Using Gradescope for Online Assessments

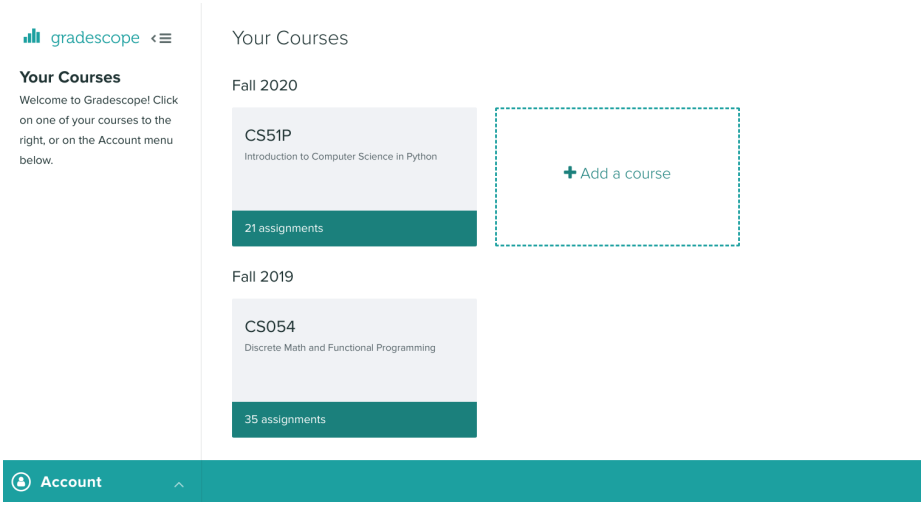
Many of the exercises for both lab and lecture will be performed through the Gradescope web application. For example, there will be weekly homework exercises which will need to be performed on-line, and lab assignments that needs to be submitted and graded on Gradescope. In addition, your lab assignment grades and feedback report will be returned through gradescope. Finally, you will be able to submit regrade requests through Gradescope.

Overview

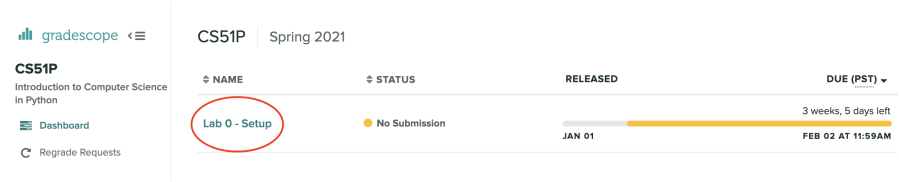
At the beginning of the semester, all students who are enrolled in CS51P will be associated (by the instructors) with Gradescope. You should receive an email notification as soon as you are added.

Accessing Gradescope

When you log into Gradescope, you should see CS51P on your dashboard.

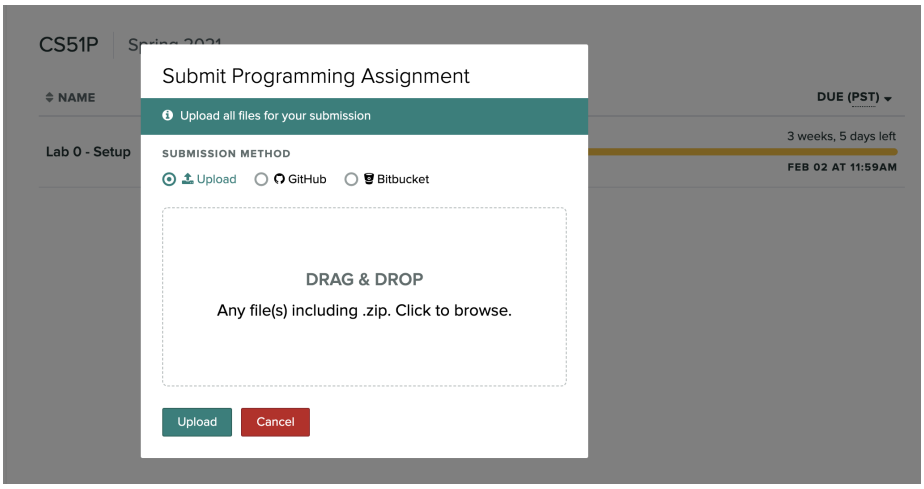


By entering this course (clicking) you will be able to access all your past and current work including exerices, quizes, exams, etc. The list will include work that you have submitted and work that is due in the near term. As an example of this facility, consider the following images in a previous semester for CS51P. You can submit the work to a given assignment by "clicking" on the appropriate link.



