

## Compute Your Grade Point Average (GPA) for UC Eligibility\*

Use semester grades in all 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> grade UC approved courses. Summer school courses count, including the summer between 9th and 10th grade. For repeat courses where original grade was below C-, use the highest grade only.

UC approved honors/AP courses taken in the 10th, 11th grades (maximum of 8 semester courses total, with no more than 2 courses taken in 10th grade) receive one additional grade point for each A, B, or C grade. See UC-approved Course List handout for list of approved courses:

[http://www.paly.net/college/UC\\_Approved\\_courses.pdf](http://www.paly.net/college/UC_Approved_courses.pdf).

Step 1: Fill in the number of semester courses you have taken, next to the grade you earned.

Step 2: Multiply the number of courses by the grade points per grade to get the total grade points.

Step 3: Fill in the number of UC approved honors and AP courses (maximum as above) in which you received a C- or better.

Grade	Number of Semester Courses	Grade Points per Grade	Total Grade Points
A		x 4	
B		x 3	
C		x 2	
D		x 1	
F		x 0	
Honors/AP		x 1	
TOTAL		TOTAL	

Step 4: GPA equals the total of Column 4 including honors line, divided by total of Column 2, not including honors line.

Your UC GPA = \_\_\_\_\_

\* This calculation will approximate your GPA as of now; you will need to re-calculate it before completing your UC college application. Be aware that many campuses will re-calculate your GPA as part of the application review process.

**Complete a minimum of 15 year-long (2 semesters = 1 yr.) college-preparatory courses ("a-g" courses), with at least 11 finished prior to your senior year.**

**The 15 courses are:**

a. History/social science	2 years				
b. English	4 years				
c. Mathematics	3 years				
d. Laboratory science	2 years				
e. Language other than English	2 years				
f. Visual and performing arts	1 year				
g. College-preparatory elective (chosen from the subjects listed above or another course approved by the university)	1 year				