# High Expectations for Academic Performance (HEAP) 

3 subscales: Ability beliefs, Predictions, and Demands

1 (Strongly Disagree) to 7 (Strongly Agree)

1. My parents demand that I earn A's. (Demand)
2. My parents would predict that I will be earning A's. (Predict)
3. My parents think I can earn A's. (Ability)
4. According to my parents, I must earn A's. (Demand)
5. If they took a guess, my parents would say that I am going to earn As. (Predict)
6. My parents think I have what it takes to earn A's. (Ability)
7. According to my parents, I am obligated to earn A's. (Demand)
8. My parents would estimate that I am going to earn A's. (Predict)
9. My parents think I have the ability to earn A's. (Ability)

Scoring: To create indices of Ability Beliefs, Predictions, and Demands, take the average of each subscales 3 respective items (shown in italics).

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# High Expectations for Academic Performance: Student self-version (HEAP-s) 

3 subscales: Ability beliefs, Predictions, and Demands

1 (Strongly Disagree) to 7 (Strongly Agree)

1. I demand it of myself that I earn A's. (Demand)
2. I would predict that I will be earning A's. (Predict)
3. I think I can earn A's. (Ability)
4. According to my own standards, I must earn A's. (Demand)
5. If they took a guess, I would say that I am going to earn As. (Predict)
6. I think I have what it takes to earn A's. (Ability)
7. According to my own standards, I am obligated to earn A's. (Demand)
8. I would estimate that I am going to earn A's. (Predict)
9. I think I have the ability to earn A's. (Ability)

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