

# Guide to use cases

## 2 required use cases: Print Document, Record Print Request

\*Note:

- question mark (?) shows conditional branching
- The `code` parts shows the recommended calls for the sequence diagram

### Print Document

- **Initial state:** user logged in as "Student"
- **Activities/Sequences**

1. system shows list of printers
2. user selects a printer `SelectPrinter(printerID)`
  1. Check printer condition
    1. ? The printer is currently online
      1. Initiate the GUI for file uploading and setting printing properties
      2. Continues to [3](#).
    2. ? The printer is unavailable
      1. User is notified about the problem `Error("Printer Unavailable!")`
      2. Return to [1](#).
3. user choose to upload a file `UploadFile(FileName)`
  1. A window pop up for the user to choose a file
  2. The system check the file extension
    1. ? File extension is valid. File upload shows status "ok" `FileStatus("OK")`
      1. Process can still continues to [4](#).
    2. ? File extension is valid. File upload shows status "Invalid file extension, valid ones are .docx, .doc, or .pdf" `FileStatus("Invalid");`  
`ShowMessage("Invalid file extension, valid ones are .docx, .doc, or .pdf")`
      1. Process can still continues to [4](#).
  3. File sent to server
4. user specify the printing properties `SetProperties(paperSize, numCopy, isColor)`

1. Check if printer can print with color
  1. Yes. Continues to 5.
  2. No.
    1. Notify user. `ShowMessage("Warning! This printer does not support color printing!")`
    2. Continues to 5.
5. user hit button "Print document" `UserRequestPrint(filename, paperSize, numCopy, isColor)`
6. Check file condition
  1. ? File is invalid.
    1. Reject print request `Error("Invalid file extension!"); RejectPrint()`
    2. Go back to 3.
  2. ? File is valid. Proceed to 7.
7. Calculate the required number of page
8. Check balance
  1. ? Insufficient balance. Reject print request `Error("Insufficient page balance!"); RejectPrint()`
  2. ? Sufficient balance.
    1. Notify user of successful print request. `ShowMessage("Print request sent! Printing is underway!")`.
    2. Continue to 9.
9. Send print request to printer `SystemRequestPrint(file, paperSize, numCopy, isColor)`
10. Return the status from the printer
  1. ? Print successful. Notify the user `ShowMessage("Document printed successfully! Come pick up your document!")`
  2. ? Print failed. Notify the user `ShowMessage("Unexpected error occurred at printer! Print failed!")`

## Record Printing Request\*

- **Initial state:** A printer just finished handling a print request
- **Activities/Sequences**

1. Printer request to record to the system database `RequestToRecord(printerID)`
2. The system put the request into a waiting queue
3. System get a waiting request from the queue to handle it
4. System handle the request
  1. Accept.
    1. System register a row for the request `Accept(printerID)`
    2. System request the printer to send the record.  
`WaitingForData(printerID)`
    3. Proceed to 4.
5. The printer sends the printing record to the system `RecordPrint(printerID, filename, pageSize, NumCopy)`