



116th Congress (2019-20) Committee Report Card

Rank	Chair	Committee	Score*	Grade
1	Bobby Scott (D-VA)	House Committee on Education and Labor	124%	A
1	Mark Takano (D-CA)	House Committee on Veterans' Affairs	124%	A
3	Nita Lowey (D-NY)	House Committee on Appropriations	119%	A
4	Jerrold Nadler (D-NY)	House Committee on Judiciary	115%	A
5	Carolyn Maloney (D-NY)	House Committee Oversight and Reform	112%	A
6	John Yarmuth (D-KY)	House Committee on Budget	103%	A
6	Raúl Grijalva (D-AZ)	House Committee on Natural Resources	103%	A
8	Maxine Waters (D-CA)	House Committee on Financial Services	102%	A
9	Bennie Thompson (D-MS)	House Committee on Homeland Security	93%	A
10	Marco Rubio (R-FL)	Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship	92%	A
11	James Inhofe (R-OK)	Senate Committee on Armed Services	87%	B
12	Chuck Grassley (R-IA)	Senate Committee on Finance	80%	B-
13	Lisa Murkowski (R-AK)	Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources	79%	C+
14	Frank Pallone (D-NJ)	House Committee on Energy and Commerce	78%	C+
14	Nydia Velázquez (D-NY)	House Committee on Small Business	78%	C+
16	Susan Collins (R-ME)	Senate Committee on Aging	74%	C
16	Lindsey Graham (R-SC)	Senate Committee on Judiciary	74%	C
18	Peter DeFazio (D-OR)	House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure	73%	C
19	Adam Smith (D-WA)	House Committee on Armed Services	70%	C-
19	Eddie Bernice Johnson (D-TX)	House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology	70%	C-
21	Collin Peterson (D-MN)	House Committee on Agriculture	68%	D+
22	Richard Shelby (R-AL)	Senate Committee on Appropriations	67%	D
22	Roger Wicker (R-MS)	Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation	67%	D
24	Eliot Engel (D-NY)	House Committee on Foreign Affairs	64%	D
25	Pat Roberts (R-KS)	Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	63%	D
26	John Barrasso (R-WY)	Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works	62%	D
27	Mike Crapo (R-ID)	Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	59%	F
28	Jerry Moran (R-KS)	Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs	57%	F
29	Richard Neal (D-MA)	House Committee on Ways and Means	54%	F
30	John Hoeven (R-ND)	Senate Committee on Indian Affairs	51%	F
31	Jim Risch (R-ID)	Senate Committee on Foreign Relations	50%	F
32	Lamar Alexander (R-TN)	Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	48%	F
33	Mike Enzi (R-WY)	Senate Committee on Budget	33%	F
34	Ron Johnson (R-WI)	Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	32%	F

* The scores for each committee are derived by comparing the overall number of oversight hearing points a committee earned during the 116th Congress (2019-2020) to the highest historic performance by that same committee over the last five Congresses (2009-2018). A score above 90% earns an A, 80% earns a B, 70% earns a C, and 60% earns a D. A score over 100% indicates that a committee set a new record for oversight hearing points in the just concluded 116th Congress.

The House Committee on House Administration, the House Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), the Senate Committee on Intelligence, the House Committee on Rules, and the Senate Committee on Rules are not given grades due to unique factors related to these committees that are explained in the FAQ section of our website.