

Peru

Background

Academic Calendar	March/April-December
What is year nine called?	3°
Where is year nine typically located?	Third year of upper secondary school
Native Language(s)	Spanish
Graduation Timeline	
6 + 5 = 11	11 years total: six years primary and five years of secondary

ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PROOF OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION:

1. *Bachillerato/Bachiller Profesional* [Professional Diploma]

Expected Timeline of Completion	11 years (three years or six semesters from the initial start of year nine)
Issuing Body	Upper secondary school

2. *Certificado Oficial de Estudios de Educación Secundaria Comun-Quinto año* [Official Certificate of Studies of Common Secondary Education - fifth year]

Expected Timeline of Completion	11 years (three years or six semesters from the initial start of year nine)
Issuing Body	Upper secondary school

3. *Bachillerato Técnico* [Technical Diploma]

Expected Timeline of Completion	11 years (three years or six semesters from the initial start of year nine)
Issuing Body	Upper secondary school

4. *Diploma de Aptitud Profesional* [Diploma of Professional Competency]

Expected Timeline of Completion	11 years (three years or six semesters from the initial start of year nine)
Issuing Body	Upper secondary school

GRADING SCALES

Numeric Grade	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
14 - 20	A	4
12 - 13	B	3
11	C	2
0 - 10	F (Failure)	0

Grade	Translation	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
<i>Excelente</i>	Excellent	A	4
<i>Muy Bueno</i>	Very good	B	3
<i>Aprobado</i>	Pass	C	2
<i>Aplazado/Malo/Reprobado</i>	Fail	F (Failure)	0

Grade	Translation	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
AD	Outstanding	A	4
A	Good	B	3
B	Sufficient	C	2
C	Insufficient	F	0

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

» The following are less commonly known course titles **approved** for use in an academic certification:

English/Native Language	Math	Science	Social Science	Additional Courses
		Science, Technology and Environment		

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.](#)

