

Montenegro

Educational Timeline

- School year: September to June; Graduation occurs in June
- Primary school is eight years followed by four years of secondary school

Group A: Documents That Meet High School Graduation Requirement

Students presenting documents other than those listed below will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. The title of the document may vary.

Diploma o Završenoj Gimnaziji / srednjoj školi Diploma of Completed High School
-Must be accompanied by academic records/transcripts for four years of secondary school

Diploma o Položenom Maturskom Ispitu Diploma of Completed Maturity Examination
-Must be accompanied by academic records/transcripts for four years of secondary school

Diploma o položenom eksternom stručnom ispitu Diploma of Passed External Professional Examination
-Must be accompanied by academic records/transcripts for four years of secondary school

Group B: Documents That Do Not Meet High School Graduation Requirement

Comparable to less than completion of US high school

Diploma o Treci Stepen Diploma of Third Degree

GPA Calculation

Calculate the cumulative high school GPA by converting final average listed on the *Diploma* (listed on the "Group A" document), or if not yet graduated, by converting line-by-line grades on the yearly secondary school reports (*Svjedodžba* or *Svjedočanstvo*). Each grade is weighted equally. Convert to US equivalents and then to quality points. Divide quality points by the total number of examination results included.

Grading Scale (may not be all inclusive)

Grade	Translation	Numeric Grade	US Grade	Quality Points
<i>Odličan</i>	Excellent	5	A	4
<i>Vrlo Dobar</i>	Very Good	4	B	3
<i>Dobar</i>	Good	3	B	3
<i>Dovoljan</i>	Sufficient	2	C	2
<i>Nedovoljan</i>	Insufficient	1	F	0

Class Ranking

Class rank is evaluated based on a letter written and submitted by the headmaster or principal of the institution from which the student graduated. The letter must confirm both the student's final position in the student's secondary school class and the total number of students in the graduating class (e.g. the student is 41st in a total graduating class of 112 students). However,

students completing tracked or separate degree programs must be ranked against all other students in a given class who completed the same degree program.

Post-Secondary Education

Students will be charged terms of attendance and considered transfer students if they have enrolled as a regular student and attended one or more courses at any of the types of institutions listed below (may not be all inclusive) or any other institution that requires proof of high school graduation as a pre-requisite for admission (subject to review on a case-by-case basis).

<i>Univerzitet</i>	University
<i>College/koledž</i>	College
<i>Fakultet</i>	Faculty
<i>Visoka škola</i>	High College
<i>Akademija</i>	Academy

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