

Grade Point Average Computation, Assessment Scheme

Award of Credits

- Each module is assigned a number of credit units (CU), which serve as a measure of the academic workload expected from students. Typically, 1 credit unit corresponds to 15 hours of work. For example, a module with 4 credit units will have a workload of 60 hours (15 hours x 4). Students must pass the module assessments to earn the credit units assigned to that module.

Grade Point Average Computation

- Student progression within a course of study will be assessed using the Grade Point Average (GPA). The GPA is a numerical representation of a student's academic performance in the course. Both the semester GPA and cumulative GPA (cGPA) are calculated.

The formula for calculating the GPA is given below:

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\text{sum (credit units assigned to module X module grade point)}}{\text{sum (credit units assigned to module)}}$$

- The computation of cGPA will include all modules with assigned grade points, taking into account the grade achieved by the student in their most recent attempt at the assessment/examination for each module.

Assessment Scheme

- Examination modules

To successfully pass a module that includes an end-of-semester examination, students are required to achieve a minimum of 50% of the total module mark*. The total module mark is calculated by combining the marks obtained from both the coursework and the examination conducted within the same semester.

** Students will be advised on modules with varying requirements.*

- **Non-examinable modules**

For a module that is solely assessed based on coursework, students are required to attain a minimum of 50% of the total coursework mark to pass the module.

- **Graduation requirements**

Students who successfully meet the graduation requirements within the specified maximum duration of their course from the date of admission will receive a diploma or post-diploma qualification. However, if they do not meet these requirements, they will not be able to continue with or retake modules within the course of study.