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## WEIGHTED GRADES FOR HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT CLASSES GRADES 9-12

## **Policy Statement**

It is the policy of the Trumbull Board of Education that Honors and Advanced Placement classes will receive weighted grades for purposes of calculating and determining class rank.

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References

• Connecticut Public Act 99-81, "An Act Concerning Weighted Grading for Honors Classes"

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## **Regulations**

- 1. Rank in class is a method of listing students numerically according to their academic achievements. Rank is calculated at the end of the sixth and seventh semesters.
- 2. Rank is determined using the following grade conversion:

A + = 4.33	A = 4.0	A- = 3.67
B + = 3.33	B = 3.0	B- = 2.67
C + = 2.33	C = 2.0	C- = 1.67
D + = 1.33	D = 1.0	D-=0.67
$\mathbf{F} = 0$		

- 3. For a class that meets five times per week, a weight value of .05 (.0625 for lab science) is added to the final cumulative Quality Point Average for each full-year Honors course and .025 for each semester Honors course.
- 4. Advanced Placement courses are weighted at .07 (.0875 for lab science) for each full-year course and .035 for each semester course.