

# How Grading Works

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In Tutorials, students must answer all questions to receive a preliminary grade of 100%. This page details how students can progress through Tutorials activities to receive a grade.

## How am I graded in Tutorials?

Tutorial activities are designed for low-stakes practice with particular skills. You will receive a completion grade of 100%, no matter how well you perform. To receive a grade for a Tutorial activity, you must answer all questions in the activity.

Keep in mind your instructor can review your performance and answers and may decide to alter your grade. You will see a note about your instructor's ability to adjust grades at the beginning and end of each tutorial activity.

Messaging provided at the beginning of an assignment:

### How scores are calculated

Your score and responses will be recorded for your instructor to see. You must complete all tasks in this tutorial to receive a 100% completion score; if you do not complete all the questions, you will not earn credit for this tutorial. You can leave the tutorial at any time, and your work will be saved when you return.

Messaging provided at the end of an assignment:

### Conclusion

Great work! You've now completed the Sociological Writing Tutorial: Organizing Your Ideas, with a completion score of **100%!**\*

Once you organize your outline, begin to write. Don't worry about grammar and style in early drafts; instead, focus on getting your thoughts on paper and make revisions and adjustments later. Remember, writing is a process. You should go through many drafts. Getting your ideas organized from the start is a great way to begin.

*\*Note this is a preliminary score. Your instructor may read your written responses and adjust your score accordingly.*

## How am I graded for Short Answer assignments?

Short answer responses will be grade at 100% for completion. However, your instructor has the ability to review your responses and update your overall grade. Your instructor may also leave you a comment. You can view instructor comments by navigating back through the activity.

Question 2 of 2

If you were at the street performance as an ethnographer, what is one part of the scene that you would describe in elaborate detail in your field notes? Why did you choose this part of the scene?

Student Response Shown Here

✔ Your answer has been submitted.

- Grade given by instructor: **100%** (10 / 10)
- Instructor comment: instructor comments will be displayed here.

## How do Grades Accepted Until (GAU) dates work?

Grades Accepted Until dates are similar to due dates. Your instructor sets a Grades Accepted Until date for an activity, and once the date passes, your work will be collected, and you'll no longer be able to improve your grade. However, you'll still be able to access the activity and answer questions for self-study purposes.

You can find the Grade Accepted Until date on the Digital Landing Page.

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### Writing for Sociology Tutorials

Current average grade for completed and past-due activities: **100%**

*How is this average calculated?*

ASSIGNMENT TITLE	GRADES ACCEPTED UNTIL	TIME SPENT (MM:SS)	GRADE
✔ Organizing Your Ideas	6/25/20 11:59 PM	7:04	100%
✔ Concluding Your Paper	6/29/20 11:59 PM	1:16	100%
✔ Developing Research Questions	7/03/20 11:59 PM	1:26	100%
✔ Choosing A Research Method	7/29/20 11:59 PM	2:05	100%

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