

Harmony 3

Entering Assignments



To enter an assignment in a grade book, go to the Classroom...Grade Book view and click on the grade book to open it up.

The screenshot shows the Harmony 3 interface. On the left, the 'Classroom' menu is highlighted, with 'grade book' circled in red. The main area displays a list of grade books with columns for Description, Teacher, and Enrollment. A red arrow points to the 'Grade Book for Biology II' entry.

Description	Teacher	Enrollment
1 1514-01 Economics	Brewer, Ronda M	0 students enrolled
Grade Book for Economics		
3 3024-03 Biology I	Brewer, Ronda M	0 students enrolled
4 3026-04 Biology II	Brewer, Ronda M	4 students enrolled
Grade Book for Biology II		
6 1532-06 Psychology	Brewer, Ronda M	5 students enrolled

When you open the grade book, you will see the student roster, with each student's current grade in the class listed to the right of their name. To add a new assignment, click the "New Assignment" button.

The screenshot shows the 'New Assignment' form. At the top, there are buttons for 'Close', 'New Assign', 'Tools', 'Class snapshot', 'Finalize', and 'Save Assignments'. A red arrow points to the 'New Assign' button. Below the buttons, the class information is displayed: '3026-04 Biology II', 'Brewer, Ronda M', and 'Period 4'. There is a checkbox for 'save my grades as I type'. Below this is a student roster table with columns for Student, Gr, Pct, and two columns for dates (06/25/2014) with sub-columns for Test and Homework.

Student	Gr	Pct	06/25/2014 Test	06/25/2014 Homework
1 ▶ Anderson,	A	96.67%	48	10
2 ▶ Brown, Sandi	A	96.67%	49	9
3 ▶ Bryant, Duane	D+	73.33%	37	7

This will bring up a form to enter in the details of the assignment. Enter the assignment date, name and category. To select standards, click the "Choose Standards" button and then select the standards.

Enter the total points of the assignment. If most every student received the same score, you can enter this in the "Common Score" field. This will assign that score to every student, and you can change the few that may be different.

In addition, if this is a MS/HS grade book, you can apply this assignment to your other grade books by checkmarking the class name. This will create the assignment for the other classes as long as that class has a grade book.

Assignment Details [Cancel] [OK]

Date: 06/25/2014

Lesson Name: Lesson 2

Category: Class

choose standards

Total Points: 10

Common Score: 10

also applies to:

- 1514-01 - Economics
- 1532-06 - Psychology
- 3024-03 - Biology I
- 3026-04 - Biology II

Average score

Highest score

Lowest score

Grade Distribution

1.0 _____

0.5 _____

0.0 _____

-0.5 _____

-1.0 _____

A+ A A- B+ B B- C+ C C- D+ D D- F

Once you click "OK", it will create the assignment and then allow you to finish entering the scores for the students. The total points are listed above in light blue.

An "E" entered for a grade will indicate an excused assignment that will not be calculated into that student's grade. This will be shown in yellow.

An "I" entered for a grade will indicate that the student has an incomplete on the assignment. This will be shown in red. Any progress reports or report cards will show an "I" for the grade. The grade book will still calculate the student's grade as if the "I" were a zero.

As you enter grades, you will see the student's overall grade update immediately if you have the "save my grades as I type" checkmarked at the top of the grade book. If you wish to not save after each entry, then uncheck this box. With this method, you must click "Save Assignments" when you are finished entering scores to update the grades.

Close New Assign Tools Class snapshot Finalize Save Assignments

3026-04 Biology II
Brewer, Ronda
M
Period 4

save my grades as I type

Student	Gr	Pct	06/25/2014 Lesson 2	06/25/2014 Test Chapter 1	06/25/2014 Homework assign
1 ▶ Anderson, I	I	28.57%	10	I	10
2 ▶ Brown, Sandi	A	96.67%	E	49	9
3 ▶ Bryant, Duane	C	77.14%	10	37	7
4 ▶ Bryant, Peter	A+	100.00%	10	50	10

Once the assignment is entered, you can reopen the assignment by clicking the assignment name at the top of the grade book column. This will then show you the average, highest, and lowest score on that assignment. In addition, there will be a grade distribution chart at the bottom. If you hover over one of the columns with your mouse, you will see the students who are in that category.

