

UNE Grading System

UNE uses the following grading system:

Grade	Meaning	Grade Point	Percentage (%)
HD	High Distinction. Addresses the assessment criteria to an excellent standard. Outstanding achievement of the learning outcomes. Superior level of knowledge and skills displayed	7	85+
D	Distinction Addresses the assessment criteria to a very high standard. Very good achievement of the learning outcomes. Very high level of knowledge and skills displayed	6	75—84
C	Credit Addresses the assessment criteria to a high standard. Good achievement of the learning outcomes. High level of knowledge and skills displayed.	5	65—74
P	Pass Addresses the assessment criteria to a satisfactory standard. Satisfactory achievement of the learning outcomes. Adequate level of knowledge and skills displayed.	4	50—64
N	Fail Fails to adequately address the assessment criteria. Does not achieve the learning outcomes. Does not display an adequate level of knowledge and skills	0	0—49
H	First Class Honours – equivalent to High Distinction	7	85+
H2A	Second Class Honours Division 1 - equivalent to Distinction	6	75—84
H2B	Second Class Honours Division 2 - equivalent to Credit	5	65—74
H3	Third Class Honours - equivalent to Pass	4	50—64
NC	Compulsory fail An assessment task has not been passed, which must be passed in order to pass the unit, but where the overall mark is 50% or higher.	0	50+
NI	Fail One or more mandatory assessment tasks or requirements for the completion of the unit were not submitted or fulfilled.	0	No mark recorded
SR	Satisfied Requirements	No numerical score	No mark recorded

US	Unsatisfactory	0	No mark recorded
W	Withdrew after the census date but by the last date prescribed in the Principal Dates before deemed to have failed	N/A	No mark recorded
WN	Withdrew after the date prescribed in the Principal Dates and deemed to have failed	0	No mark recorded
WUN	Withdrawn by the University and deemed to have failed	0	No mark recorded
AOS	Approved overseas study		
RU	Result temporarily unavailable		
RY	Result next teaching period or next year — generally thesis or dissertation units		
SET	Special extension of time granted		
SPE	Special examination granted — arranged by Examinations Office		
SPS	Special examination granted — arranged by School		

Grade Point Average

UNE uses the Grade Point Average (GPA) to summarise a student's academic performance in a course.

a. A Period Grade Point Average is:

- i. a numerical score that summarises a student's academic performance in a course over a specified period of time, usually defined as one or more teaching periods, and is used to chart the student's progression;
- ii. static once calculated for the defined period of time (unless a grade is changed); and
- iii. the sum of the points derived from the grade point scale achieved in each unit, multiplied by the credit point value of the corresponding unit and divided by the total credit points attempted during the defined period of time. Units with a result of Satisfied Requirements (SR) are not included.

b. A Course Grade Point Average is:

- i. a numerical score that summarises a student's academic performance in a course over the duration of their enrolment in that course and is used to chart the student's progression;
- ii. refreshed after each teaching period based on the student's results in that teaching period; and
- iii. the sum of the points derived from the grade point scale achieved in each unit, multiplied by the credit point value of the corresponding unit and divided by the total credit points attempted in a course. Units with a result of Satisfied Requirements (SR) are not included.