Only a few graduate courses, including some workshop courses, co-requisite labs outside the major or minor, and thesis courses are eligible for S/F grading.

For both pass/fail and satisfactory/fail grading, with the exception of thesis courses and pre-approved co-requisite labs, a memo is required from the instructor showing that a grade of B or higher would have been issued to the student for the course. Without this memo the course will not be counted toward a degree program.