

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

UNDERGRADUATE Permit to Register for a Course on a “Satisfactory - Unsatisfactory Grade” Basis

Policy Statement:

Revised 1/14/2025

The purpose of registering for courses on a “Satisfactory-Unsatisfactory Grade” basis is to encourage liberal education and to discourage thinking of the end-product of courses as being a grade.

1. The courses elected on this basis will count toward the minimum semester credit hours required for graduation and upper division distribution but will not be included in grade point average.
2. Registration on an S-U basis is limited to one course per semester and to a maximum total of 18 semester hours.
3. Except for students in their first term at FSU, at least a 2.5 grade point average is required.
4. The courses may not be in the student’s liberal studies requirement, major, or minor field.
5. The course grade will be recorded officially as satisfactory (S) or unsatisfactory (U).
6. College of Business courses may not be taken on a “Satisfactory-Unsatisfactory Grade” basis.

Instructions:

1. Print form
2. Obtain approval from Academic Dean.
3. Forms must be submitted to the Registrar prior to the 7th week deadline.

Student Information:

_____ Last Name	_____ First Name	_____ Middle Initial	_____ FSUID or EMPLID
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This student is eligible to register on a “Satisfactory - Unsatisfactory Grade” basis for the term, year and course listed below.

Course Information

_____ Year	_____ Term
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_____ Class Number	_____ Course Prefix	_____ Course Number	_____ Course Section	_____ Credit Hours
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Approved: _____ Date: _____
Academic Dean Signature

Office of the University Registrar

Processed by: _____ Date: _____