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The grade for the exam is pass/fail. Completed exam responses will be reviewed by the dissertation supervisor; a full member of the Education graduate faculty, and at the discretion of the dissertation supervisor, the supervisory committee or other full members of GSE who are chosen for their level of expertise (optional).

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