

Ungrading Method 2: Scales and Assignments Focus

In this method, the Moodle Course and Gradebook are set up primarily with Forums and Assignments only in order to provide the cleanest use of scales. Students will only see the scale “grade” vs. a point or letter grade and any comment feedback.

Instructor View: Gradebook Set Up

This screenshot shows the Moodle Gradebook setup for a course titled "Ungrading Gradebook Method 2". The table lists various activities and their weights. A red callout box highlights the setup for assignments and forums.

Name	Weights	Max grade	Status	Actions
Ungrading Gradebook Method 2				
			Weighted mean of grades Exclude empty grades	...
AGGREGATION Course total		100.00		...
FORUM 1.2 DO: Compare Accommodations whole forum	0.0	★Above-and-Beyond (4)		
ASSIGNMENT 1.0 DO: Create a Budget (Spreadsheet: Overall Assessment)	0.0	★Above-and-Beyond (4)		
MANUAL ITEM Module 1 Progress (Manual Grade Item)	0.0	★Above-and-Beyond (4)		
FORUM 2.2 DO: Create a Practice Map whole forum	0.0	★Above-and-Beyond (4)		
ASSIGNMENT 2.2 DO: Create an Itinerary Presentation	0.0	★Above-and-		...

Assignments and Forums using scales
Set weights to 0
Add Manual Grade Items to use scales for feedback on overall objectives

This screenshot shows the Moodle Gradebook setup for a course titled "Final Grade". The table lists various activities and their weights. A red callout box highlights the setup for the final grade and practice activities.

Name	Weights	Max grade	Status	Actions
Final Grade				
			Weighted mean of grades Exclude empty grades	...
AGGREGATION Final Grade total		100.00		...
ASSIGNMENT Submit your Final Grade Recommendation	1.0	100.00		
Practice Activities		0.0		
AGGREGATION Practice Activities total		100.00		...
QUIZ 1.1 DO: Transportation Costs Practice Quiz	0.0	1.00		
INTERACTIVE CONTENT 1.3 DO: Price is Right: What does it cost? (No outcome in gradebook)	0.0	10.00		...
EXTERNAL TOOL 2.0 WATCH: Travel Lecture Video-- Itineraries	0.0	1.00		...

Only one category with points "Final Grade"
Additional "points-required" activities can be de-emphasized in a practice category with a weight of 0

Student View: User Report

This student has completed the course so they see a “Course Total” grade. Prior to self-submitting a grade and the final grade being entered by an instructor, the student would see nothing associated with the “Course Total”

 **User report** ▾

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Grade item	Grade	Feedback
▾ Ungrading Gradebook Method 2		
 AGGREGATION Course total	95.00	
FORUM  1.2 DO: Compare Accommodations whole forum	✓ Good Work/ Met	
ASSIGNMENT  1.0 DO: Create a Budget (Spreadsheet: Overall Assessment)	★ Above-and-Beyond	These are some overall comments
MANUAL ITEM  Module 1 Progress (Manual Grade Item)	✓ Good Work/ Met	

When items have been graded the student will only see scales and feedback/ comments

The course total grade will be based on the one final student-submitted / negotiated grade