Submitting Final Grades for Your Classes in Voyager

Before You Begin, You Should Know. . .

The system will work best if your grades have been computed and you are ready to enter the final values for the students in your class.

Proof your entries carefully before saving as saved grades will be collected and 'rolled' (Banner language for posted) to academic history at regular intervals. You will not be able to change a grade value once it is rolled. The grade roll will occur every 30 minutes – at the top and bottom of the hour.

The system will work with a variety of web browsers, but Firefox, Chrome, and Safari are preferred.

Only the primary instructor of team-taught classes will be able to enter grades. The primary instructor is the first person listed on the class list in Voyager.

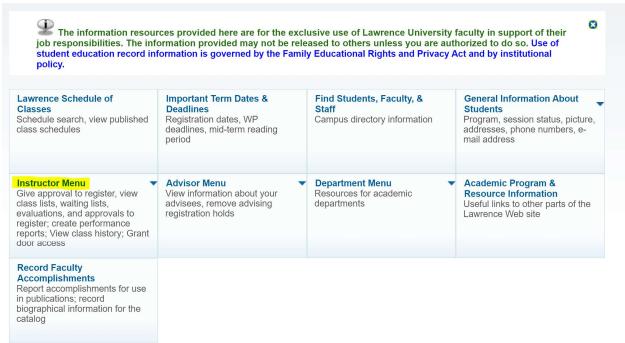
Under certain circumstances, automated e-mails will be sent to your Lawrence e-mail address. Please check your e-mail often

Finding the Grade Entry From

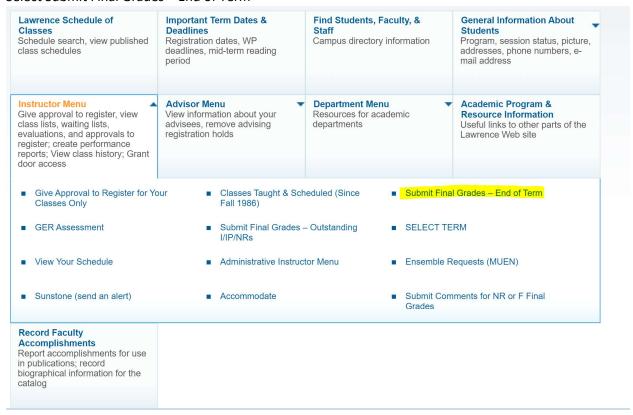
Log into Voyager.

Go to Faculty Academic Services.

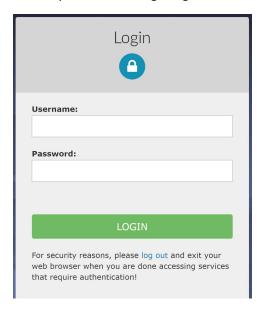
Select Instructor Menu:



Select Submit Final Grades - End of Term



You may be asked to log in again



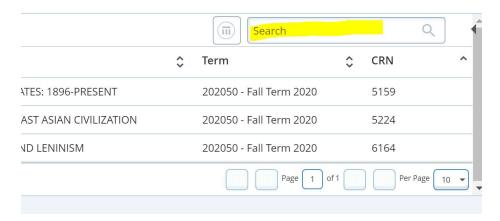
In the Final Grades Tab you will see a list of your courses that are available for grading.

- Not Started: indicates that no grades for this section of the course have been submitted.
- In Progress: indicates that some, but not all grades for this section of the course have been submitted.
- Completed: indicates that all grades for this section of the course have been submitted.



Selecting a Course:

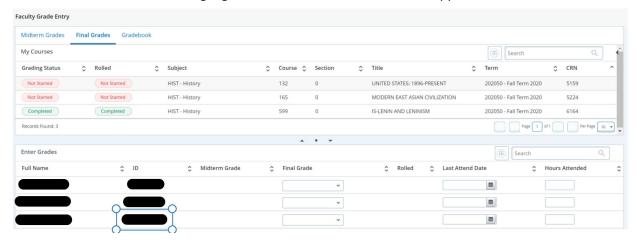
You can utilize the search box to find your courses by subject, course, section, title, etc.



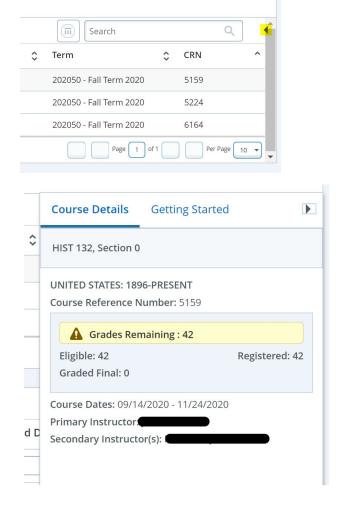
Columns are sortable, you can click the Grading Status column twice to adjust the sort.



