LAUDE RECOGNITION PROGRAM AT WFSD

Cum laude is a Latin term that means with honor. It is used to refer to students who have met high academic standards at the time of graduation. There are three honors that are bestowed on graduates, including cum laude, which means with honor, magna cum laude, which means with high honor, and summa cum laude, which means with highest honor.

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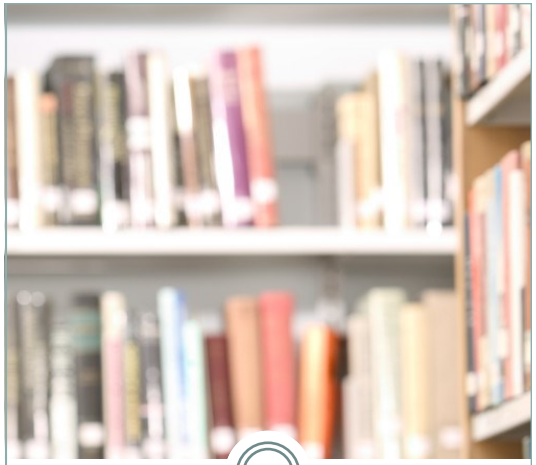

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In April of 2016, the Board of Education for the School District of Weyauwega-Fremont put forth a change to BOE policy 345. This Board of Education policy addresses how GPA is calculated, and how students will be recognized at graduation. This policy issues in a grandfather clause. Students from the class of 2017-2019 will still utilize the recognition of weighted grades and class rank.

All students will begin using the new grading scale in the fall of 2016. Students from the class of 2020 will see multiple changes to the recognition program at graduation. Those changes are reflected and explained in this brochure.

For additional questions, please contact the curriculum office at (920) 867-8860.

CLASS OF 2020

Changes for the class of 2020

- Grading Scale
- Elimination of weighted grades
- Elimination of class rank/valedictorian
- Addition of Laude recognition program

The Laude recognition program is a tiered system that recognizes students for the rigor of their academic program as well as their success in the program:

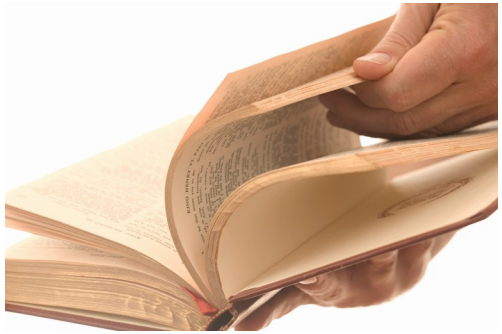
Summa Cum Laude: With highest honor 3.9 or higher

Magna Cum Laude: With high honor 3.8 or higher

Cum Laude: With honor 3.65 or higher

GRADING SCALE

A	94-100
A-	90-93
B+	87-89
B	84-86
B-	80-83
C+	77-79
C	74-76
C-	70-73
D+	67-69
D	64-66
D-	60-63
F	59 OR BELOW



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