

# **MSW Pass/Fail Fall 2020**

## **Answering Your Questions**

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# Why Pass/Fail?



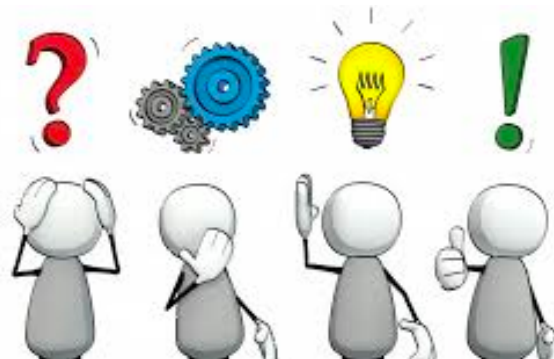
# Pass/Fail Option

Clarifications for MSW Students

Available for **all** MSW coursework

- Optional and Your Decision.
- If you do not choose P/F, no action needed.

**HOWEVER**, you may only elect this for **2 courses**.



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## Pros

- P has no effect on GPA
- A Pass grade is an A, B, or C



## Cons

- A grade of D is counted as a Fail
- Fail does affect GPA
- If you are on academic probation, a P will not help you in increasing your GPA

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## FAQ

- Would a “pass” affect my ability to receive my MSW license? **No**
- Do I need permission from my instructor? **No**
- Does it apply to online students? **Yes**
- Is the option available spring 2021? **No**
- If I choose pass/fail and pass a course, will I have to retake courses that are prerequisites? **No**
- Would it affect future graduate school applications? **Probably Not**
- Will my financial aid be affected? **Maybe**

# How Do I Elect Pass/Fail?

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1. **After grades post on December 21**, if a pass/fail grading would be to your benefit, you may elect that option then.
2. **What would be the next steps?**



# Next Steps



**Optional: Read [Fall 2020 Pass/Fail Student FAQs](#)**



**Optional: Attend a Listening session**

December 9, 1-2:00 p.m.: [Fall 2020 Pass/Fail Student Listening and Information Session I](#)

December 17, 3-4:00 p.m.: [Fall 2020 Pass/Fail Student Listening and Information Session II](#)



**Complete [this form](#) between 1pm on Dec. 21 and 1pm on Dec. 22**



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