

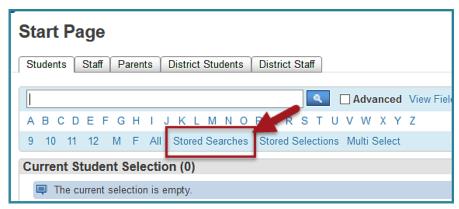
Using Export Template for GPA Export

How to Export Using Template

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School Power Users can run **Export with Template** for GPA export using the **Export Using Template** page in PowerSchool.

1. On the Start Page, select Stored Searches.

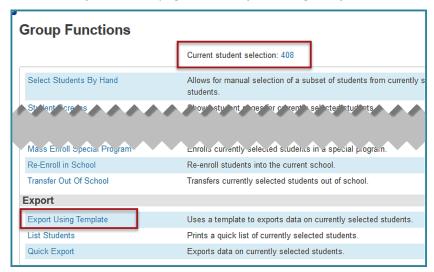


2. On the **Stored Searches** page, select **Run Search** for the **Class of** that describes your current Senior students.

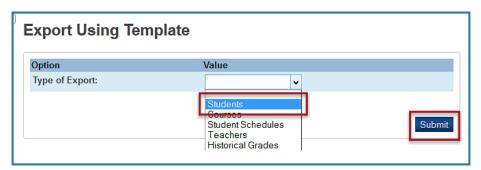




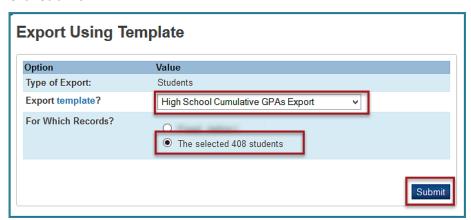
3. On the **Group Functions** page, select **Export Using Template**.



- 5. On the **Export Using Template** page, select **Students** from the drop down menu.
- 6. Click Submit.



- 7. From the Export template? drop down menu, select High School Cumulative GPAs Export.
- 8. Select the radio button next to the selected student group.
- 9. Click Submit.



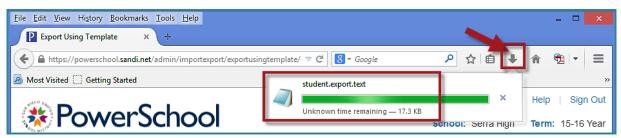
10. Be patient. This report takes some time to run.



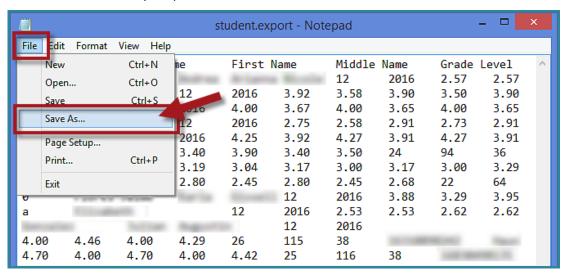
- 11. On the **Opening student.export.text** window, select the **Open with** radio button, and choose **Notepad (default)** from the drop-down menu, if not already selected.
- 12. Click **OK**.



13. The file will automatically open in Notepad, it may take some time so be patient. To view the progress of the download, click the download arrow on your computer.



14. When the **student.export** page opens, select **File** and choose **Save As...** from the drop-down menu. Save the document to your preferred location.

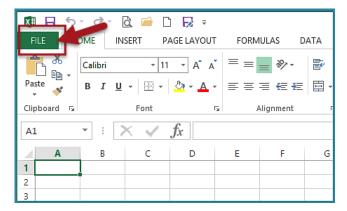




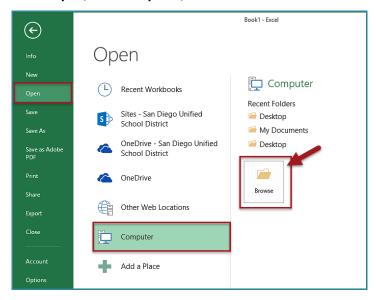
How to Import PowerSchool GPA Exports into Excel

Site Users can take the exported **High School Cumulative GPAs** text file and import them into **Excel**. This will allow the user to rank students and sort them in various ways.

