

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
DOE INFORMATION DATABASE REQUIREMENTS VOLUME I:  
AUTOMATED STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM  
AUTOMATED STUDENT DATA ELEMENTS

Year: 2015-16

Data Element Number: **165625**

Data Element Name: **Quality Points State, Cumulative**

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The number of quality points earned by the student for all grade 9-12 courses completed to date in which an academic grade has been awarded. This total is used in the calculation of the Grade Point Average State, Cumulative.

<b>Code</b>	<b>Definition/Example</b>
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If the district's own scale for quality points is identical to the scale described below, a separate element will not be needed. This element is intended for use only where Quality Points District, Cumulative is based on a different scale.

The quality point scale to be used for this element follows (values in the scale are adjusted by the credit value of the course):

4 quality points for "A"

3 quality points for "B"

2 quality points for "C"

1 quality points for "D"

0 quality points for "F"

0 quality points for incomplete "I"

Quality points for a .5 credit course with a grade of "B" would be 001.50.

Quality points for a 1.0 credit course with a grade of "B" would be 003.00.

See Section 1003.437, Florida Statutes, for current requirements.

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**Length:** 5

**Data Type:** Numeric

**Year Implemented:** 8788

**State Standard:** Yes

**Use Types:**

State Reporting: No

Local Accountability: Yes

FASTER: No

Migrant Tracking: No

**Required Grades:** 09-12

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**Programs Required:**

All Programs

Adult Secondary

**Formats Required:**

None

**Surveys Required:**

None

**Appendixes:**

None

**Description of Changes:**

None