

Office of the Vice Provost for Teaching and Learning

Dear Students,

Thank you for your patience while labor negotiations continue. We are writing to provide information about what you can expect regarding fall quarter grades.

Provost Stern and Vice Provost Dennin sent a [message to all instructors](#) to provide guidance on submitting grades for this quarter. Please note that while the standard grade submission deadline remains December 16th at 5pm, many instructors will need additional time to finish grading. Therefore, the late grade submission deadline has been extended to January 19th at 5pm.

The campus will continue its normal process of issuing NR (No Record) notations for students whose work is ungraded at the time of the standard grade deadline. NR notations will automatically post to student transcripts the night of December 16th for any classes for which grades have not yet been submitted. This will be temporary; NR notations will be replaced with a grade when grades are submitted by instructors.

You should not see any grade of Incomplete (I) unless you have made prior arrangements with your instructor. If you receive an Incomplete in a course for which you do not expect it, please reach out to your instructor.

The University is putting protections in place to ensure that students with NR notations for Fall Quarter 2022 due to the strike will be permitted to continue in Winter Quarter 2023 courses. We are also taking steps to protect student financial aid. Submitting grades in a timely manner remains a critical instructor responsibility, and we will continue to encourage faculty to submit all grades by January 19th.

Additional information for students about the strike can be found on the [UCI Continuity Site](#). If you have additional questions, please contact your academic advisor.

Final exams can be a stressful time, and we recognize that the ongoing labor negotiations can add to the anxiety that students are experiencing. You may have strong feelings right now, and so may your peers and the instructional staff. As a reminder, bullying and intimidation are never acceptable. Academic progress is a separate matter from employment. If there are any questions on the final assessment for your class, please first confirm with the instructor for the class. To help you prepare for final exams, you may find this [checklist](#) that is available on the [LARC](#) website useful. If you need additional support, please reach out to the [UCI Counseling Center](#).

Sincerely,

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