

Education system – Saudi Arabia

In general, there is no common grading system in Saudi Arabia. Institutions choose their own grading system.

However, common grading systems include percentage (0-100), 4 point GPA, 5 point GPA, description and letter grades.

To ensure you use Postgraduate Coursework Entry Score Calculator correctly, UNSW recommends you follow these guidelines:

1. Transcripts that show percentage grades

Here are the steps for calculating the entry mark:

1. Go to the [Numerical grades](#) calculator
2. Enter the maximum mark possible (usually 100)
3. Enter the minimum passing mark (usually 60)
4. Calculate the average mark by adding all of the marks on the transcript and dividing by the number of units.
5. Enter the average mark.
6. Click the button to calculate the entry mark.

Maximum Mark:

Pass Mark:

Average Mark:

Entry Mark = _____

If the result is less than or equal to 5% below the cut-off for the program, [submit an application](#).

2. Transcripts that show a 4 point GPA system

Here are the steps for calculating the entry mark:

1. Go to the [Numerical grades](#) calculator
2. Enter the maximum mark possible (usually 4)
3. Enter the minimum passing mark (usually 1)
4. Calculate the average mark by adding all of the GPA on the transcript and dividing by the number of units
5. Enter the average mark.
6. Click the button to calculate the entry mark.

Maximum Mark:

Pass Mark:

Average Mark:

Entry Mark = _____

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3. Transcripts that show a 5 point GPA system

Here are the steps for calculating the entry mark:

1. Go to the [Numerical grades](#) calculator
2. Enter the maximum mark possible (usually 5)
3. Enter the minimum passing mark (usually 1.5)
4. Calculate the average mark by adding all of the GPA on the transcript and dividing by the number of units
5. Enter the average mark.
6. Click the button to calculate the entry mark.

Maximum Mark:
Pass Mark:
Average Mark:

Entry Mark = _____

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4. Transcripts that show description grades

Here are the steps for calculating the entry mark:

1. Go to the [Non-numerical grade](#) calculator
2. Enter each possible grade name (see below)
3. Enter the range of marks for each description (usually shown on the back of the transcript)
4. Enter the count of each grade description on the transcript
5. Enter the grade name that represents the minimum passing grade (Pass)
6. Click the button to calculate the entry mark

Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Exceptional"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="95"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="100"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Excellent"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="90"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="94"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Superior"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="85"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="89"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Very Good"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="80"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="84"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Above Average"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="75"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="79"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Good"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="70"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="74"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="High Pass"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="65"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="79"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Pass"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="60"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="64"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="Fail"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="59"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>

Which is Grade Name represents the minimum passing grade?

Entry Mark = _____

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5. Transcripts that show letter grades

Here are the steps for calculating the entry mark:

1. Go to the [Non-numerical grade](#) calculator
2. Enter each possible grade name (see below)
3. Enter the range of marks for each description
4. Enter the count of each grade type on the transcript
5. Enter the grade name that represents the minimum passing grade (usually D)
6. Click the button to calculate the entry mark

Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="A+"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="95"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="100"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="A"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="90"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="94"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="B+"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="85"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="89"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="B"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="80"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="84"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="C+"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="75"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="79"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="C"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="70"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="74"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="D+"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="65"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="79"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="D"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="60"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="64"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>
Grade Name:	<input type="text" value="F"/>	Mark Range From:	<input type="text" value="0"/>	Mark Range To:	<input type="text" value="59"/>	Count of Grades:	<input type="text"/>

Which is Grade Name represents the minimum passing grade?

Entry Mark = _____

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