Select a course. Course will be highlighted in blue. Student's names will appear below the course list.



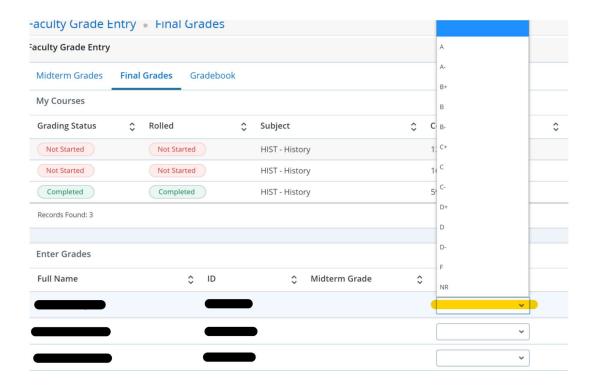
To review the Course Details for the selected course, click the arrow (highlighted in yellow) to the right of the Search box. Course Details will list the course title and section information, how many grades are outstanding, how many have been submitted along with the course dates, primary and any secondary instructors.



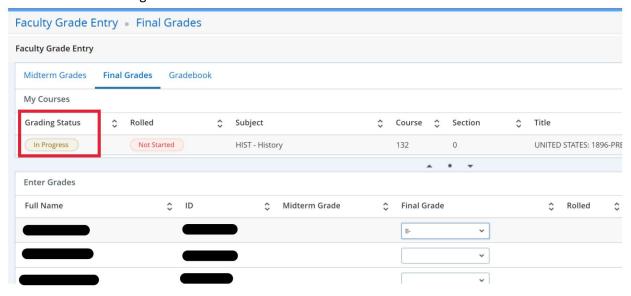
Entering Final Grades

IMPORTANT NOTE: Save frequently to ensure grades are recorded.

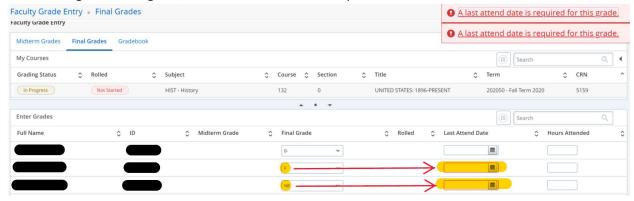
Select Grade from the drop down menu under the Final Grade column. This will be a list of valid grades for this course.



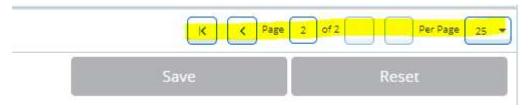
Once you start grading and saving as you go, the 'Grading Status' under 'My Courses' will change from 'Not Started' to 'In Progress'



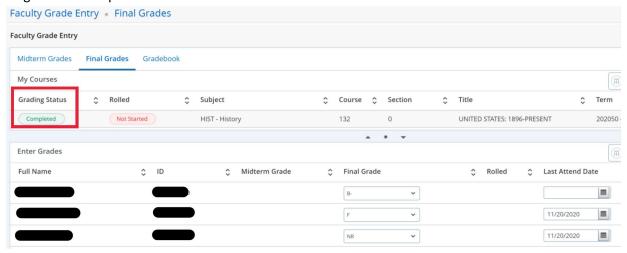
If a F or NR grade is assigned, the 'Last Attend Date' is required.



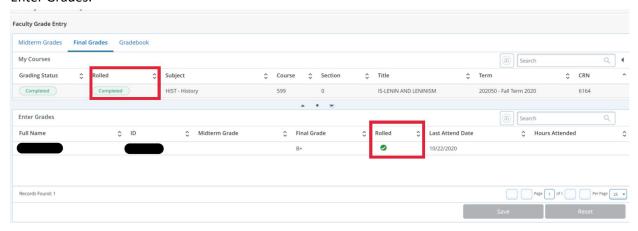
If there is a second page of students, be certain to enter grades for students on page 2 also. If you do not grade all students, the Grading Status will remain "In Progress" until all are graded and saved successfully.



