

Bolivia

Background

Academic Calendar	February-December
What is year nine called?	Year 9, <i>tercero grado, 1 grado</i>
Where is year nine typically located?	First year of secondary school
Native Language(s)	Spanish
Graduation Timeline	
8 + 2 + 2 = 12 or 8 + 4 = 12 or 6 + 6 = 12	12 years total: eight years primary, two years middle and two years upper secondary; eight years primary and four years secondary or six years primary and six years upper secondary

ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PROOF OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

1. *Diploma de Bachiller en Humanidades* [Bachelor's Diploma in Humanities]

Expected Timeline of Completion	12 years (four years or eight semesters from the initial start of year nine)
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2. *Bachillerato Tecnico* [Diploma from a Technical School]

Expected Timeline of Completion	12 years (four years or eight semesters from the initial start of year nine)
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NOT ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PROOF OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

1. *Certificado de Egreso* (coursework completion)
2. *Diploma de Tecnico Basico*

GRADING SCALES

7-Point Scale		
Numeric Grade	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
7	A	4
6-6.99	A	4
5-5.99	B	3
4-4.99	C	2
3.6-3.9	D	1
0-3.5	F	0

7-Point Scale			
Grade	Translation	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
Excelente	Excellent	A	4
Muy Bueno	Very Good	A	4
Bueno	Good	B	3
Regular	Average	C	2
	Minimum for Promotion	D	1
Deficiente/Insuficiente	Deficient	F	0
Malo	Bad	F	0
Pesimo/Muy Mal	Very Poor	F	0

70-Point Scale		
Numeric Grade	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
70	A	4
60-69	A	4
50-59	B	3
40-49	C	2
36-39	D	1
0-35	F	0

70-Point Scale			
Grade	Translation	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
Excelente	Excellent	A	4
Muy Bueno	Very Good	A	4
Bueno	Good	B	3
Regular	Average	C	2
	Minimum for Promotion	D	1
Deficiente/Insuficiente	Deficient	F	0
Malo	Bad	F	0
Pesimo/Muy Mal	Very Poor	F	0

100-Point Scale		
Numeric Grade	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
77-100	A	4
64-76	B	3
51-63	C	2
0-50	F	0

REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

- » [Course Title Usage guide.](#)
- » [Determination of Credit resource.](#)
- » [International initial-eligibility flyer.](#)
- » [Student account task information.](#)
- » [NCAA Guide of International Academic Standards for Athletics Eligibility.](#)
- » [Country-specific webpages.](#)
- » [Multi-country references.](#)

