Assign and Approve Grades

As an instructor of record, use the Faculty Center for grade submission. Grade rosters <u>must</u> be in "Approved" status, and the page saved for grades to officially be submitted to the Office of the University Registrar.

*If any grade rosters are incomplete, you will see a message upon logging into the Faculty Center. The message indicates all grades have not been entered into the roster. Once all grades have been entered, you will see a green check mark next to your course.

You <u>can</u> make grade changes even after they have been submitted and approved up until the deadline for grade submission, please see steps below.

How to Submit Grades:

- 1. Log into My.IllinoisState.edu. Select the Academics tab in the Teaching section, click on Faculty Center
- 2. Select the Grade Roster icon next to the course you wish to grade. You can save in progress work in your grade roster by clicking the *Save* button at any time.
- 3. Assign grades to students in the following ways:
 - a. To import grades from Reggienet, click the *Import Grades* button. Review imported grades for accuracy.
 - b. To assign grades one student at a time, or change a grade, click the *Roster Grade* drop-down menu next to a student and select the grade that the student earned.
 - c. To assign the same grade to multiple students:
 - i. Put a checkmark next to the students you wish to assign the grade to. You can click the Select All link to select all the students.
 - ii. At the bottom of the page, click the drop-down menu below the full list of students and select the grade that the students earned.
 - iii. Click the <-add this grade to selected students button.
 - iv. Click the Save button.
- 4. If you submitted a grade, but need to make a change during the Grade Submission window:
 - a. Click the Approval Status drop-down menu and select *Not Reviewed*. Find the student and make the appropriate grade change and select *Save*. Go back to the Approval Status drop-down menu and select *Approved*. Hit the *Save* button.
 - Online grade change request for the current term will not be accepted/processed until after official grades release.
- 5. The system will not allow grade rosters to be approved with blank grades. Use the M (Missing) grade value for those students you cannot accurately assign a grade to.
- 6. Grade change forms will need to be submitted for any M grades which are not corrected by the grade submission deadline.
- 7. To submit an I (Incomplete) grade, follow the same steps as you would for a letter grade. Additionally, the instructor is required to submit the Incomplete Grade Agreement Form, selecting a default grade and deadline date. If the Incomplete Grade Agreement Form or a Grade Change Request Form is not submitted, the I grade will lapse to an F.
 - a. Incomplete Grade Form: Incomplete Grade Agreement Form
 - b. To change an I grade to a letter grade, follow the: Grade Change Navigational Instructions
- 8. Click the Approval Status drop-down menu and select a value.
 - a. Select Ready for Review if you have finished entering grade and need the instructor of record to review the grades and approve them.
 - b. Select Approved if you are ready to approve the grades. This option is only available to instructors of record.
- 9. Click the Save button. You will receive a message once your changes are successfully saved.

NOTE: If you are inactive in the Faculty Center for 20 minutes, you will receive a pop-up message asking if you want to continue your session. After 30 minutes of inactivity, the Faculty Center will log you out. Be especially careful about remaining inactive while entering grades.