



**EXPLANATION OF GRADING SYSTEM
ACADEMIC YEARS 1977-78 TO PRESENT**

A	4.00
A-	3.66
B+	3.33
B	3.00
B-	2.66
C+	2.33
C	2.00
C-	1.66
D+	1.33
D	1.00
F	0.00

P	Pass assigned in Pass/Fail Courses (no affect on average)
PH	Pass with Honors in Pass/Fail Courses (no affect on average)
FWd	Unexcused failure to complete other course requirements, including attendance, papers, etc.
*	Temporarily excused from completion of a requirement (no affect on average). Course is reflected again with grade in the semester work completed.
W	Excused or voluntary withdrawal from a course (no affect on average)
AU	Audit (no affect on average). Vermont Law School makes no representation as to the individual's qualification, attendance, or comprehension of the material.

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