

A-G GPA Calculation

- ★ Your grade point average (GPA) is a numerical summary of your grades from high school.
- ★ It is used to determine class rank and universities use rank and GPA to compare you to other applicants.
- ★ It qualifies you for the Cal Grant and merit scholarship!
- ★ UC's and CSU's only look at the **A-G courses** taken in 10th and 11th grade to calculate the GPA for admissions.
- ★ Approved AP/Honors course work is **weighted** (given an extra point) for a maximum of 8 semesters.



Example:

Courses	Art 1	World History	English 10 Honors	Spanish 2	Algebra II	AP Chemistry
1st Semester	A	B	B	C	A	A*
2nd Semester	B	B	C	D	A	B*

Grade	Points	# of Semesters	(Points x # of Semesters)
A	4	4	(4 x 4) = 16
B	3	5	(3 x 5) = 15
C	2	2	(2 x 2) = 4
D	1	1	(1 x 1) = 1
F	0	0	(0 x 0) = 0
		Total Number of Semesters:	Total Number of Points:
		12	36

Add 1 point to your Total Number of Points for each AP/Honors semester:
36 + 2
*(*from AP Chemistry)*

Weighted Total Number of Points:
38

(Weighted Total Number of Points)
 $+$
(Total Number of Semesters)
 $=$ a-g GPA
38 ÷ 12 = 3.16

Now you give it a shot!

Predict you're a-g GPA with your 1st semester grades and projecting your 2nd semester grades. This will help you know how competitive you are going into your junior year!

Courses						
1st Semester						
2nd Semester						

Grade	Points	# of Semesters	(Points x # of Semesters)
A	4	___	(___ x ___) = ___
B	3	___	(___ x ___) = ___
C	2	___	(___ x ___) = ___
D	1	___	(___ x ___) = ___
F	0	___	(___ x ___) = ___
		Total Number of Semesters:	Total Number of Points:
		___	___

Add 1 point to your Total Number of Points for each AP/Honors semester:
 ___ + ___

Weighted Total Number of Points:

(Weighted Total Number of Points)
 $+$
(Total Number of Semesters)
 $=$ a-g GPA
 ___ ÷ ___ = ___

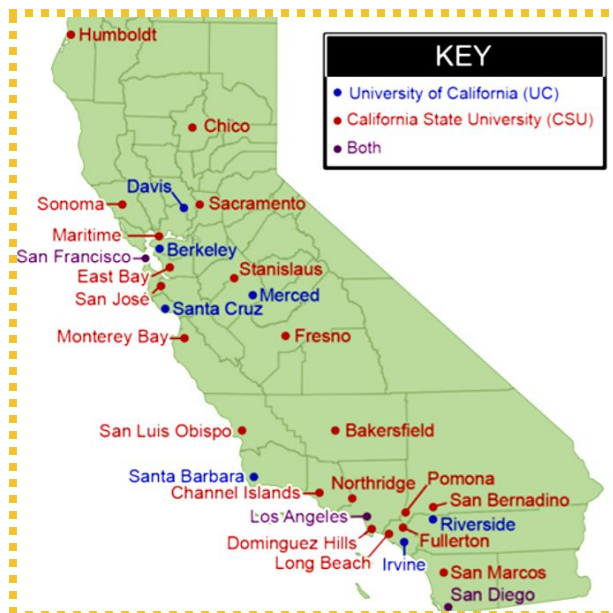


Let's see how competitive you are so far!

★ Now that we've calculated a close estimate of your GPA for your sophomore year, let's see how competitive you are so far.

University of California (UC) [Fall 2018]

SCHOOL	ADMISSION RATE	GPA
UC Berkeley	14.9%	4.16 - 4.3
UC Davis	41.2%	3.97 - 4.25
UC Irvine	28.8%	4 - 4.26
UCLA	14.1%	4.16 - 4.31
UC Merced	66.9%	3.46 - 3.96
UC Riverside	50.9%	3.66 - 4.09
UC San Diego	30.2%	4.02 - 4.28
UC Santa Barbara	32.3%	4.00 - 4.26
UC Santa Cruz	47.7%	3.76 - 4.16



California State University (CSU) [Fall 2017]

SCHOOL	ADMISSION RATE	AVERAGE GPA	SCHOOL	ADMISSION RATE	AVERAGE GPA
CSU Bakersfield	93%	3.2	CSU Monterey Bay	49%	3.32
CSU Channel Islands	74%	3.22	CSU Northridge	45%	3.2
CSU Chico	63%	3.33	Cal Poly Pomona	39%	3.49
CSU Dominguez Hills	58%	3.13	Sacramento State	67%	3.3
CSU East Bay	74%	3.1	CSU San Bernardino	65%	3.21
Fresno State	52%	3.33	CSU San Diego	34%	3.69
CSU Fullerton	42%	3.56	San Francisco State	68%	3.23
Humboldt State	75%	3.26	San Jose State	68%	3.4
CSU Long Beach	36%	3.5	Cal Poly San Luis	31%	3.92
CSU Los Angeles	64%	3.14	Sonoma State	55%	3.2
Cal Maritime	85%	3.3	CSU Stanislaus	67%	3.36

California State University:

System website: csumentor.edu
Explore CSU majors: degrees.calstate.edu

Admissions Requirements:

- ★ Minimum 2.0 GPA
- ★ SAT or ACT - No Writing

University of California:

System website:
universityofcalifornia.edu

Admissions Requirements:

- ★ Minimum 3.0 GPA
- ★ SAT or ACT - with Writing
- ★ 4 Personal Insight Questions

Explore UC selectivity:

admissions.universityofcalifornia.edu

Recommended:

- ★ SAT Subject Exam-for competitive majors
- ★ Involvement in clubs, activities, community service, etc.



When applying for colleges & universities it is important to describe the activities and awards you complete! For the UC application, you will be limited to only 160 characters to describe each of the topics below. Make sure you are descriptive and informative when describing each activity & award!

High School Activities & Awards

Activity		Years Active	Position & Description	Hours per Week	Weeks per Year
Honors & Awards (Honor Roll, Dean's List, etc.)	★	<input type="checkbox"/> 9th <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th			
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Community Service (Homeless shelter, church activities, public library, etc.)	★	<input type="checkbox"/> 9th <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th			
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Clubs & Organizations (Key Club, Art Club, etc.)	★	<input type="checkbox"/> 9th <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th			
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Athletics (Football, Softball, etc.)	★	<input type="checkbox"/> 9th <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th			
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Work Experience & Other	★	<input type="checkbox"/> 9th <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th			
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Educational Programs (EAOP, Upward Bound, etc.)	★	<input type="checkbox"/> 9th <input type="checkbox"/> 10th <input type="checkbox"/> 11th <input type="checkbox"/> 12th			
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