

Buzz: Viewing Grades

[00:00:00] Welcome to Independent Study support. This video will cover the basics of the grade system to help you get all the information you need. To view your grades, click the grades button in the bottom right corner of the course tile.

[00:00:15] This will take you to your grades page. It lists each assignment in the course and shows your grades on assignments you have completed. It will also show target due dates for your other assignments that will keep you on track for your target end date. There are three other sections of the gradebook that can be very helpful. The first is the “what if” section. Click on what if to get to it. The what if section allows you to put in whatever scores you want for your remaining assignments and project your final grade, which is a very useful tool.

[00:00:46] Next is the activity tab. You can click on it here in the tool bar. This section tracks your activity in all your different courses. It can help you see how well you are working on your assignments and gain insights to how you learn.

[00:01:01] The last tool is objective mastery. This page lists all the things your instructor hopes you will learn from the course, which are called the course objectives. It will help you track how well you are doing in all the different objectives in your course by filling up the bars in the mastery column as you complete assignments. This page is also helpful because of the review tool. Each objective is tied to certain assignments throughout the course, so you can click on the review tool under each objective to get links to all the assignments that have to do with that objective. This can be very helpful when you want to review a topic for a test or other activity. And those are the basics of the grade book.