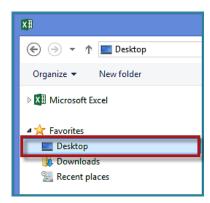
1. Launch Excel and click on the File tab.



2. Select **Open**, click **Computer**, then select **Browse** to locate the file.

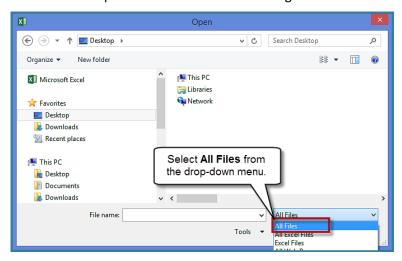


3. Find the location of the saved file and Click on it.

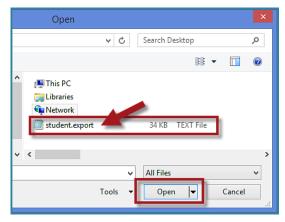




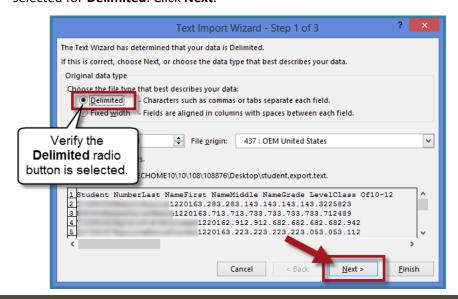
4. Click on the drop down menu at the bottom right and select All Files.



5. Click on the **Text File** called **student.export** and select **Open**.

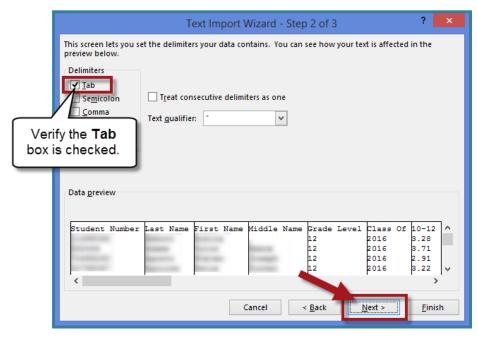


6. On the **Text Import Wizard - Step 1 of 3** pop-up window, make sure that the radio button is selected for **Delimited**. Click **Next**.

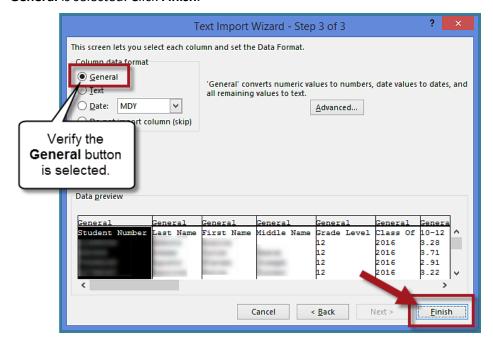




7. On the **Text Import Wizard – Step 2 of 3** pop-up window, make sure that the box next to **Tab** is checked. Click **Next**.

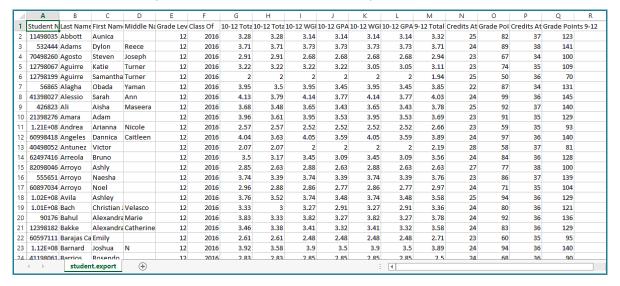


8. On the **Text Import Wizard – Step 3 of 3** pop up window, make sure that the radio button next to **General** is selected. Click **Finish**.





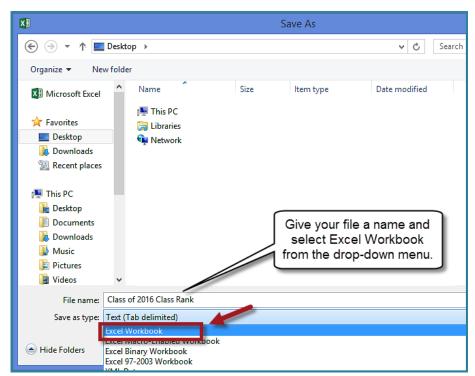
9. The student data exported from PowerSchool is now imported into Excel as raw data.



