

HONOR ROLL

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	HIGHEST HONORS	HIGH HONORS	HONORS
Required GPA	4.0	3.5	3.0

CLASS RANK

All subjects for which a student receives credit for graduation are included in a student's rank-in-class. Our computer services provide an updated class rank for all students at the end of each semester. The rank is averaged from the semester grade in each subject according to the following weights:

A+ = 4.3	C+ = 2.3
A = 4.0	C = 2.0
A- = 3.7	C- = 1.7
B+ = 3.3	D+ = 1.3
B = 3.0	D = 1.0
B- = 2.7	D- = 0.7
	F = 0.0

Grades earned in all courses designated as Honors, Advanced Placement (AP), or Accelerated will receive additional weight.

A student should feel free to ask his/her guidance counselor what his/her grade point average and resulting rank-in-class is at any time. This ranking is one of the determining factors in college admissions and is, of course, very significant in making career plans in a number of ways. The student who has the highest cumulative class rank becomes the class valedictorian and the student with the second highest cumulative class rank becomes the class salutatorian. Transfer students from other high schools qualify for these academic honors if they have been in attendance at our school a minimum of one academic year. All graduating seniors have recorded on their transcript their final rank in class.

SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

During the last week of each semester, regular class sessions terminate while examinations are administered in all subjects. Students report to school at the specific times that they have scheduled examinations. All of the particular rules and regulations that apply during these sessions are posted along with the examination schedule well before the close of each semester. Refer to the section on grading system for an explanation of how much these examinations count in the semester grade.

Under certain clearly defined circumstances, seniors are exempt from semester exams. Please refer to the section on the grading system to verify the procedures and rules for senior exam exemption, and be certain to review these guidelines with your students if they are seniors.