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Plus / Minus Grading System

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Resolution 29 1989-90

TO: President John E. Van de Wetering
FROM: The Faculty Senate Meeting on 5-7-90
(Date)

RE: X I. Formal Resolution (Act of Determination)
II. Recommendation (Urging the fitness of)
III. Other (Notice, Request, Report, etc.)

undergrad
SUBJECT: Plus/Minus Grading System



Signed *Diane S. Ellicott* Date Sent 5-16-90
(For the Senate)

TO: The Faculty Senate
FROM: President John E. Van de Wetering

RE: I. Decision and Action Taken on Formal Resolution
a. Accepted. Effective Date Fall 1990 with failing grade
remaining as an "E" as proposed by Undergraduate Student Policies Comm.
(see enclosed memo) b. Deferred for discussion with the Faculty Senate
on _____
c. Unacceptable for the reasons contained in the
attached explanation

II, III.
a. Received and acknowledged
b. Comment:

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Distribution Date _____ Signed: *[Signature]*
(President of the College)

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT POLICIES COMMITTEE
PLUS/MINUS GRADING SYSTEM RESOLUTION**

Whereas a plus/minus grading system has the potential of providing a more accurate assessment of student performance,

Whereas over 70% of the faculty who returned the Undergraduate Student Policies Committee questionnaire were strongly in favor of such a system,

Whereas the sense of the Senate at our April 30, 1990 meeting was in favor of a Plus/Minus system, and

Whereas of the students polled verbally, the majority felt that they much preferred a Plus/Minus system,

Therefore, be it resolved that effective with the Fall 1991 semester, the undergraduate grading system will be as follows:

A	4.00	Highest level of work
A-	3.67	
B+	3.33	
B	3.00	
B-	2.67	
C+	2.33	
C	2.00	Average work
C-	1.67	
D+	1.33	
D	1.00	Below average work
D-	.67	
F	0.00	Failing work

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