**Introduction to Gradecam.com**

**WHAT IS IT?**

This is a ‘FREE’ web tool that is a limited version of the scantron machine (scores multiple choice). You download and print the answer sheet and use your computer’s camera as the reader. The program provides reports including item analysis and class reports.

**HOW DOES IT WORK? (STEPS)**

1. Create your account (to maximize program, you need 2 email addresses per quarter) and install gradecam plugin
2. Set up Class
3. Add students
4. Print exam answer forms (advanced feature: save paper, have more than one student form per page)
5. Create exams (advanced feature: create different versions of exam)
6. Scan exam forms
7. View Reports

**ADVANTAGES**

1. Use available equipment
2. Once its set up, you can use with class multiple times
3. If you like it, you could buy the monthly license and bypass the email issue

**DISADVANTAGES**

1. Need two emails to add all your classes
2. Good for only 1 quarter; then you need send a new email address
3. Need to manually input student names or make a Excel spreadsheet the first time

**INS AND OUTS**

1. Could be part of a larger assessment then staple results to essay, etc.
2. If you assign students a number, then you can run off the answer sheets with the numbers preprinted
3. You can scan sheets yourself, or turn computer around so that students can scan their own papers – see immediate results, write their score on their own sheet, staple and turn in.

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