

US Grade Conversion

The grade scale will give you an idea of how U.K. percentage marks compare to the U.S. Please be aware that it is your home institution and not SOAS that converts your grades, so your final converted mark may differ to what is indicated on the scale.

Undergraduate Grade Table		
U.K. Classification	U.K. Percentage Grade	U.S. Equivalent Grade
First (I)	80-100%	A+
	70-79%	A
Upper Second (Iii)	65-69%	A-
	60-64%	B+
Lower Second (Iiia)	55-59%	B
	50-54%	B-
Third (Iii)	46-49%	C+
	43-45%	C
	40-42%	C-
Fail	0-39%	F

Postgraduate Students:

The suggested grade conversion in postgraduate (Masters) courses is the same as above, except that the **pass mark is 50%**; 0-49% is a fail grade:

Distinction	70-100%
Merit	60-69%
Pass	50-59%
FAIL	Below 50%