Note: The student data is imported with basic (minimal) formatting. Columns and rows may appear crowded or illegible.

IMPORTANT! Make sure to save your file.

- 1. Select the **File** tab and click **Save As**, select where you would like to save your file.
- 2. Give your file a name, then select Excel Workbook from the drop-down menu.
- Click Save.

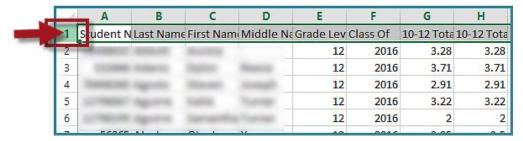




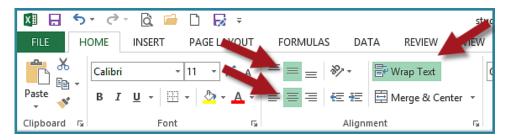
Formatting the Data in Excel

The following steps will improve the view of your student data:

1. Select **Row 1**, to highlight it for changes.



2. Then (in any order), select center justified, middle aligned, and Wrap Text.



This will make the text in **Row 1**, plainly visible.

4	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	l I	J	K	L	М
1	Student Number	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Grade Level	Class Of	10-12 Total WGPA	10-12 Total GPA	10-12 WGPA w/o PE	10-12 GPA w/o PE	10-12 WGPA w/o PE, ROTC	10-12 GPA w/o PE, ROTC	9-12 Total WGPA

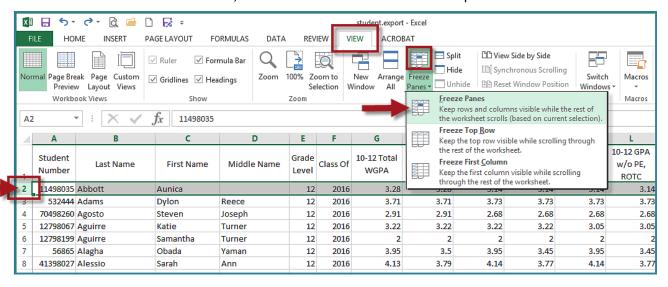
- 3. Next, make adjustments to the Column widths to view the student names in their entirety. Click the top left corner of **Excel** to highlight the whole worksheet.
- 4. Then, double Click between the joint of the first two columns in the gray area (between **Column A**, and **Column B**).

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	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	
1	Student Number	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Grade Level	Class Of	10-12 Total WGPA	10 Tota
2	1.1E+07	Abbott	Aunica		12	2016	3.28	
3	532444	Adams	Dylon	Reece	12	2016	3.71	
4	7E+07	Agosto	Steven	Joseph	12	2016	2.91	
5	1.3E+07	Aguirre	Katie	Turner	12	2016	3.22	
6	1.3E+07	Aguirre	Samantha	Turner	12	2016	2	



HINT! Freeze Panes will allow you to "freeze" the column headers so that when you scroll down through the data, the headers will always be visible.

- 5. Select **Row 2** to highlight it for change, then click the **View** tab.
- 6. Click the Freeze Panes icon, and select Freeze Panes from the drop-down menu.



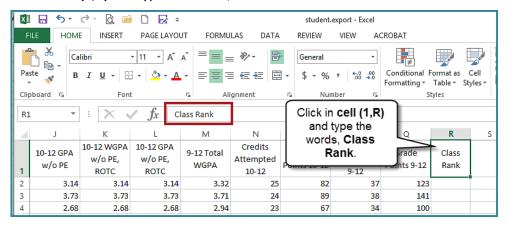


How to Setup a Class Rank Column in Excel

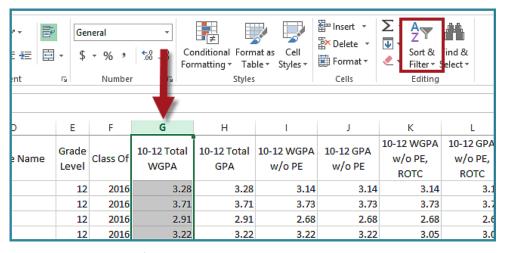
Site Users can take the exported GPA student data from PowerSchool and create a class ranking in Excel.

