



Greenville County High School

REVISED GRADING SCALE – Beginning with 1st Nine Weeks Report Card (November 16, 2020)

The Greenville County School Board approved in its October 2020 meeting to change the grading scale of non-dual enrollment courses from a 7-point scale to a 10-point scale. Benefits of the change are an increase in student achievement and greater eligibility for academic scholarships for college, honors programs, and honors/scholars housing.

New Grading Scale for Non-Dual Enrollment Courses

| LETTER GRADE | 10-POINT SCALE | WEIGHT SCALE |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| A | 90-100 | 4.0 |
| B | 80-89 | 3.0 |
| C | 70-79 | 2.0 |
| D | 60-69 | 1.0 |
| F | 59 and below | 0 |

Grading Scale for Dual Enrollment Courses (No changes)

| Academic Dual Enrollment | | | CTE Dual Enrollment | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Letter Grade | 10-Point Scale | Weight Scale | Letter Grade | 10-Point Scale | Weight Scale |
| A | 90-100 | 6.0 | A | 90-100 | 5.0 |
| B | 80-89 | 4.5 | B | 80-89 | 3.75 |
| C | 70-79 | 3.0 | C | 70-79 | 2.5 |
| D | 60-69 | 1.5 | D | 60-69 | 1.25 |
| F | 59 and below | 0 | F | 59 and below | 0 |

Grading Scale Important Information

1. The scale change only impacts classes currently on a 7-point scale. Governor's school and dual enrollment classes will not be impacted, they are currently on a 10-point scale and will remain weighted courses.
2. The scale change **WILL NOT** impact previous year's grades. Grade books are being updated to reflect the change beginning with the first nine week's report card mailed home on November 16, 2020.
3. The scale change may impact class rank as students' grades improve. Class rank will be calculated at the end of the first semester.