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<https://gulfshorescs.powerschool.com/public>

GSHS Important Grade Information: Understanding Quarters, Semesters, Final (F1)

Gulf Shores City Schools uses CANVAS as the Learning Management System. Canvas will provide parents and students with the most up to date classroom assignment information. PowerSchool serves as the grade of record meaning ALL final grades will appear in PowerSchool and be posted to students record.

Exp	Last Week					This Week					Course	Q1	Q2	S1	Q3	Q4	S2	F1	Absences	Tardies
	M	T	W	H	F	M	T	W	H	F										
1(A-B)											100-A 100	[I]					100-A 100	0	0	
2(A-B)											77-C 77	[I]					77-C 77	0	0	
F(A-B)													[I]				[I]	0	0	
3(A-B)											100-A 100	[I]					100-A 100	0	0	
4(A-B)											60-D 60	[I]					60-D 60	0	0	
Attendance Totals																		0	0	

Current Added Value GPA (Q1): 3.6200

**Added Value (Weighted) GPA
High School ONLY**

Understanding Quarter, Semester, and F1 grades

- High School--Quarter grades are shown for semester courses and those 2 quarters are averaged to determine FINAL (F1) grade. F1 will be a running average until both quarters are complete.
- High School--Semester grades are shown for yearlong courses and those 2 semesters are averaged to determine FINAL (F1) grade. F1 will be a running average until both quarters are complete.
- GSHS Seniors--Regular US Gov and Econ are only 9 weeks in length, and you will ONLY see F1 and the F1 is your grade.
- GSHS 10th Grade--Your Health/Driver's Ed course runs for an entire semester and is made up of two 9 week courses (Driver's Ed and Health meet every other day for 18 weeks resulting in each class only being 9 weeks). The grade for both Driver's Ed and Health will be shown in the F1 column.
- Middle School—Middle School students have quarter courses, semester courses, and yearlong courses. Grades for quarter courses will be showing in the F1 column. Semester courses are 2 quarters in length and the final grade (F1) is determined using the 2 quarter grades and the X1 or X2 grade (final). Yearlong courses are 4 quarters in length and are calculated as follows: Q1, Q2, X1 = S1 grade and Q3, Q4, X2 = S2 Grade with the final grade being calculated by averaging S1 and S2.
- Elementary—Students in 1st – 5th are in yearlong courses and the final grade is calculated by averaging 25% for Q1, Q2, Q3, & Q4. Kindergarten and Gifted use standards based grading.
- All Schools--F1 grades are NOT final until grades are stored. This is typically within 10 days after the end of the course. **F1 grades are the final grade for the course and at high school are used to calculate GPA.**