IMPORTANT! To correctly Rank the GPA's of the students selected, the order of the columns must remain the same. The formula will not work if the order of the columns is moved around or changed.

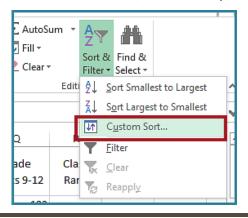
1. Click in cell (1,R) and type the words, Class Rank.



2. Select Column G, then click Sort & Filter.



3. Select **Custom Sort...**, from the drop down menu.

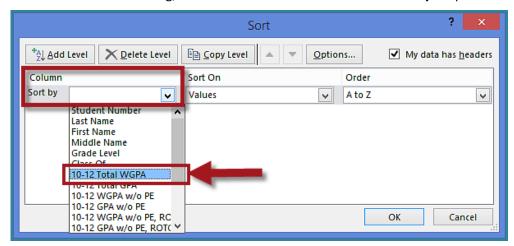




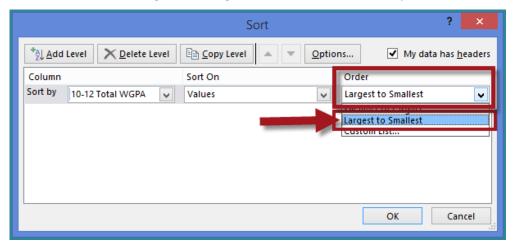
- 4. A **Sort Warning** message will display. Make sure that the **Expand the Selection** radio button is selected.
- 5. Click Sort.



6. Under the Column heading, select 10-12 Total WGPA from the Sort by drop down menu.

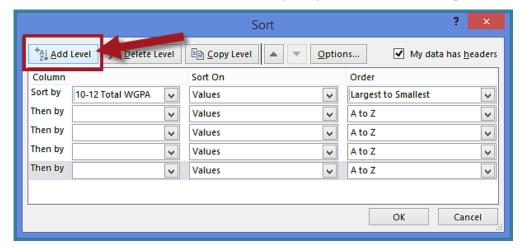


7. Under the **Order** heading, select **Largest to Smallest** from the drop down menu.

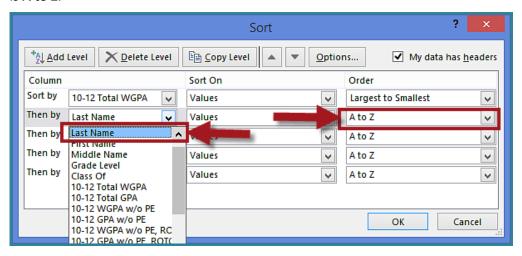




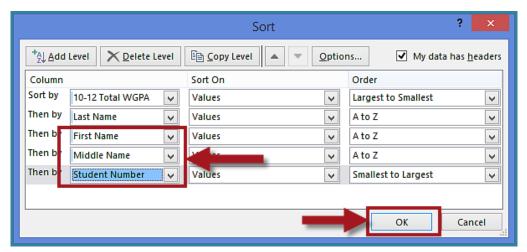
8. Click on the Add Level button four times to open up four additional sorting rows.



9. Under the **Column** heading, select **Last Name** from the drop down menu. Make sure that the **Order** is **A to Z**.

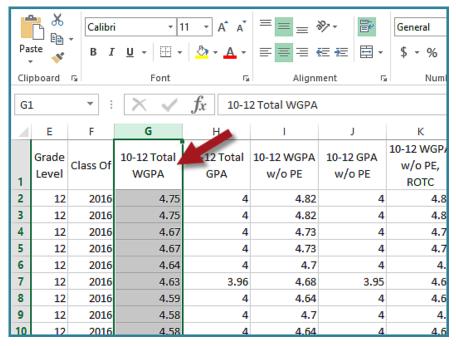


- 10. Complete the next three sort orders; First Name, Middle Name, and Student Number.
- 11. Click **OK**.