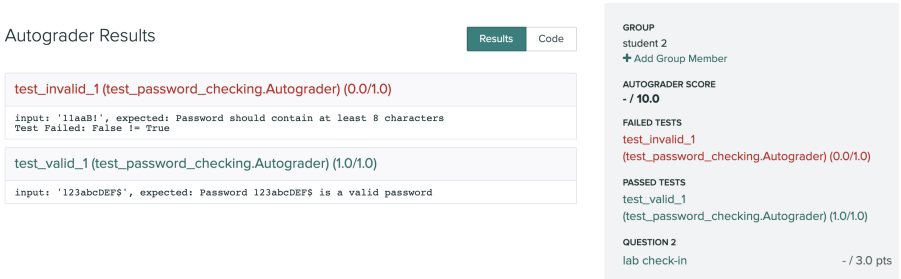
Submitting Python Code for Labs and Programming Tests

We will use gradescope for code submission of your lab assignments and final project. You can click on the link for the lab assignment, and a window will pop up for you to submit the code, via "drag and drop" or "click to browse in your computer".



Note: as some parts of your program will be graded using an auto-grader, please make sure your python source files are using the correct names as required

For the lab assignments that have autograder, you will be able to see the sanity check results shortly after you submit your code.



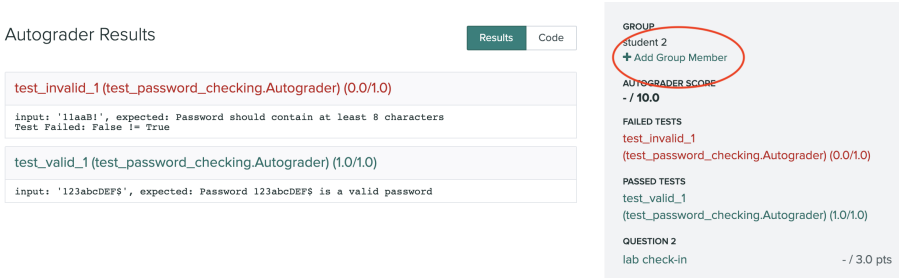
The purpose for sanity check is to (1) provide a few basic test cases to make

sure your program runs for some simple cases; (2) give you some feedback and a chance to improve your implementation; (3) give you a sense about how we will be testing your code and motivate you to generate additional test cases to examine your code thoroughly before you submit your final version. Note that you can submit as many times as you need, as long as it is before the deadline.

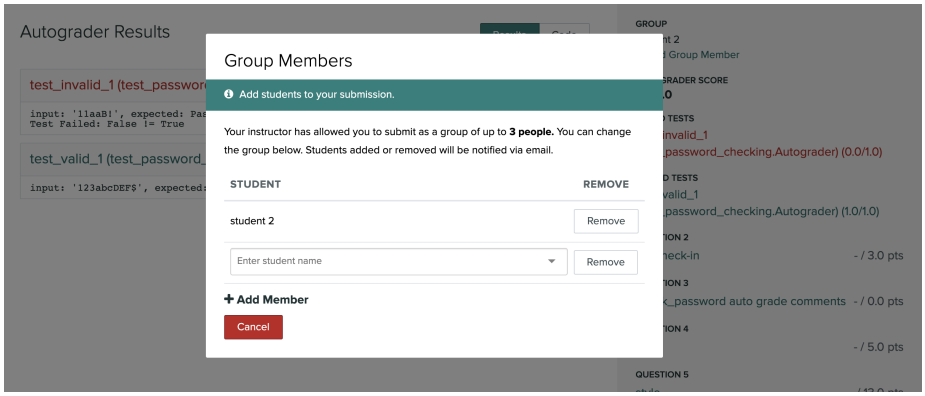
Note: the sanity check test cases are just basic ones, not comprehensive. We will be using a more comprehensive set of test cases to grade your program after the due date. So, please make sure that you test your program with all the possible test cases that you can think of, including regular user input cases and any possible corner cases.

Adding Partners to Teamwork

In this semester, the pre-class exercises and most of the lab assignments are conducted in teamwork (2 persons per team usually). Only one submission is needed per team. After one of the team members submit the work, you can click on the button of "Add group member" on the top right of the window, to add the team mate to this submission.



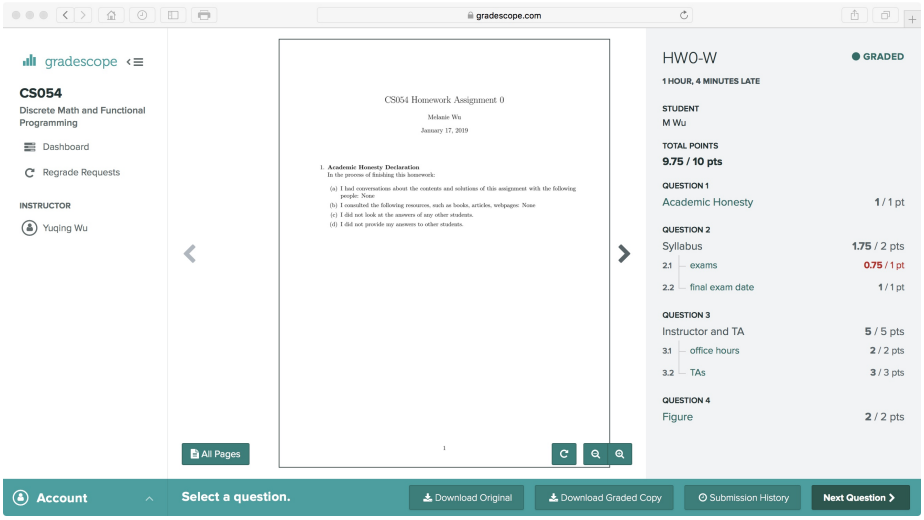
A window will pop up for you to add your team member, through entering your team member's name in the blank space.



