calculation.

"P" (pass) grades are counted in attempted and earned hours but are not counted in the gpa calculation.

"S" (satisfactory) grades are counted in attempted and earned hours but are not counted in the gpa calculation.

 "T" grades (transfer credit) are counted in attempted and earned hours but not counted in the gpa calculation.

 "U" (unsatisfactory) grades are counted in attempted hours but do not count as earned hours nor are they counted in the gpa calculation.

 "W" (withdraw) grades are counted as attempted hours only. "W" grades are not counted as earned credit nor or they counted in the gpa calculation.

If a course is repeated, the higher grade will be included in the cumulative grade point average. All grades will appear on the student's transcript. If the course is repeated and passed on multiple occasions, it is only counted once as earned hours.

Currently Banner does not have a way to display the academic action gpa. When the student has developmental course work, "I" grades and or a fresh start, a manual calculation must be conducted to determine the academic standing gpa.

Program Grade Point Average:

For purposes of graduation eligibility, only those courses required for the degree will be used to determine if the criteria have been met for a 2.0 in courses applicable to the degree. This calculation will reflect the Program grade point average in the student's field of study and will be fixed as of graduation.

Any courses taken after that will not change the graduation GPA and will not be entered into the previous GPA in any way. The cumulative GPA, however, will reflect all courses taken by the student unless a course has been repeated, and a different grade was received.

Grading Information

This grading policy was adopted by the College commencing with the Fall 1992 semester.

Grades	Quality Points per Credit Hours	Explanation
A	4.0	Superior Achievement
A-	3.7	
B+	3.3	
B	3.0	Commendable Achievement
B-	2.7	
C+	2.3	
C	2.0	Satisfactory Achievement
C-	1.7	
D	1.0	Minimal Achievement
F	0.0	Unsatisfactory or withdrawal after 10th week for a full-term course
S	-	Satisfactory
U	-	Unsatisfactory or withdrawal after 10th week
W	-	Withdrawn from a course between the 4th and 10th week for a full-term course (See "W" Grade below)
I	-	Incomplete due to special circumstances (See "I" grade conditions)
AU	-	Audit

Grade Point Average

Each grade carries a specified number of quality points (4.0 for an A, 3.7 for an A-, 3.3 for a B+) as described in the section on Grading Information. To determine a student's Grade Point Average (GPA, multiply the number of quality points earned, according to the letter grade, by the number of credits for the course. Add these together and divide the sum by the total number of credits.

A Grade Point Average (GPA) is calculated for each semester the student attends, and a cumulative summary is also shown on the student's academic transcript.