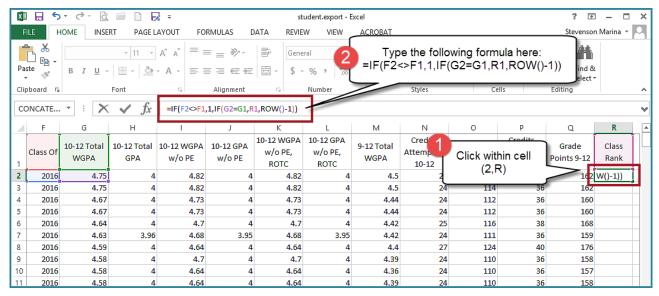


12. This will result in the descending order of Column G, from Largest to Smallest.



13. To set up the GPA class ranking in **Excel**, Click within the cell **(2,R)** to select it. Then, paste or write the following formula into the function box above the column headings:

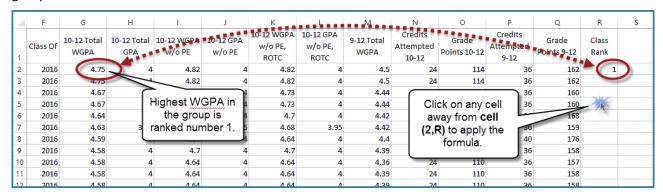
=IF(F2<>F1,1,IF(G2=G1,R1,ROW()-1))



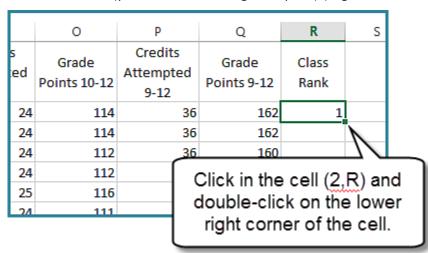


14. Click on any cell away from cell (2,R), to apply the formula. The number one (1) will appear, indicating that the formula is working.

NOTE! The cell **(2,R)**, has a one **(1)** in it because the formula has ranked this row as the highest WGPA in the group.



15. To apply this formula to the remaining rows. Click on cell (2, R) and double-click on the lower right corner of the cell (your cursor will change to a plus (+) sign.



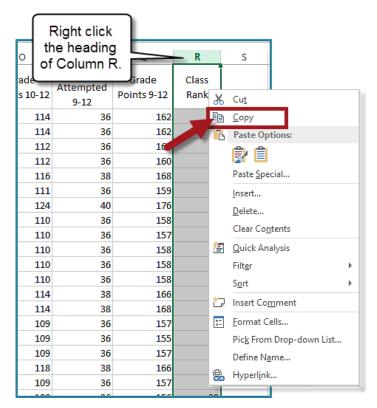
16. Column R, will then display the ranking order of the WGPAs for grades 10-12.

4	F	G	Н	I	J	K	L	М	N	0	Р	Q	R	S
1	Class O	10-12 Total WGPA	L0-12 Total GPA	10-12 WGPA w/o PE	10-12 GPA w/o PE	10-12 WGPA w/o PE, ROTC	10-12 GPA w/o PE, ROTC	9-12 Total WGPA	Credits Attempted 10-12	Grade Points 10-12	Credits Attempted 9-12	Grade Points 9-12	Class Rank	
2	201	4.75	4	4.82	4	4.82	4	4.5	24	114	36	162	1	
3	201	4.75	4	4.82	4	4.82	4	4.5	24	114	36	162	1	
4	201	4.67	4	4.73	4	4.73	4	4.44	<u>2</u> 4	112	36	16)	3	
5	201	4.67	4	4.73	4	4.73	4	4.44	24	112	36	16)	3	
6	201	4.64	4	4.7	4	4.7	4	4.42	25	116	38	168	5	
7	201	4.63	3.96	4.68	3.95	4.68	3.95	4.42	24	111	36	15	6	
8	201	4.59	4	4.64	4	4.64	4	4.4	27	124	40	175	7	
9	201	4.58	4	4.7	4	4.7	4	4.39	24	110	36	15	8	
10	201	4.58	4	4.64	4	4.64	4	4.36	24	110	36	15 7	8	
11	201	4.58	4	4.64	4	4.64	4	4.39	24	110	36	15	8	
12	201	4.58	4	4.64	4	4.64	4	4.39	24	110	36	158	8	
13	201	4.58	4	4.64	4	4.64	4	4.39	24	110	36	15	8	
14	201	4.56	4	4.61	4	4.61	4	4.37	25	114	38	16	13	
15	201	4.56	3.92	4.61	3.91	4.61	3.91	4.42	25	114	38	168	13	
16	2016	// 5//	2 06	1 50	2 05	150	2 05	1 26	24	100	26	15	15	

