

GRADE CONVERSIONS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

1.0 When such grade conversions shall be necessary as in the case of averaging grades or computing for graduation with honors, etc., transferred grades shall be converted to Monroe County grading scale by taking the transferred letter grade and awarding a numerical value most comparable to our county scale with the same letter grade as that of the transferred grade.

1.1 For example, a transferred 88/B-, the highest B- possible from the transferring school, would convert to our highest numerical B-, i.e., an 82. The lowest numerical B- would transfer as an 80, and so on. In the case of an "F", the difference between our lowest passing grade, 60, and the lowest passing grade from the transferring school would be subtracted from the transferred numerical "F". For example, a 64/f 59/F on a 65 60 passing scale is one point from passing. This would convert to a 59 on our scale, one point from passing and five points (the difference between 65 and 60) lower than the actual score (64). A 55/F would become a 50. A 43/F would become a 38 and so on. All letter grades have a three point (high, middle, low) spread on our scale, except for the A, A-, B, C, D. In such cases, convert to the highest numerical score within the appropriate range, i.e., a high A-/96 would convert to our score of 94. A middle A-/95 would become a 93, etc.

1.2 In cases where there is no numerical grade on the transcript to accompany the transferred letter grade, an effort shall be made to get the numerical grade from the sending school. Failing that, the grade awarded for the "F" shall be 59.

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