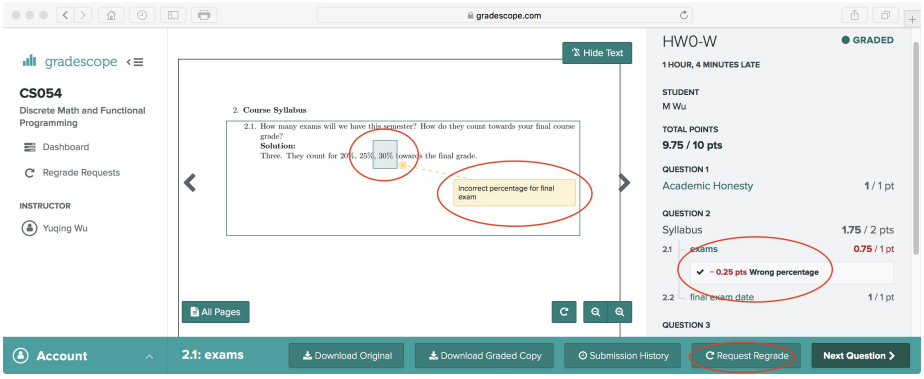
Accessing your Grades and Comments

You will be able to access a detailed grading rubric and comments for your work as soon as the grades are released. For each lab assignment, you will have access to a pdf containing your work as well as our feedback. As an example of this facility, consider the following images in a previous semester for another class (CS054)

Suppose that you did not get full marks for homework HW0-W. Selecting this homework from the dashboard leads to a detailed rubric including both the points for each question and the points that you received.



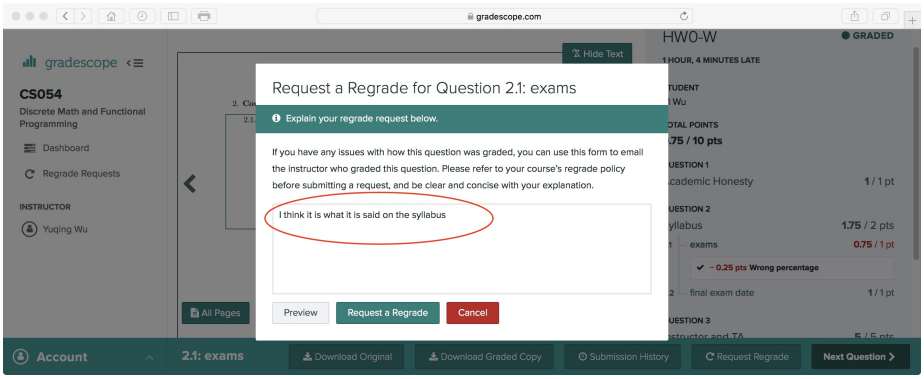
Clicking on the specfic question (2.1) where 0.25 points were deducted provides more details. In this case, the assignment was a written submission and the incorrect answer is highlighted and a comment provided.



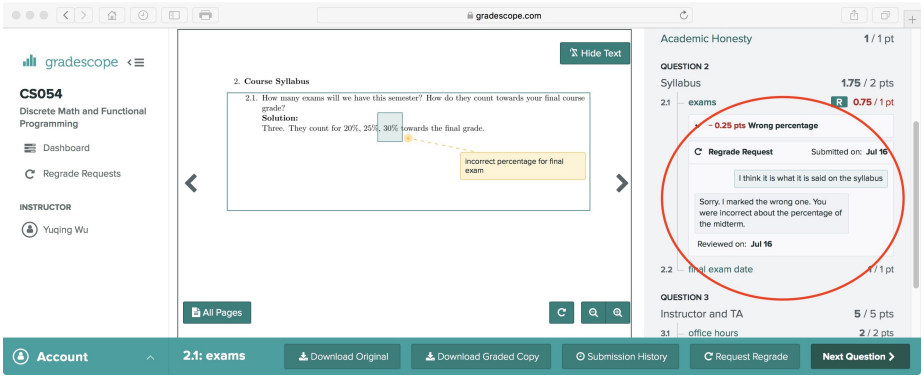
Regrading Requests

If you do not agree with the grading of a specific question or you do not understand the comments provided, you may submit a regrading request.

To do so, you must first navigate to the question. There you will find the "Request Regrade" button at the bottom of the page. When you click this button, a window will pop up. Please provide a few sentences describing your concern.



Once your regrade request has been evaluated, you will receive an email notification. By logging into Gradescope and navigating to the question, you will see both the text of your original request as well the instructor's response



Please note that for all items, including HW assignments, quizzes and exams, the regrading request option will be open for 7 days after the grades are released. After that, the regrading option will be closed and you will no longer see the "Request Regrade" button on that item. We encourage you to review your grades as soon as the grades are released and use regrading request to clear all concerns you have, before the next HW assignment is due.