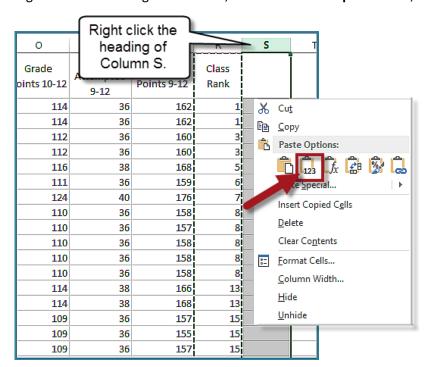
NOTE! For students with identical GPAs, the Class Rank will be identical for each of those students.



17. Right click the heading of **Column R**, and select **Copy** from the drop down menu.



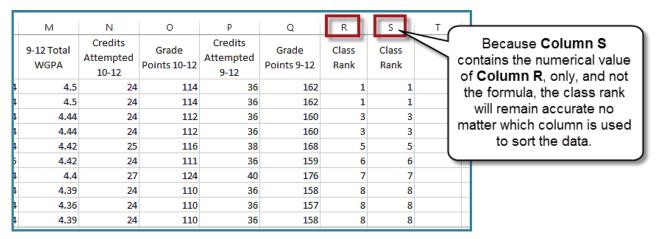
18. Right click the heading of **Column S**, and select **Paste Options: 123**, from the clipboard.



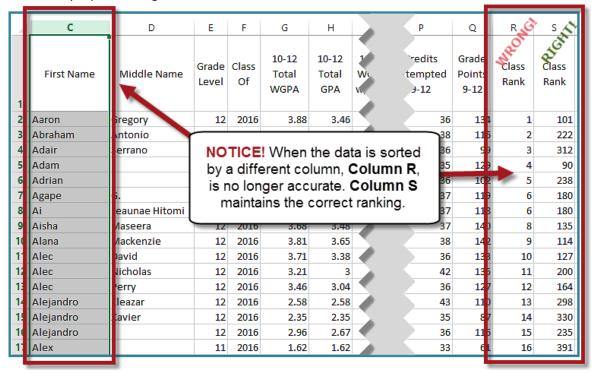


19. This will create a class ranking order in Column S, identical to the class ranking in Column R.

NOTE: The pasting option of **123**, into **Column S** (used above), transferred the numerical value of **Column R**, only, and not the formula. This means that no matter which column is used to sort the data, the class rank in **Column S** will remain accurate.



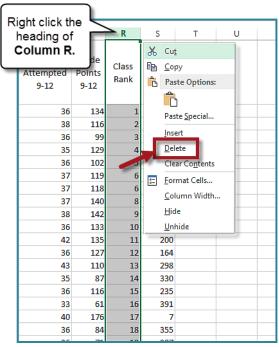
NOTICE! When the data is sorted by a different column, **Column R** is no longer accurate, but **Column S** maintains the proper ranking.



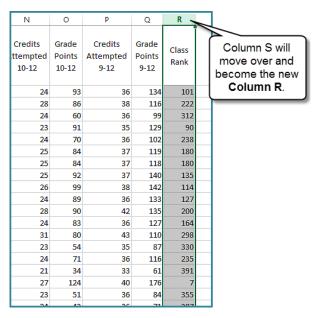
IMPORTANT! The class rank in **Column S** will remain accurate regardless of sorting done in any other column. **Column R** can be deleted.



20. To delete **Column R**, right click the **heading of Column R** and select **Delete** from the drop-down menu.



21. Column S will move over and become the new Column R.



- 22. Now the student data in Excel can be sorted by any column and the Class Rank data will remain accurate in **Column R**.
- 23. **IMPORTANT!** Remember to save the document.