

Middle School Resource Guide

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is a middle school unit?

A middle school unit is similar to a high school credit. A unit is equivalent to a full year middle school course. In order for a student to be promoted to high school from middle school, the student must successfully complete the following:

- Three (3) Language Art Courses/Units
- Three (3) Math Courses/Units
- Three (3) Social Studies Course/Units
 - One (1) semester (half a unit) MUST be Civics
 - One (1) Social Studies must include a career and planning component
- Three (3) Science Courses/Units

What is a GPA and do I get one as a middle school student?

A Grade Point Average (GPA) is the average of all the final grade that you have earned in all of your high school courses. You will only have an official GPA if you are taking high school courses.

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Career Exploration

<https://www.floridashines.org/find-a-career>

Mapping Your Future

<http://www.mapping-your-future.org/>