

Loughborough Undergraduate Student Safety Net

The Loughborough Safety Net is designed to help all students, in a consistent way, ensuring everyone is treated fairly this academic year.



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	SAFETY NET 1	SAFETY NET 2	SAFETY NET 3	SAFETY NET 4	
FOUNDATION	<p>Marks for every module will be reviewed and adjusted if necessary</p> <p>We will examine the marks for every module this year (all parts – not just finalists) and adjust them if necessary to ensure they are consistent with the typical variation expected when comparing to the performance of previous cohorts. In doing this, we will take account of the national standards for the discipline and ensure that pass marks reflect the fact that students have achieved the module learning outcomes being assessed.</p>	<p>Students who claim mitigating circumstances can have these taken into account</p> <p>Any student can continue to claim Mitigating Circumstances in the usual way if their situation presents particular difficulties which we have not been able to adequately address in advance working with them. All claims will be viewed fairly and sympathetically. You need to explain the impact of the circumstances on your studies in as much detail as you can. You should provide supporting evidence if you are able to, but we recognise this might not be possible in some cases – please do submit the claim anyway. Please check out the further details for examples and support.</p>	<p>Overall grades for cohorts this year will be consistent with previous cohorts</p> <p>We will examine the overall outcome for the cohort of students in every year on every programme and ensure that the marks are consistent with the typical variation expected when comparing to the performance of previous cohorts.</p>	<p>This year Safety Nets 1-3 and the normal progression requirements apply. If needed, additional flexibility may be applied at the Programme Board to support students' progress to degree programmes this year. Marks are not used in degree calculations and therefore Safety Net 4 does not apply.</p>	FOUNDATION
PART A				<p>This year Safety Nets 1-3 and the normal progression requirements apply. Marks are not used in degree calculations and therefore Safety Net 4 does not apply.</p>	PART A
PART B AND C CONTINUING				<p>This year Safety Nets 1-3 and the normal progression requirements apply. However, the disruption to studies in Semester 2 2019/2020 will be further considered at final exam boards in future years in the same way as below.</p>	PART B AND C CONTINUING
PART C AND D FINALISTS				<p>Degree outcomes for finalists will take into account disruption to studies in Semester 2 2019/20*</p> <p>We will calculate two potential degree marks. The first mark will be based on credit obtained from all Part B, C and D modules except those completed in Semester 2 2019/20 and relevant weightings for each Part of the programme. The second mark will be the standard approach including Semester 2 2019/20 results. The student will receive the higher degree classification.</p>	PART C AND D FINALISTS

*For Safety Net 4 to kick in, please note that all students must satisfy the University's General Regulations ([Regulation XX](#)) for the award of undergraduate degrees and any additional requirements in their Programme Specifications.

This infographic has been designed for clarity, but must be read in conjunction with the information provided to students separately, where there is additional applicable information.