
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 stated by the teacher, such as regular attendance, activity during the lessons, completion of ongoing tasks etc. 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.

Most of Charles University faculties use the following grading equivalency table:

Czech Grade	ECTS Grade
1 - Excellent (excellent performance)	A/B
2 - Very Good (above the average standard but with some errors)	C/D
3 - Good (generally sound work with a number of notable errors)	E
4 - Fail (unsatisfactory performance)	FX/F
To successfully pass the examination means to achieve the result excellent, very good or good.	
PASS - student's achievements in some subjects are graded only as 'pass' = student has obtained satisfactory level	PASS

ECTS Grade	% of succesful students normally achieving the grade	Definition
A	10	outstanding performance with only minor errors
B	25	above the average standard but with some errors
C	30	generally sound work wih a number of notable errors
D	25	fair but with significant shortcomings
E	10	performance meets the minimum criteria
FX	-	FAIL - some more work required before the credit can be awarded
F	-	FAIL - considerable further work is required

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

Please, note that the **Faculty of Social Sciences** has adopted their own grading system.

More to that here:

<https://fsv.cuni.cz/en/exchange/life/academic-information/exams-and-grading-system> .