

## **Graduate Nontraditional Grading**

The student shall declare at registration any course(s) to be graded CR/NC. Faculty members are not informed of the student's selection of non-standard grading. Grades are reported as A through F and automatically transformed when posted to the student's transcript.

STUDENT IDENTIFICATION							
Please send this completed form from your CalStateLA.edu email address to <u>records@calstatela.edu</u> for processing.							
CIN:		Name:					
Term:		Year:					

I SELECT THE CR/NC GRADING OPTION FOR THIS COURSE							
COURSE SUBJECT	COURSE NUMBER	SECTION	CLASS NUMBER				

Carefully review the requirements for the CR/NC option. This option shall not be changed after the add/drop deadline.

- Graduate and postbaccalaureate students may elect CR/NC grading in courses only if those courses do not appear on the student's degree program, are not used to satisfy academic notice requirements, and are not a required prerequisite for entering a graduate program. This selection must have the approval of the adviser, department/division/school, and college graduate dean.
- Credential students must maintain a credential course GPA of 3.0 or greater in order to enter clinical practice and be recommended for a credential. Receiving an NC grade has potentially negative implications for overall progress.
- B-, C+, C, C-, D+, D, D-, and F instructor assigned grades are converted to NC, which earns no credit.
- Some graduate/professional programs will not accept CR grades for prerequisite courses.
- Teaching credential students must maintain a credential course GPA of 3.0 or greater in order to enter clinical practice and be recommended for a credential. Receiving an NC grade has potentially negative implications for overall progress.
- NC grades received by students using Veterans Affairs (VA) and Department of Defense (DoD) benefits may result in a financial penalty requiring repayment of funds received.
- International students must complete a sufficient number of units with a letter grade to maintain immigration status.

APPROVALS						
Selection(s) must have the approval of the adviser, department/division/school, and college graduate dean.						
Adviser:	Attach email approval from your adviser.					
Department/Division/School:	Attach email approval from your department/division/school.					
College Graduate Dean:	Attach email approval from your college graduate dean.					

STUDENT SIGNATURE					
Please change the grading option on the above indicated course(s) as I have indicated. I understand that this request may not be revoked.					
Student Signature:	Send from your Cal State LA email account to sign.				