

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION 4232

SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

PASS/NO PASS

A pass-no pass grade may be earned by any student in either of the following two categories: (a) courses may be offered wherein all students are evaluated on a "pass-no pass" basis; or, (b) courses wherein each student may elect, no later than the end of the first 30 percent of the term, whether the basis of evaluation is to be "pass-no pass" or a letter grade.

- A. All units earned on a "pass-no pass" basis shall be counted in satisfaction of South Orange County Community College District curriculum requirements.
- B. Units earned on a "pass-no pass" basis shall not be used to calculate grade point averages. However, units attempted for which "NP" is recorded shall be considered in probation and dismissal procedures, as defined Board Policy 4250 – *Probation, Dismissal, and Readmission*.
- C. Independent study courses offered in accordance with State regulations may be graded on a "pass-no pass" basis.
- D. For courses in which there is a single satisfactory standard of performance for which unit credit is assigned, the "P/NP" grading system shall be used to the exclusion of other grades. Credit shall be assigned for meeting that standard, no credit shall be assigned for failure to do so.
- E. Courses wherein all students are evaluated on the "pass-no pass" basis shall be specified in the college catalog and schedule of classes.

References:

California Code of Regulations, Title 5 Section 55022

Accreditation Standard II.A.9

Eligibility Standard 10