

Mozambique

Background

Academic Calendar	February-December
What is year nine called?	9
Where is year nine typically located?	Second year of lower secondary
Native Language(s)	Portuguese
Graduation Timeline	
7 + 3 + 2 = 12 or 7 + 3 + 3 = 13	12 or 13 years total: seven years primary, three years lower secondary and two or three years upper secondary

ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PROOF OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

1. *Certificado de Habilitações Literárias* [Certificate of Learning Competence or Secondary School Leaving Certificate]

Expected Timeline of Completion	12 years (four years or eight semesters from the initial start of year nine)
Issuing Body	Ministry of Education

2. *Certificado do Nível Técnico e Vocacional Médio* [Certificate of Medium Technical and Vocational Level]

Expected Timeline of Completion	13 years (five years or ten semesters from the initial start of year nine)
Issuing Body	Ministry of Education

NOT ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PROOF OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

1. *Carta de Ensino Primário de Segundo Grau* [Certificate of 2nd Cycle Primary]

Expected Timeline of Completion	Seven years
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2. *Carta de Ensino Secundário* [Certificate of Secondary Education]

Expected Timeline of Completion	10 years (two years or four semesters from the initial start of year nine)
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GRADING SCALES

Numeric Grade	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
19 - 20	A	4
17 - 18	B	3
14 - 16	B	3
10 - 13	C	2
0 - 9	F	0

Grade	Translation	U.S. Grade Equivalent	Quality Points
<i>Excelente</i>	Excellent	A	4
<i>Muito Bom</i>	Very Good	B	3
<i>Bom</i>	Good	B	3
<i>Passar</i>	Pass	C	2
<i>Falhar/Não</i>	Fail	F	0

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.](#)

