

# Palmyra Area School District

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: CLASS RANK

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	<b>214. CLASS RANK</b>
1. Purpose	<p>The Board acknowledges the usefulness of a system of computing grade point averages and class ranking for secondary school graduates to inform students, parents and others of their relative academic placement among their peers under relatively similar circumstances.</p>
2. Authority	<p>The Board authorizes a system of class ranking, by grade point average, for students in grades 9 through 12. All students shall be ranked together.</p> <p>Class rank shall be computed by the final grade in all subjects.</p> <p>Any two or more students whose computed grade point averages are identical shall be given the same rank. The rank of the student who immediately follows a tied position will be determined by the number of students preceding him/her and not by the rank of the person preceding him/her.</p>
Pol. 216	<p>A student's grade point average and rank in class shall be entered on his/her record and shall be subject to the Board's policy on release of student records.</p> <p>Rank in class shall be entered on students' records and on all transcripts where they will be available for review by authorized persons.</p>
3. Delegation of Responsibility	<p>The Superintendent shall develop procedures for the computation of grade point averages and the assignment of rank in class to implement this policy which shall include a</p> <p>determination of class rank for students graduating before their classes;</p> <p>system for fairly averaging make-up courses; and</p> <p>statement of the methods for such computation and assignment to be made available for those to whom a student's grade point average or rank in class</p>

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<p>Other Cite Pol. 216</p>	<p>is released.</p>
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