



# ***Poudre School District***

## **IKC - GRADE POINT AVERAGES/CLASS RANKING (for students graduating through the 2027-2028 school year)**

The grade point averages calculation and class ranking identified in this policy applies to students who graduate through the 2027-2028 school year who enrolled in ninth grade in any district prior to the 2025-2026 school year.

Grade point averages (GPA) shall be calculated on a 4.0 scale according to the following numerical equivalent of letter grades: A = 4 points; B = 3 points; C = 2 points; D = 1 point; and F, WF (Withdraw Failing) and IE (Insufficient Evidence) = 0 points.

Following the calculation of the student's GPA on a 4.0 scale, an adjustment for credits earned in Advanced Placement (AP) classes, International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program classes and post-secondary equivalent courses will be applied using the following formula:

.002 X AP or IB or post-secondary equivalent credits in which the student receives a final grade of A, B, or C.

Students who drop a course in any term after the deadline established by their school shall receive an automatic "WF," which shall be used in calculating their grade point average. Exceptions may be allowed with the principal's approval. Students who drop a course before the established deadline will receive a grade of "W" (Withdrawal), which is not calculated into their grade point average.

Class ranking shall be determined according to the adjusted grade point average of courses taken for high school credit.

There shall be two class rankings at Poudre High School: (1) a ranking that includes both IB Diploma Program students and non-IB Diploma Program students; and (2) a ranking that includes only non-IB Diploma Program students.

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