

## COMP1161 – Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming

### Lab 9 – Static Variables and Methods

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1. Create an abstract class – “Student” with instance variables: student name, id, average grade and GPA. It should define:
  - a. the Constructor that takes in as parameter data for all attributes except GPA which is set to 0.0.
  - b. the toString method
  - c. a class method called “getHighestGrade” that uses the class variable “highestGrade”
  - d. a mutator method for average grade. NB: This can also affect the highest grade.It has an abstract method called “calculateGPA” returns the GPA equivalent of the student’s grade.
2. Create a class called “UniversityStudent” that extends Student class with instance variable: faculty.
  - a. Write an appropriate constructor to set up the instance variables.
  - b. Define calculateGPA method based on the following criteria:

Letter Grade	Grade Point	Percentage
A	4.0	94 - 100%
A-	3.7	90 - 93%
B+	3.3	87 - 89%
B	3.0	83 - 86%
B-	2.7	80 - 83%
C+	2.3	77 - 79%
C	2.0	73 - 76%
C-	1.7	70 - 72%
D+	1.3	67 - 79%
D	1.0	60 - 66%
F	0.0	0 - 59%

- c. Override the toString() of the parent class.
3. Create a driver class “Application” to:
  - a. Declare ArrayList of university students.
  - b. Add 4 students to the list and update the highest grade upon creation of each student.
  - c. Change one student’s grade.
  - d. Output all students information as well as the highest grade overall.