

High School Grade Improvement Requests

Pasco School District is providing the opportunity for students to improve high school credit-bearing grades from Trimester 3 of the 2019-2020 school year due to COVID-19 impacts. If you are taking any course in the same content area in the 2020-2021 school year, you can request a grade replacement.

Please reference the 2020-2021 High School Course Guidebook for course content areas to determine which courses can be used for grade replacements:

[20-21 Course Guidebook-English](#)

[20-21 Course Guidebook-Spanish](#)

Example 1:

You earned a "D" in Chemistry in Trimester 3 last year. In T1 of this year, you took Physics and earned a "B." You can request a grade replacement of "B" for Chemistry.

Example 2:

You earned a "B" in 10 English Argument in Trimester 3 of last year. In T2 this year, you took Speech and earned an "A." You can request your 10 English Argument grade be replaced with an "A."

Students are encouraged to request grade replacements immediately following the trimester in which they are earned. Your replacement grade will be added to your transcript and impacts your cumulative GPA. Grade improvement requests will be processed as follows:

- T1 grades: Submit by Dec. 16, 2020, for priority processing
- T2 grade: Submit by March 26, 2021, for priority processing
- T3 grade: Submit by June 28, 2021.

Requests will not be accepted after June 28th, 2021.

To request your replacement grade(s), complete the electronic form here:

[Grade Improvement Request Form](#)

Some courses offer equivalency credit in the areas of Art, Science, PE, Health, and English. Below is a list of courses that have equivalency credits. These may also be used for grade replacement requests for courses in the same content area as the CTE course.

Course Credit Equivalencies	
Fine Art Credit (Performing Arts, Drama, Visual Arts)	Lab Science (Science)
2D Animation* = 0.5 Fine Arts	CASE Ag Science** 1-2 (AFNR) = 1.0 Lab Science
3D Animation* = 0.5 Fine Arts	CASE Animal Science 1-2 ** = 1.0 Lab Science
Computer Aided Design (CAD)** 1-2 = 0.5 Fine Arts	Case Plant Science 1-2 ** = 1.0 Lab Science
Fashion Marketing * = 0.5 Fine Arts;	P.E/ Health
Adv. Fashion Marketing * = 0.5 Fine Arts	Sports Medicine** 1-2 and 3-4 = 0.5 Health
Floriculture** 1-2 = 1.0 Fine Arts	Food and Fitness * = 0.5 P.E. Credit
Floriculture** 3-4 = 1.0 Fine Arts	English
Interior Design* = 0.5 Fine Arts	Business Communications* = 0.5 English
Metals Technology** 1-2, 3-4 ,5-6 = 1.0 Fine Arts / per two trimester sequence	Financial Literacy
Photography * 1, 2, 3, 4 = 0.5 Fine Arts/Tri	Marketing** - Any 4 trimesters combination of = 0.5 Financial Lit
Video Production/Video Broadcasting* = 0.5 Fine Arts /Tri	Banking and Financial Services Marketing - 3 trimesters = 0.5 Financial Lit
Web Design* 1, 2 = 0.5 Fine Arts /tri	<i>Refer to course guidebook or contact your counselor for more information.</i>
Woods Technology** 1-2, 3-4, 5-6 = 1.0 Fine Arts / per two trimester sequence	