Pass / No Pass Q&A:

Q. Can a student select all of their courses as Pass / No Pass?

A. Yes, students may elect to select Pass / No Pass for ALL of their Spring 2020 courses. Students also have the option of selecting any number of courses as Pass / No Pass.

Q. How does this work for students that select courses as Pass / No Pass?

A. For courses that are selected as Pass / No Pass, faculty will enter grades as they usually do using the current grading scheme (A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, C-, D+, D, D- and F). If the student receives a passing grade (D- or above), the student will receive a P. If the faculty member grades the student with an F, the student will receive an NP. Faculty will not know which students have selected the Pass / No Pass option.

Q. How does this impact a course that is a prerequisite for other courses?

A. Students who receive a P in a prerequisite course will be allowed to move forward to the next course, regardless of grade requirements listed in the catalog. We recognize that there may be situations where students who earned a Passing grade for a prerequisite course could still use additional support before moving forward to the next course. The University has decided to allow these students the opportunity to audit the RWU prerequisite course during summer 2020, provided it is being offered, for FREE. This will afford students who would like to strengthen their grasp of the course content before moving on to the next course. Students interested in auditing the course during the RWU summer 2020 session, should register contact the Registrar’s Office at registrar@rwu.edu.

Q. How will this impact a student’s GPA?

A. The Pass and the No Pass grades do not impact a student’s GPA. If a student passes a 3 credit course, the P is recorded on the student’s record and the student earns 3 credits. If the student does not pass the course and receives an NP, the GPA is not impacted and the student does not earn 3 credits. For the purpose of Dean’s List, a student must receive at least one letter grade to earn a numeric GPA. Students who elect P/NP for all classes will not earn a semester GPA and are therefore ineligible for Dean’s List for the Spring 2020 semester. Graduation Honors are based on the student’s cumulative grade point average at the end of their final semester.

Q. How does this impact a course a student is repeating?

A. If a student is repeating a course and chooses the Pass / No Pass option:
If the student passes the course, the previous grade will remain on the student’s record, but the grade earned will not become part of the GPA calculation. So if a student earned an F in WTNG.100 in a previous semester and is repeating WTNG. 100 in Spring 2020 and elects for the Pass / No Pass option for this course, and they pass the course, the student will earn a P and the F from the previous semester will no longer be calculated into the student’s GPA.

If a student doesn’t pass the course they are repeating, the grade from the previous course will continue to be calculated into the student’s GPA.

Q. How long do students have to make this decision?

A. The deadline to choose the Pass / No Pass option for any Spring 2020 course is June, 1, 2020.

Q. If a student did not select the Pass / No Pass option for a course and does not like the grade they receive at the end of the semester, can they still change to the Pass / No Pass option?

A. Yes, students will be able to choose the option of Pass / No Pass even after their grades are posted, through June 1, 2020. If a student changes to Pass / No Pass after grades are posted, the grade will be replaced with a P (if they grade was a passing grade) or an NP (if the student failed the course).

Q. How will this impact students’ athletic eligibility, financial aid, academic standings, etc?

A. Because of the unprecedented nature of this health crisis and the continuous changes at the Federal, State, local and University levels, we will continue to monitor implications and potential impact on students. The University, in compliance with Federal, State, Local and other regulations will do everything we can to ensure students are not negatively impacted. The University will continue to update students as more information becomes available. If students have concerns about potential impacts, they are encouraged to contact the Center for Student Academic Success’ Advising & Peer Mentorship Office at csas@rwu.edu. Students with questions about their financial aid should speak to a financial aid counselor by contacting the Financial Aid Office at finaid@rwu.edu. Student athletes who are currently ineligible or student athletes currently ineligible, on academic probation, or at risk of becoming ineligible should speak with Athletic Director Kiki Jacobs or Compliance Officer Kelly Thompson for more information.

**Selecting Courses as Pass / No Pass**

1. Log into RogerCentral

2. On the left menu, select the Academics option (graduation cap icon)
3. Click on the last option - REQUEST to CHANGE to PASS / NO PASS

4. Click on Students

5. Click on REQUEST to CHANGE to PASS/NO PASS

6. Check the course(s) you would like to change to Pass / No Pass. Please note that labs and other non-graded courses will show at the bottom of this screen. Once you select courses as Pass / No Pass, those courses will then show at the bottom of the screen as well.
7. Click I ACCEPT

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