
Grading system

Charles University in Prague uses the *European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System* (ECTS) which is a workload-based system for measuring and comparing study results. The student is awarded a certain number of ECTS credits for each course which reflects the workload necessary to successfully complete a course. Credits are awarded only when the student has fulfilled the course requirements, for example regular attendance. The credits are allocated by the individual departments in accordance with the standard workload determined by the respective study and examination regulations whereby one credit equals 30 hours of study.

The European Office recommends the following grading equivalency table:

Czech Grade	ECTS Grade
1 - Excellent (excellent performance)	A
2 - Very Good (above the average standard but with some errors)	B
3 - Satisfactory (generally sound work with a number of notable errors)	D
4 - Fail (unsatisfactory performance)	F
Pass (student achievements in some subjects are graded only as "pass", where student has obtained a satisfactory level)	Pass

(5) ECTS grading scale:

ECTS Grade	% of successful students normally achieving the grade	Definition
A	10	EXCELLENT - outstanding performance with only minor errors
B	25	VERY GOOD - above the average standard but with some errors
C	30	SATISFACTORY - 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

(6) ECTS credits: 1 full academic year = 60 credits, 1 semester = 30 credits