
Fwd: Instructor and Student FAQs for the Spring Semester 2020 Grading Policy

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Office of the Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost

Dear Students, Faculty, Instructors, and GSIs,

Following the announcement on Friday, March 20 for a revised [grading policy](#) for the Spring Semester, the campus has been busy coordinating with colleges and schools to adjust requirements to allow students to take advantage of the policy.

The campus has also received queries from students, instructors, and the public about the policy and instructional resilience. Over the past two weeks, faculty and staff have compiled the questions and composed answers to them. The result of this effort can be found in the following resources:

- [Q&A for Students about Grading](#)
- [Q&A for Instructors about Grading](#)
- [Best Practises for Remote Examinations](#)
- [Guidance on Copyright of Instructional Materials](#)
- [Best Practices for Using Zoom](#)
- [Settings for Preventing Zoom-Bombing](#)

The Q&A resources will be updated to include additional questions and answers through the remainder of the semester.

Students and instructors have also had questions about final exams and proctoring. The Administration and the Academic Senate are working on guidance for exams and solutions to proctoring, as well as virtual classroom climate issues. Updates on these topics and other issues related to remote instruction will be posted on the campus [Instructional Resilience website](#).

We are most grateful to the extraordinary efforts we have witnessed over the past month from staff, students, and instructors to help maintain and preserve the instructional missions of our campus. We thank you for your dedication and hard work and hope you are safe and well.

Sincerely,

A. Paul Alivisatos
Executive Vice Chancellor & Provost

Oliver O'Reilly
Chair, Berkeley Division of the Academic Senate

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