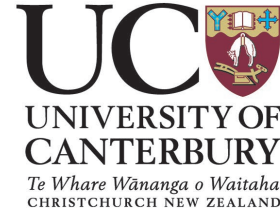


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21 October 2024

Hannah Stanley

By email: fyi-request-28685-0c5f875d@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Hannah

Official Information Act 24.160

I refer to the Official Information Act (the Act) request dated 8 October 2024 regarding two CHEM courses. You have specifically requested:

- *I request to know the grade breakdown of CHEM242 and CHEM246 first midterms of 2024.*

Please see the requested information overleaf. Where the number of students is five students or less, the exact number is not provided, rather a range of less than or equal to five (≤ 5). This is to protect the individual's privacy under s 9(2)(a) of the Act. It is in the public interest that individuals are not identifiable when providing information regarding course grades.

Please note that Mid-term tests in the School of Physical and Chemical Sciences (SPCS) are very rarely "graded" as it is the course as a whole that can only be officially passed (or failed) and thus graded. At examiners meetings held after the final exams, the "total marks" are turned into "grades" in the internal moderation processes. Internal assessment such as these tests contribute a certain % of the total mark obtained for the course. These contributions are available to the student in the Course Outline and on the Course Information System (CIS).

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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CHEM 242

Lower % limit	Upper % limit	Student count
0	5	0
5	10	0
10	15	0
15	20	0
20	25	0
25	30	0
30	35	0
35	40	≤5
40	45	≤5
45	50	≤5
50	55	6
55	60	≤5
60	65	8
65	70	≤5
70	75	≤5
75	80	≤5
80	85	≤5
85	90	≤5
90	95	7
95	100	6
	Total	29

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CHEM 246

Lower % limit	Upper % limit	Student count
0	5	≤5
5	10	0
10	15	0
15	20	0
20	25	0
25	30	0
30	35	0
35	40	0
40	45	0
45	50	≤5
50	55	≤5
55	60	≤5
60	65	≤5
65	70	≤5
70	75	≤5
75	80	≤5
80	85	≤5
85	90	≤5
90	95	≤5
95	100	≤5
	Total	29