

Grading Scale

Université Catholique de Lille is a multidisciplinary university offering a wide range of disciplines and study areas.

To consider the specificity of these study areas, our departments have set up a grading scale that meets their academic requirements and specificity.

You will find below models of our Grading Scales. Please consult our Academic Advisors in the various departments of *Université Catholique de Lille* for accurate information concerning their study areas.

Grading Scale for:



Faculty of Arts & Humanities (FLSH)



Faculty of Theology



ISTC School of Communication



ESSLIL - Institute of Social Work

Grade	Mention	Proportion
18-20	Exceptional	Up to 2% of the students
16-17	Excellent	Up to 5% of the students
14-15	Very good	Up to 10% of the students
12-13	Good	25 to 40% of the students
10-11	Average	40 to 55% of the students
8-9	Just Sufficient	10 to 20% of the students

Grading Scale for:



Faculty Management, Economics & Sciences

Grade / 20	Letter Grade	Mention	Description
16.00 - 20.00	A	Excellent	Outstanding performance with only minor errors
13.00 - 15.99	B	Very good	Above average standard but with some errors
11.00 - 12.99	C	Good	Generally sound works with number of notable errors
10.00 - 10.99	D	Satisfactory	Fair but with number significant shortcomings
9.00 - 9.99	E	Sufficient	Performance meets minimum criteria
6.00 - 8.99	FX	Fail	Some more work is required before the credit can be awarded
0.00 - 5.99	F	Fail	Considerable further work is required

Grading Scale for:

Faculty of Law (FD)



ESPOL



European School of Political and Social Sciences (ESPOL)

Mark (out of 20 points)	French appreciation	Definition
Under 10 out of 20	Ajourné	Fail
10/20	Passable	Average mark/Passed
General average of 12/20	Assez bien	cum laude/Satisfactory
General average of 14/20	Bien	magna cum laude/Good
General average of 16/20	Très bien	summa cum laude/Very good

Grading Scale for:

Faculty of Medicine & Midwifery (FMMS)

Grade	% of successful students	Definition
A	10	EXCELLENT – outstanding performance with only minor errors
B	25	VERY GOOD – above the average standard but with some errors
C	30	GOOD – generally sound work with a number of notable errors
D	25	SATISFACTORY – fair but with significant shortcomings
E	10	SUFFICIENT – performance meets the minimum criteria
FX	-	FAIL – some more work required before the credit can be awarded
F	-	FAIL – considerable further work is required

Grading Scale for:

ESTICE International Business School

Grade /20	Mention
18-20	Exceptional
16-17	Excellent
14-15	Very good
12-13	Good
10-11	Average
Below 10	Fail

Grading Scale for:

IESEG School of Management

ECTS	US Grading scale	France scale	Definition	Quality of engagement
A	A+	16-20/20	EXCELLENT Remarkable work, with only minor inadequacies. First-class.	Being on time, preparing assignments on time, mastering subjects, completing all the readings required, participating actively to class discussion, bringing personal experience to the classroom, helping always others, providing inputs and feedback to the course, listening, being open to learn not only from instructors but also from fellow students, showing excellent analytical skills
	A	14-15,99/20	VERY GOOD Result well above average, despite some inadequacies. Good second-class.	Being on time, preparing assignments on time, showing great interest in subjects and in interacting with others, showing an active level of participation, demonstrating remarkable analytical skills, helping others with regularity
	A-	13-13,99/20	GOOD Good work on the whole, despite several inadequacies. Secondclass	Being on time, preparing assignments on time, helping others when solicited, showing an upright interest in the subjects and in interacting with others, demonstrating significant analytical skills, substantial
B	B+	12,5-12,99/20		
	B	12-12,49/20		
C	B-	11,50-11,99/20	SATISFACTORY Reasonable work, but with major inadequacies. Third-class	Being on time, participating but mainly when solicited, demonstrating adequate preparation, providing fair interest in the subject, showing fair analytical skills and interest in interacting with others, fair listening
	C+	11-11,49/20	PASS Meets minimum criteria. Bare pass.	Being on time, preparing assignments on time, participating rarely to class discussion, providing nominal interest in subjects and in interaction with others, demonstrating nominal preparation, showing minimal analytical skills, limited listening, overall passive behaviors
	C	10,50-10,99/20		
C	C-	10-10,49/20		
	F	0-9,99/20	INSUFFICIENT TO STRONGLY INSUFFICIENT Fail: Retake necessary	Being late, not attending the course with regularity, not preparing the assignments, lack of interest, being irresponsible about team assignments, disturbing occasionally, showing poor analytical skills, no listening Being not always on time, showing a partial level of interests in subjects, limited interactions with others, almost inadequate commitment with completing assignments, demonstrating limits in assimilating the subjects

Grading Scale for:

- ISA School of Agriculture and Bio-Engineering

⇒ *The general average is calculated based on the totality of all marks obtained (including those units not validated).*

ECTS Grading Scale	Grades
The top 10% validating this course module	A
The next 25% validating this course module	B
The next 30% validating this course module	C
The next 25% validating this course module	D
The remaining 10% validating this course module	E
Incomplete: some more work required in order to pass	FX
Fail: Considerable further work is required	F
The size of the group doesn't allow for a grade to be calculated. (The number should be at least equal or over 30) The quality of the work provided is therefore indicated by a mark out of 20 (0 – lowest score, 20 – best score).	NS

ECTS: - European Credits Transfer System

Grade /20	Mention
>18	Excellent
15-18	Very good
12-15	Good
10-12	Reasonable
8-10	Meets minimum requirements

- HEI Engineering School

Letter grade	Grade / 20	Mention
A	Grade ≥ 14	Excellent
B	$13 \leq \text{grade} < 14$	Very good
C	$12 \leq \text{grade} < 13$	Good
D	$11 \leq \text{grade} < 12$	Satisfactory
E	$10 \leq \text{grade} < 11$	Just sufficient
FX	$8 \leq \text{grade} < 10$	Fail
F	Grade < 8	Fail

- ISEN Engineering School

Grade /20	Mention
18-20	Exceptional
16-17	Excellent
14-15	Very good
12-13	Good
10-11	Average
Below 10	Fail