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Marks for Exams

by Tuesday, 10 July 2012, 08:32 PM

Marks for exams:

We should be entitled to a copy of our marked answer booklets at the very least for exams. This includes a break-up of the marks, eg: if Q1 has 4 parts, what our mark was for each of the 4 parts & what each of them are worth so we can see where we lost the marks, along with any suitable feedback/comments. For example:

- How can we learn by our mistakes if this does not happen, especially if this is the basis or pre-requisites for other learning units.
- Markers are only human too & they make mistakes, we should be able to check our marks are fair & correct.
- I've heard that we can request to see our answer booklet(s) by putting a request in writing with 'good reason for why' & IF it's approved we have to view it at Armidale as a hard copy (not to take home). I also heard that the marks/comments from the marker would not be shown to the student, which defeats the purpose in the first place. This is totally unfair for external students.

Info Tech, info from 2 different lecturers:

- "Regarding your request, I have checked with our School's office. I regret to let you know that we are
 not permitted to send students a direct copy of their marked exam scripts. If a student would like to
 have a look at his/her marked exam script, he/she must make a formal arrangement to visit our
 office so we could show him/her the script. In normal cases, the final mark will stand."
- "You should know that the marks are usually deleted when a student comes to UNE to see her paper (if she produced a good written case for this)."

Thanks in advance.

Regards



Re: Marks for Exams

Hey This has been brought to my attention by severel othere students; Both internal and external. Thank you, for putting this in writing I will look into this more and reply soon.



Re: Marks for Exams

by Friday, 13 July 2012, 03:11 PM

These are good points, I have thought about these issues as well.

For your information, I requested feedback - answers to the exam questions, etc - for Public International Law; that was a subject I thoroughly enjoyed last trimester. The lecturer did post the feedback in generality which I appreciated.

The point, as you also make, and and limb I'm sure you appreciate, the purpose of

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