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# Pass+/Pass/No Pass Grading ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-2021

# What is P+/P/NP?

**Pass Plus (P+)** is a grade of C- or higher

**Pass (P)** is a grade of D+, D, or D-

**No Pass (NP)** is a grade is lower than D-



# Grades for the Quarter

Students have the ability to opt into

**P+/P/NP grading**

for one undergraduate course  
per quarter



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## Impact on GPA

Opting into the P+/P/NP means that this course will have *no impact* on your GPA.

All other grades in the quarter will be factored into your GPA.



# Opt-In Deadlines

You must opt-in to a P+/P/NP grade for a course within 72 hours of posting of the final letter grade in that course.

No action is needed to receive a traditional letter grade.



# Degree Considerations

Major & Minor requirements  
need a P+ (C- or above)

Common Curriculum or general elective credits  
need a P or P+ (D- or above)

You will NOT receive credits for a NP  
(failing grade)



# Does your grade reflect your normal academic standard?

If your grade is **ABOVE** standard or **NEUTRAL**,  
letter grades may be the best option

If your grade is **BELOW** standard,  
consider the P+/P/NP option for the class





## **Caution when choosing P+/P/NP grading**

- Certification or licensure programs
- Entrance into medical school or graduate school
- Scholarships or benefits that require a particular GPA
- Applications for a highly competitive job in your industry that may ask to see your transcript



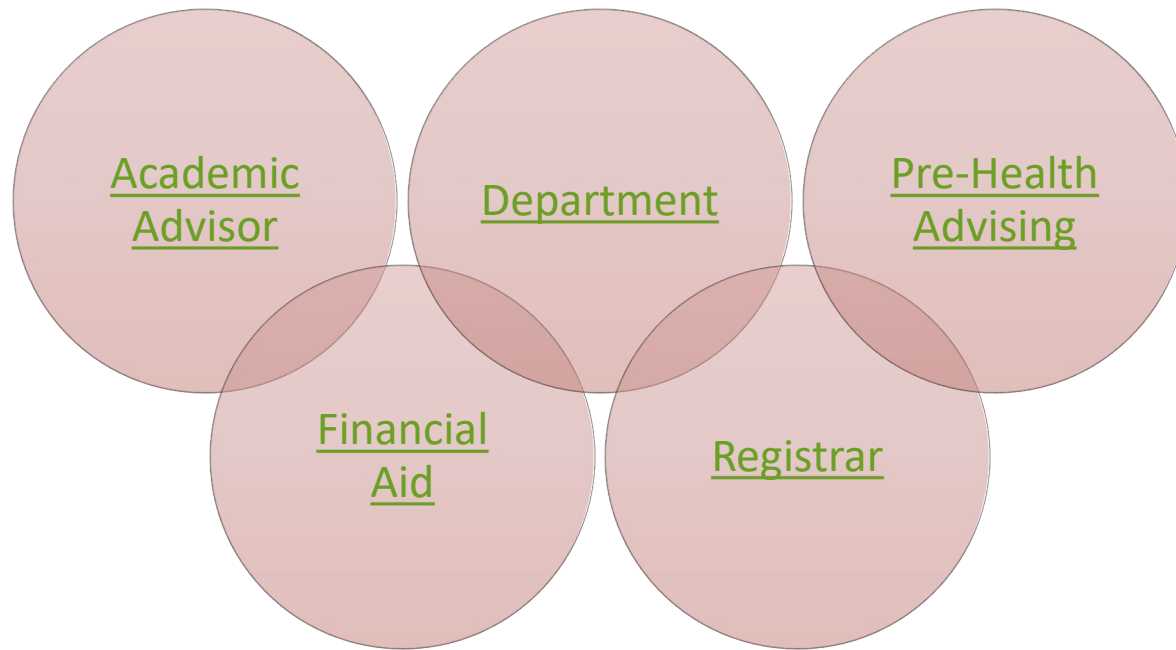


# GPA Calculator

Use a GPA calculator to see how each of your course grades may impact your GPA



# Resources



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# Questions

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