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Grades Count!

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How Are You Doing?

1. Are you satisfied with your current GPA as it relates to your future plans?

Answer

2. What changes could you make to your current practices that might improve your GPA?

Answer

3. What course selections have you made so far in your high school career that align with your future plans?

Answer

4. What course selections could you make for the rest of your high school career that would benefit your future plans?

Answer

Calculate Your GPA

Consider your reflections and test your theory. Make a list of potential courses you could take next year and use the GPA calculator to answer the following questions.

GPA Calculator: <https://gpacalculator.net/high-school-gpa-calculator/>

1. What is the original list of courses for next year and the calculated GPA?

Answer

2. Make a few courses more challenging. Change standard to honors or honors to AP. Add a full-credit elective. Now recalculate your GPA. List the courses and the GPA.

Answer

3. Make a few courses easier. Change honors to standard or AP to honors. Remove one or two electives. Now recalculate your GPA. List the courses and the GPA.

Answer

4. Which list of potential courses would give you the best GPA? Do you think it is a realistic course of action for you to take? Why or why not?

Answer

Create a Plan

Create a plan for success by answering the questions about the list of courses you have chosen.

1. How is this list of potential courses similar to your current course load?

Answer

2. How is this list of potential courses different from your current course load?

Answer

3. What are some steps you can take next year to be successful? Consider what you are currently doing in school and whether that is working for you.

Answer