In addition to a standard letter grade, credit courses may be offered in either or both of the following categories:

- Courses in which all students are evaluated on a "pass-no pass" basis.
- Courses in which each student may elect on registration, or within 30% of the duration of the course, to take the course on a “pass-no pass” basis until the last day of instruction, as established and published by the District, whether the basis of evaluation is to be “pass-no pass” or a letter grade.

A student electing to be evaluated on the "pass-no pass" basis will receive both course credit and unit credit upon satisfactory completion of the course. In computing a student's grade-point average, non-letter grades of "pass-no pass" are omitted.

A pass grade is granted for performance that is equivalent to the letter grade of "C" or better. A student who fails to perform satisfactorily will be assigned a "no pass" grade.

The student is held responsible for all assignments and examinations required in the course. The standards of evaluation are identical for all students in the course.

Students pursuing an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) should refer to UC/CSU policies regarding acceptance of "pass-no pass" units prior to petitioning for approval.

The student elects shall inform the Admissions and Records Office, by petition, of intention to complete a course for a pass/no pass grade and the instructor shall report to the Admissions and Records Office a final grade of “P” (pass) or “NP” (no pass) for students who petition elect this option.

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