Option 2 Applicants: Utilize this insert to assist you in Section 2-A.

- GPA is based on courses seen in the chart provided below only. *Cumulative college GPA's are not used.*
- **To calculate your GPA**, utilize the chart provided below:

Course	Letter Grade	**Points awarded to calculate GPA –** 4 points for each A 3 points for each B 2 points for each C 1 point for each D	**Semester Credits (units)**	GPA calculation multiply points earned x semester credits (units) for each course
BIOL 105*			x 4	
ENG 101			x 3	
PSYC 151			x 3	
HRO 100			x 1	
SPCH 151			x 3	
PSYC 210			x 3	
SOC 153			x 3	
Total Number of Points				
Number of semester credits attempted (add credits for courses completed)				
Divide number of points by number of semester credits attempted for GPA				
Points awarded on application (see chart on Application-Section 2-A)				

**** NOTE: BIOL 157 & 158 can replace BIOL 105. Grades from both courses will be factored into GPA, as seen below.***
The letter grades for each course are multiplied by 2 semester credits to equal the 4 semester credits generated by BIOL 105.

Course	*Letter Grade*	***Points awarded to calculate GPA –*** *4 points for each A 3 points for each B 2 points for each C 1 point for each D*	***Semester Credits (units)***	GPA Calculation multiply points earned x semester credits (units) for each course
*BIOL 157**			*x 2*	
*BIOL 158**			*x 2*	

The following are 3 examples to illustrate how course grades impact GPA.

Example 1: A student with 4 GE courses completed; all with A's and B's

Course	Letter Grade	Points awarded to calculate GPA	Semester Credits (units)	GPA Calculation multiply points earned x semester credits (units) for each course
BIOL 105	**A**	4	x 4	16
ENG 101	**B**	3	x 3	9
PSYC 151	**A**	4	x 3	12
HRO 100			x 1	
SPCH 151	**B**	3	x 3	9
PSYC 210			x 3	
SOC 153			x 3	
Total number of points				**46**
Number of semester credits attempted				**13**
GPA				**3.53**
Points awarded on Application				**5**

Example 2: A student with the same 4 GE courses completed; with 1 C, 1 B and 2 A's

Course	Letter Grade	Points awarded to calculate GPA	Semester Credits (units)	GPA Calculation multiply points earned x semester credits (units) for each course
BIOL 105	**C**	2	x 4	8
ENG 101	**A**	4	x 3	12
PSYC 151	**B**	3	x 3	9
HRO 100			x 1	
SPCH 151	**A**	4	x 3	12
PSYC 210			x 3	
SOC 153			x 3	
Total number of points				**41**
Number of semester credits attempted				**13**
GPA				**3.15**
Points awarded on Application				**3**

Example 3: A student with the same 4 GE courses completed; all B's except for 1 C. "C" in course with greatest number of semester credits (BIO 105). With no A's to counteract the C, this student does not meet the 3.0 GPA required for program application.

Course	Letter Grade	Points awarded to calculate GPA	Semester Credits (units)	GPA Calculation multiply points earned x semester credits (units) for each course
BIOL 105	**C**	2	x 4	8
ENG 101	**B**	3	x 3	9
PSYC 151	**B**	3	x 3	9
HRO 100			x 1	
SPCH 151	**B**	3	x 3	9
PSYC 210			x 3	
SOC 153			x 3	
Total number of points				**35**
Number of semester credits attempted				**13**
GPA				**2.69**
Points awarded on Application				**Doesn't meet minimum required**

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