

### Marks at resit and compensation tables (Undergraduate and Postgraduate Taught students)

The following tables have been produced to aid staff members in recording students' marks in cases of resits (referrals/deferrals) or compensation, to accompany information contained within the Undergraduate and Postgraduate Taught Degree Regulations, and the Guide to the Taught Degree Regulations.

#### Marks at resit table - Undergraduate

**UG Pass Mark: 40%**

1 <sup>st</sup> Mark	Resit mark	Recorded mark	Note
12	55 (pass)	30R	Pass on resit, cap at lowest compensation mark.
38	55 (pass)	38R	Pass on resit but original mark was in compensation zone, so that stands.
12	32 (fail)	12 (no suffix, failed)	Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.
34	38 (fail)	34 (no suffix, failed)	Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.

#### Applying Compensation (compensation range 30-39%)<sup>1</sup>

1 <sup>st</sup> Mark	Resit <sup>2</sup>	Recorded Mark <sup>3</sup>	Note
38	No	38C	
12	38	30R	Failed first attempt and resit in compensation zone. Cap of 30 used with R suffix as it's a pass at resit.

<sup>1</sup> If a mark is in the compensation zone but a student has exceeded their number of permitted credits of compensation, or the unit is non-compensatable, then the mark would be a fail, with no credit awarded, and the assessment must be resat/referred. If the assessment is passed at resit/referral, the student would be awarded the original mark with an R suffix to denote a pass at resit.

<sup>2</sup> When considering students having compensated resits, it should be noted that this is only permitted when a student has not exceeded their compensation allowance.

<sup>3</sup> TLSO is considering ways in which a compensated resit could be flagged, rather than using an R suffix.

## Marks at resit table – Postgraduate Taught – Masters Level

**PGT Masters Pass Mark: 50%**

1 <sup>st</sup> Mark	Resit mark	Recorded mark	Note
30	55 (pass)	40R	Pass on resit, cap at lowest compensable mark.
42 <sup>4</sup>	55 (pass)	42R	Pass on resit but original mark was in compensation zone, so that stands.
30	46 (fail)	30 (no suffix, failed) <sup>5</sup>	Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.
44 <sup>4</sup>	48 (fail)	44 (no suffix, failed) <sup>5</sup>	Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.
26	27 (fail)	26 (no suffix, failed)	Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.

### **Applying Compensation (compensation range – 40-49%)**

1 <sup>st</sup> Mark	Resit <sup>6</sup>	Recorded Mark <sup>7</sup>	Note
48	No	48C	
32	48	40R	Failed first attempt and resit in compensation zone. Cap of 40 used with R suffix as it's a pass at resit.

If a student is registered on a PGT Masters programme and fails, but passes at Diploma level, they could be eligible to be transferred to a Diploma. Staff should then refer to the PG Certificate/Diploma table below regarding how the mark should be recorded.

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<sup>4</sup> If a mark is in the compensation zone but a student has exceeded their number of permitted credits of compensation, or the unit is non-compensatable, then the mark would be a fail, with no credit awarded, and the assessment must be resat/referred. If the assessment is passed at resit/referral, the student would be awarded the original mark with an R suffix to denote a pass at resit.

<sup>5</sup> If a student is registered on a PGT Masters programme and fails, but passes at Diploma level, they could be eligible to be transferred to a Diploma. Staff should then refer to the PG Certificate/Diploma table below regarding how the mark should be recorded

<sup>6</sup> When considering students having compensated resits, it should be noted that this is only permitted when a student has not exceeded their compensation allowance.

<sup>7</sup> TLSO is considering ways in which a compensated resit could be flagged, rather than using an R suffix.

## Marks at resit table – Postgraduate Taught – PG Certificate/Diploma Level

**PG Certificate/Diploma Pass Mark: 40%**

1 <sup>st</sup> Mark	Resit mark	Recorded mark	Note
20	45 (pass)	30R	Pass on resit, cap at lowest compensatable mark.
32 <sup>8</sup>	45 (pass)	32R	Assumes marks in the compensation zone are resat because the student has exceeded their compensation limit. Pass on resit but original mark was in compensation zone, so that stands.
25	38 (fail)	25 (no suffix, failed)	Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.
25	26 (fail)	25 (no suffix, failed)	Fails resit and mark not in compensation zone so failed with no credit & original mark stands.
28	51 (pass at Masters level)	30R	Pass on resit, cap at lowest compensatable mark. <sup>9</sup>
34 <sup>8</sup>	38 (fail)	34 (no suffix, failed)	Assumes marks in the compensation zone are resat because the student has exceeded their compensation limit. Fails resit and has no compensation allowance. Failed with no credit, original mark stands.

### **Applying Compensation (compensation range – 30-39%)**

1 <sup>st</sup> Mark	Resit <sup>10</sup>	Recorded Mark <sup>11</sup>	Note
38	No	38C	
22	38	30R	Failed first attempt and resit in compensation zone. Cap of 30 used with R suffix as it's a pass at resit.

<sup>8</sup> If a mark is in the compensation zone but a student has exceeded their number of permitted credits of compensation, or the unit is non-compensatable, then the mark would be a fail, with no credit awarded, and the assessment must be resat/referred. If the assessment is passed at resit/referral, the student would be awarded the original mark with an R suffix to denote a pass at resit.

<sup>9</sup> If a student passes at Masters level (i.e. over 50) when they are registered on a PG Cert or Diploma, it is advisable to record the actual resit mark locally, in case the student wishes to progress to the Masters programme at a later date.

<sup>10</sup> When considering students having compensated resits, it should be noted that this is only permitted when a student has not exceeded their compensation allowance.

<sup>11</sup> TLSO is considering ways in which a compensated resit could be flagged, rather than using an R suffix.

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