

MILLIGAN

Pass/Fail Grade Authorization – Spring 2020

Student Name: _____

Major(s): _____

Advisor(s): _____

The College would not recommend changing to P/F grading in most cases. Students who think that they have an exceptional circumstance that warrants consideration of P/F grading should read the carefully the provisions below.

- A grade of “P” is neutral and has no positive or negative effect on the GPA.
- A grade of “F” on the Pass/Fail grading scale will have the same negative impact on the GPA as a grade of “F” on Milligan’s usual letter grading scale.
- The decision to change a grade to Pass/Fail is irreversible after the **Friday, May 22** deadline for submitting forms. After that date, Pass/Fail grades will not be changed back to letter grades.
- Some graduate programs may not accept prerequisite course work with a grade of “P.”
- Some colleges and universities may not grant transfer credit for course work with a grade of “P.”
- Scholarship eligibility will be based on the semester grades for which a regular letter grade has been issued. Federal financial aid eligibility will be determined by reviewing the total number of attempted and earned hours for the semester along with the cumulative GPA for which a regular letter grade has been issued.

For complete details about pass/fail grading, consult the “Milligan Undergraduate Pass-Fail Grading Policy - Spring 2020” document.

I have read the complete pass/fail policy and have discussed this decision with my academic advisor(s). I understand the potential consequences of choosing Pass/Fail grading and elect Pass/Fail grading for the following spring 2020 course or courses (maximum of two):

Course#/Title for first course (ex. ACCT 211, Introductory Accounting): _____

Course#/Title for second course, if applicable: _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Advisor Signature: _____

Date: _____

Advisors: Please save the form after signing and email it to registrar@milligan.edu, copying the student.

Based on licensure, accreditation, and/or progression restrictions in programs such as nursing, teacher education, engineering, and social work, students may not be allowed to choose the Pass/Fail option for certain courses.

Pass/Fail grading is not available for COMP 111 and MATH 090. Students must earn a “C-” to pass these courses.

Students who are enrolled in the following math and science courses should not choose Pass/Fail grading if they plan to enroll in upper-division math or science courses: BIOL 112, BIOL 251, CHEM 171, CHEM 271, MATH 212, MATH 307, and MATH 309. Some upper-division courses require a “C-” or higher in one or more of the courses listed above.