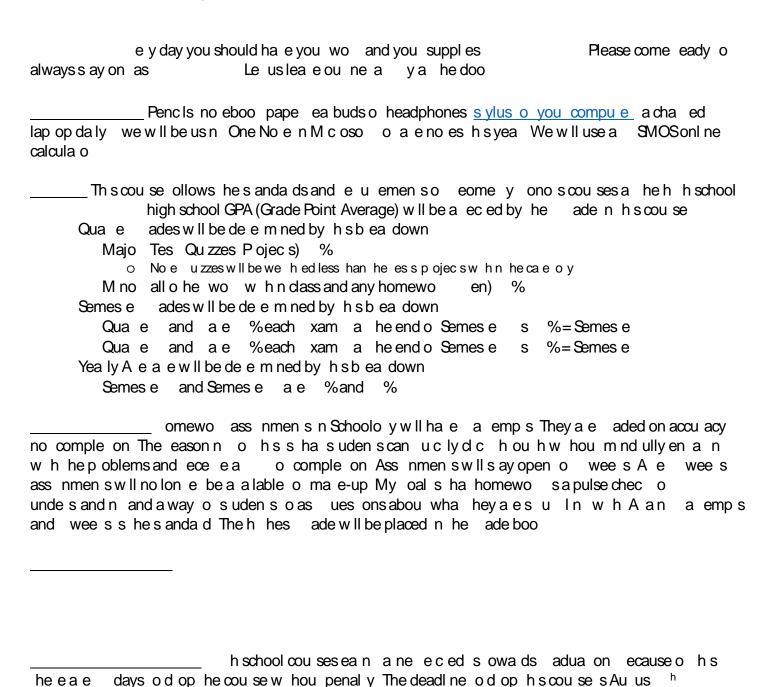
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Explanation of High School Grade Point Average (GPA)

Below you will find the 10 Point Grading Scale. High School courses are broken into College Prep, Honors, and AP/IB/Dual weighting. *Your child is in an Honors level course.* These are the grade point averages that are attainable for our students. As you can see, if a student earns an A in Algebra 1 Honors, they will begin their high school transcript with anywhere from a 4.5 to a 5.5 GPA. What an awesome opportunity! Honors courses allow them this extra boost in their GPA.

If a student retakes a high school course, both courses will display on the transcript; only the highest grade calculates into the GPA. As a parent, I believe that you should be educated in these options. If you have any questions, please contact me or our guidance staff. Please note that it is not guaranteed that a high school will offer the honors level of a course, so the GPA would change then to the College Prep weights.