

Importing Grades from Blackboard into Campus Connection

Grades Integration allows instructors to import final grades from their SAIP (PeopleSoft)-created Blackboard course (both Original and Ultra) directly into Campus Connection instead of entering grades manually. This document provides a step-by-step overview of how the process works.

Important Notes

Importing grades is only valid for final grades. Currently, there is no functionality in Campus Solutions to pull in midterm grades.

- Blackboard Original courses use the CC Final Grade column for import.
- Blackboard Ultra courses use the Overall Grade column for import.

The screenshot displays the 'Grade Roster' page for Darrell Neubert. It includes navigation tabs for Faculty Center, Advisor Center, Search, and Learning Management. The course details for MRKT 301 - 1 (14432) are shown, including the instructor's name and dates. The 'Grade Import' section contains a table with columns for Student Grade, ID, Name, Roster Grade, Official Grade, Grading Basis, Program and Plan, and Level. A red box highlights the 'import grades' button.

Student Grade	ID	Name	Roster Grade	Official Grade	Grading Basis	Program and Plan	Level
<input type="checkbox"/>	1		<input type="text"/>		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration/Major Accounting	Senior
<input type="checkbox"/>	2		<input type="text"/>		GRD	Exercise Science - BS-Exercise Science/Minor Coaching	Senior
<input type="checkbox"/>	3		<input type="text"/>		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration	Junior
<input type="checkbox"/>	4		<input type="text"/>		GRD	Accounting - BS-Accounting/Major Business Administration/Minor Leadership Studies	Senior
<input type="checkbox"/>	5		<input type="text"/>		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration	Senior

Once grades have been imported into PeopleSoft, instructors can still make changes before submitting grades.

Getting Started

1. In Campus Connection navigate to:
 - a. **Self-Service**
 - b. **Faculty Center**
 - c. **Grade Roster**
2. Select **Import Grades** button as shown right. This will pull grades displayed in the "CC Final Grade" column from the Blackboard course into Campus Connection.

CS Test 8.55

NORTH DAKOTA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

Favorites | Main Menu > Self Service > Faculty Center > Grade Roster > My Schedule

Darrell Neubert

Faculty Center | Advisor Center | Search | Learning Management

my schedule | class roster | grade roster

Grade Roster

2018 Spring | Regular Academic Session | Dickinson State University | Undergraduate

MRKT 301 - 1 (14432) [change class](#)

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Days and Times	Room	Instructor	Dates
MoWeFr 10:00AM-10:50AM	DSU May Hall, Rm 312	Darrell Neubert	01/08/2018 - 05/11/2018

Display Options: *Grade Roster Type: Final Grade Display Unassigned Roster Grade Only

Grade Roster Action: *Approval Status: Not Reviewed

Grade Import

Last Import: 05/23/2018 8:03AM [Grade Import Error Log](#) [import grades](#)

ID	Name	Roster Grade	Official Grade	Grading Basis	Program and Plan	Level
1		▼		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration/Major Accounting	Senior
		A - ▼		GRD	Exercise Science - BS-Exercise Science/Minor Coaching	Senior
		B - ▼		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration	Junior
		B - ▼		GRD	Accounting - BS-Accounting/Major Business Administration/Minor Leadership Studies	Senior
		C - ▼		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration	Senior
		B - ▼		GRD	Administration - BBA-Administration	Junior
		▼		GRD	Administration - BBA-Administration	Junior
		B - ▼		GRD	Administration - BS-Business Administration/Major Accounting	Junior
		D - ▼		GRD	Administration - BBA-Administration	Senior
		A - ▼		GRD	Accounting - BS-Accounting	Senior

IMPORTANT: If the Grade Import Error Log link displays as shown here, you need to click it to review errors.

If necessary, instructors can override the imported grade by choosing the drop-down arrow and selecting a different

3. After grades are pulled in, it is important to review the results.

Common Errors / Resolutions

ERROR: Student does not exist in LMS – This means students do not exist in Blackboard or no grades have been entered in Blackboard for the student(s).

RESOLUTION: If students are in Blackboard, apply a grade in Blackboard and then import grades into Campus Connection. If student(s) do not exist in Blackboard, manually enter the grades in the Grade Roster in Campus Connection.

