

**Graduate School
Temporary Revision to Pass/No Pass Option**

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic and in response to the University's decision to move instruction to an on-line format for the remainder of the 2020 spring semester, the University will expand the existing Pass/No Pass option graduate students – subject to certain conditions and Graduate School approval. This option is only available for classes running during the Spring 2020 term.

All graduate students enrolled during the spring semester 2020 may petition to take a graduate course on a Pass/No Pass (P/NP) grading basis. Deadlines to petition have been extended and include:

April 28, 2020 for courses running March 16 – May 2

May 1, 2020 for courses running January 15 – May 9

May 5, 2020 for courses running March 16 – May 9

For the spring 2020 semester only, the maximum limit of credits that may be taken P/NP has been lifted, grades of P/NP from this semester do not count toward the 9 credit limit in future semesters, and graduate students may petition to choose courses within their graduate program that are currently graded using a letter scale. Due to the potential implications of electing a P/NP grading basis, the decision is solely that of the student after advising has occurred. Please note that:

- a grade of “P” indicates work equivalent to a letter grade of “C” or better. Credit is counted toward graduation with no effect (either positive or negative) on the grade point average.
- a grade of “NP” indicates work equivalent to a letter grade below “C”. No credit is awarded, and there is no effect on the grade point average. Students would be subject to dismissal, as outlined in the Graduate School's Academic Dismissal policy.

<http://catalog.creighton.edu/graduate/administration-policies/grading-guide/academic-dismissal/>

Once a student submits a petition to take a course on a P/NP grading basis, s/he may not revert to a letter grading basis.

The online form found here [Graduate P/NP Form](#) must be submitted by 11:59 pm as of the deadline(s) listed above.