Once all students have been graded, click the SAVE button and the 'Grading Status' will change from 'In Progress' to 'Completed'

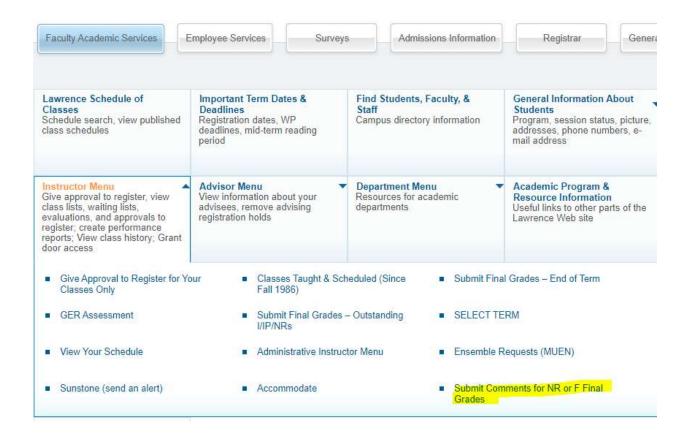


Once grades roll to history (system rolls every 30 minutes), your 'Rolled' field will show 'Completed' under 'My Courses' and a green checkmark will appear on every student in the 'Rolled' column under 'Enter Grades.'



Entering Comments Updated Fall 2020

You will notice the Comments box that existed in the grading screen is no longer available. This was a custom build that is no longer enabled with our recent upgrade. A new comment process exists using Voyager. If you enter NR or F grades you will be able to enter comments using the Voyager Instructor Menu- Submit Comments for NR or F final Grades as indicated below. These comments are for the Faculty Subcommittee on Administration as they review academic standing. If you have assigned a grade of NR or F, you will receive an auto-generated email the next morning reminding you to submit comments.

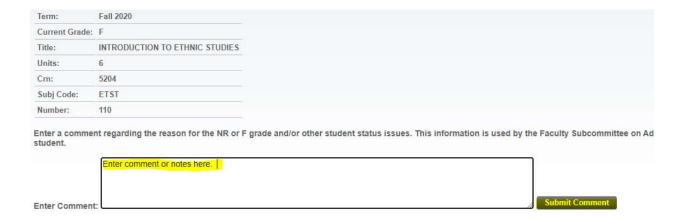


Click on the student name to enter comment.

Submit Comments for NR or F Final Grades



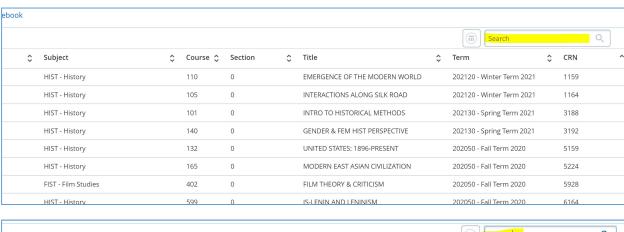
Enter the comment and "Submit Comment." <u>Comments for NR grades are required</u>. Comments for F grades are not required, but can provide helpful information if there were extenuating circumstances. If the student did not complete the course, please include that information. If you do not have any relevant comments for the F grades you can submit "No Comment" for the specified student to show the task as fulfilled. If you do not submit any comment, additional emails may be generated.



FAQ's

Why aren't only my current sections displaying in Final Grade Entry?

The Faculty Grade Entry will list all section taught by faculty members, not just the current sections. However, the faculty members can search for the specific sections they want to grade by entering either the CRN, Course Title, Course Number or Term Code. For example, if a faculty member only wants to view sections taught in the winter 2021 term, they would search by the Term Code "202120." This will filter out any other sections and only list the winter 2021 sections.





Why can't I see all of my students in Final Grade Entry?

If your list of students in Final Grade Entry is more than one page long, use the navigation buttons on the bottom of the screen to move to the other screens and display the remainder of students. You must click "Save" to save the grades you just entered before paging to the next set of students in Faculty Grade Entry. Otherwise, the grades you entered on the previous page will be lost. It is recommended that you increase the number of students listed from the default to as large as you can for your class size so that you may see all students in the class.



Am I required to fill in the "Last Attend Day" field when entering grades?

The "Last Attend Day" field should be filled in only for students assigned a grade of "F" or "NR." The date given should be the last date on which the student either attended class or demonstrated participation in the class in some way (e.g., turning in an assignment, taking a test or quiz). The date should be entered in a MM/DD/YYYY format

What do I enter in the "Attend Hours" field?

No entry is necessary in the "Attend Hours" field.

I can't see the "Save" button?

Try using the windows maximize/minimize button in your web browser.

How do I know when all of my grades have been submitted?

Faculty Grade Entry provides visual and textual cues to let you know your progress in grading a course. The grading progress indicator to the left of your classes will display in green "Completed" when a course is fully graded. A yellow indicator means partially graded. A gray indicator shows no grades have been submitted. Also, the Course Details tab on the right side of screen (click carrot to display) will display the number of students eligible for grades, number total grades entered and number of grades remaining.