The screenshot shows the 'Grade Error Report' for 'CS Test 8.55'. The report details include Term: 1830, Class Nbr: 14432, and Seq Nbr: 1. The last import was on 05/23/2018 at 8:03AM. A table titled 'Grade Import Error Log' shows two entries, both with the error description 'Student does not exist in LMS'. A 'Return' button is located at the bottom left.

IMS ID	Error Description
1	Student does not exist in LMS
2	Student does not exist in LMS

ERROR: Student does not exist on Roster – This means student(s) exists in the Blackboard course but are not enrolled in Campus Connection.

RESOLUTION: You are not able to enter grades for these students until the students are enrolled. Contact the Registrar's Office on how to handle this situation.

The screenshot shows the 'Grade Error Report' for 'CS Test 8.55'. The report details include Term: 1830, Class Nbr: 14402, and Seq Nbr: 1. The last import was on 05/24/2018 at 8:10AM. A table titled 'Grade Import Error Log' shows seven entries, all with the error description 'Student does not exist on Roster'. A 'Return' button is located at the bottom left.

IMS ID	Error Description
1	Student does not exist on Roster
2	Student does not exist on Roster
3	Student does not exist on Roster
4	Student does not exist on Roster
5	Student does not exist on Roster
6	Student does not exist on Roster
7	Student does not exist on Roster

ERROR: The grade submitted is not a valid grade for the student - The grade entered in Blackboard is not a valid grade for this class in Campus Connection. Select the roster grade dropdown in Campus Solutions to see which grades are valid for this class.

RESOLUTION: Best practice is to enter the valid grade in Blackboard and select the import grades in Campus Connection to pull in all valid grades. This will ensure consistency between the grade in Blackboard and the grade in Campus Connection. In Blackboard, check to make sure the correct grade schema has been selected for the course.

Grade Error Report

Term: 1830 Class Nbr: 15350
Last Import: 05/29/2018 1:43PM Seq Nbr: 1

Grade Import Error Log Personalize | Find | View All | [Print] [Grid] First 1-2 of 2 Last

IMS ID	Error Description
1	The grade submitted is not a valid grade for the student

ERROR: Unable to import grades - Most commonly the student has a *W* in Campus Connection, meaning the student dropped the course.

RESOLUTION: No action is needed.

Grade Error Report

Term: 1830 Class Nbr: 15332
Last Import: 05/31/2018 3:17PM Seq Nbr: 1

Grade Import Error Log Personalize | Find | View All | [Print] [Grid] First 1-7 of 8 Last

IMS ID	Error Description
1	Unable to import grades

Course Sections Merged in Blackboard

This is where two or more class sections in Campus Connection have been merged into one course in Blackboard.

1. Grade all students in Blackboard.
2. In Campus Connection, you will import grades for each section.
 - a. When you import grades in the first section, all grades will populate for the students in this section; and students in the other section(s) will show in the 'Grade Import Error Log' with the error 'Student does not exist on Roster'.
3. Continue to do the grade import for all sections. Be sure to review the results to ensure all students are graded in Campus Connection.

FN, UN, FNN, and UNN GRADES

When grading in Blackboard, remember to use FN, UN, FNN, UNN in the following situations:

FN, UN	Use these grades when a student stops attending class, and earned an F or U. You will need to enter the last date of attendance in the Grade Roster in Campus Connection. The grade center in Blackboard shows the last date the student logged into the course.
FNN, UNN	Use these grades when a student never attended your class.

**These grades are used by Financial Aid in determining if disbursed funds are required to be sent back.*

Additional Notes

In Blackboard Original courses, the "CC Final Grade" column is pre-configured to be the default column used for import. If the CC Final Grade column has been deleted, another grade column could be used for importing grades as long as that column meets these conditions:

- Column is set as the External Grade Column
- Primary display of the column uses a Learn Letter Grading Schema that matches the Campus Connections Grading Basis. Learn schema options have been added to match the most common Campus Connections Grading Basis. These Learn schemas start with CC Final Grade + the Campus Connection Grading Basis abbreviation.

Contact your campus Blackboard Administrator for more information.

Need Assistance?

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