GPA: What grades do I need this semester?

Procedure for calculating grades necessary to attain a given average at the end of the current semester.

1. From your grade report sheet, enter “quality hours.”  
2. Enter hours you are attempting this current semester.  
3. Add lines 1 and 2.  
4. If you are repeating courses this current semester, enter the total quality hours.  
5. Subtract line 4 from line 3.  
6. Enter the cumulative GPA required at the end of the current semester.  
7. Multiply the hours on line 5 by the GPA on line 6. This is how many quality points you need at the end of the current semester.  
8. Enter the quality points you have earned prior to this semester.  
9. Enter the number of quality points you earned for your repeated courses.  
10. If you are repeating courses this semester, subtract line 9 from line 8.  
11. Subtract line 10 from line 7.  
12. Enter the quality hours you are attempting this semester.  
13. Divide line 11 by line 12.

This is the minimum grade point average you must earn on courses being taken during current semester in order to attain the required cumulative grade point average at the end of the current semester.