### Winter 2020 Grade Options for Graduate Students

If you have any questions about your grades for this term or the grading structure of your course, ask your instructor.

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<td>W</td>
<td>Withdraw. You can withdraw from the course on UR Self Service. Withdrawing does not affect your GPA. If things really aren't going well, you should choose to withdraw instead of receiving an NP. <strong>If you are worried about this, check with your instructor NOW.</strong> Be aware that when you withdraw from a class it could affect your status as a full-time student. A <strong>decision to withdraw cannot be changed.</strong></td>
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<td>W</td>
<td>This is a failing grade. If you receive an NP you have no other options and <strong>you cannot convert this to NCC.</strong> To avoid an NP it is important that you attempt to complete all course requirements. A NP grade does not affect your status as a full-time student.</td>
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<td>NCC</td>
<td>No credit is given for the course and your GPA is not affected. You will have to retake this course if you need it to graduate. A NCC grade does not affect your status as a full-time student. <strong>Your grade decision cannot be changed.</strong></td>
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**Start Here**

I'm going to try and finish my course normally.  

**NOT SURE**

Things aren't going well and I don't think I can finish.*

**April 9: Deadline to withdraw from your course**

I tried to complete all the mandatory course components, including attempting the final exam (if there is one). *

**Final grades will be posted by early May**

I'm happy with my final mark and I'll keep my normal percentage grade.

I passed but I didn't do as well as I could have under normal circumstances.

If you are uncertain on which option to take, it is important to check with an Academic Advisor. Your grade decision cannot be changed.

No further action is needed.

I failed because of issues related to COVID-19.

**May 31: Deadline for choosing CRC or NCC options.**

* Graduate students may also choose to consult with their instructor, supervisor, or academic advisor about the merits and limitations of applying for a deferral of coursework until the end of the Spring/Summer term.

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