Project Name: OOP final final 2

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<u>Introduction:</u> For this final OOP assignment, I must modify the provided program that was developed in our previous meeting, use main2(), and finally specify a virtual function for getLetterGrade in GradedActivity.h and PassFailActivity.h.

Abstract: In the previous OOP document, I used OOP terminology to explain the Grading Engine program designed to make grading homework assignments more faster and efficient. The focus of our visual studio code with OOP final was the OOPmidterm.cpp file and it's the first document that showed up. We have a vector of about 3 C++ objects, and it's important to note that the CurvedActivity.h file borrowed heavily from the GradedActivity.h file. This next project is similar to the last, but now we have about 10 new lines of modified code.

An important concept that will come into play will be the OOP principle polymorphism and why there is such a need for vitual functions to make it work. In the case of a review, the Gaddis book provides some very intriguing facts that will bring our project up to speed. Polymorphism is described as the basic ability of a C++ object to take on many forms. More specifically, this applies to when there is a certain hierarchy of classes and the greatest definition connecting them all together is inheritance. Inheritance usually provides a way to create a new class from an existing class, and this new class is oftentimes a specialized version of the existing class it was created from.

Inline 38 of PassFailActivity.h, it doesn't seem to be compiling as there is a random error even though the double regularscore was already called. Theoretically, there should be no errors and so I can't find the logic as to why the program will not succeed in compiling. In light of this revelation, I decided to switch the private member function in GradedActivity.h to a public member function. After I made this small change, I finally got the program to compile successfully without any errors or warnings. I also added two new letter grades and the new ones are known as D, E, and Z. In lines 166-169, there are multiple getter and setter methods called from the PassFailActivity and GradedActivity .h files. This once again displays the principle of encapsulation.





















