Courses shall be graded using the grading system established by Title 5. The grading system shall be published in the college catalog and made available to students.

Starting with the Summer session of 2013, the grading system shall include the option of using the "plus" and "minus" designation in combination with letter grades, except that C minus shall not be used.

Starting with the Summer session of 2013, the grading system shall include the option of using the “FW” grade for students who stop attending classes after the final drop date.

The sole responsibility for assigning grades rests with the individual instructor of record. Instructors will determine final grades based upon their grading policies as set forth in the course syllabus, as well as aligning with the grading standards contained in the official course outline of record. All Instructors are expected to consistently employ their best judgment in the determination of final grades.

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