

City of Saint Charles School District

Graduation Class of 2023

CUM LAUDE HONORS SYSTEM

Summa Cum Laude	Magna Cum Laude	Cum Laude
4.25 Cumulative GPA	4.05 Cumulative GPA	3.85 Cumulative GPA

This chart reflects updates to the Cum Laude Honors System due to the implementation of weighted grades. Please note the following:

- 1) A student taking the minimum requirement of qualifying courses and earns the same letter grades as in the old criteria... all that has been changed is to alter the numerical GPA to match the new system, which incorporates weighted grades.
- 2) With weighted grades more students will have the opportunity to qualify for Cum Laude recognition.
- 3) The bar for recognition has not been raised, but merely relabeled to reflect weighted grades. The number of B's a student is allowed in order to meet the Cum Laude Honor System requirements did not change.
- 4) The following is the list of weighted courses:

Honors Courses: Honors English 1, Honors English 2, Gifted English 1 & 2, Honors US History, Honors Geometry, Honors Algebra 2, Honors Pre-Calc, Honors Biology, Honors Chemistry, and Honors Physics

College Courses: College Composition 1&2, College US History 1&2, Calculus, College Algebra

AP Courses: AP Language and Composition, AP Literature and Composition, AP World History, AP European History, AP Government and Politics, AP Psychology, AP Biology, AP Chemistry/Lab, AP Physics, AP Spanish 5, AP French 5, AP German, AP Studio Art, AP Music Theory, AP Computer Science Principles, AP Spanish 4, AP French 4, AP German 4

Project Lead the Way: Computer Science Essentials, Principles of Biomedical Science, Human Body Systems, Introduction to Engineering Design, Principles of Engineering, Medical Interventions, Civil Engineering and Architecture, AP Computer Science A

CAPS: Technology Solutions, Healthcare Academy, Global Business/Entrepreneurship,

Lewis & Clark: Early Childhood, Health Occupation, Health Related Occupations and Computer Maintenance