Why does the card reader not recognize my I.D. Card/iClass FOB?

Card readers at building and room doors will display either a solid red or solid green light.

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- Red indicates the door is in locked status.  
- Green indicates the door is in unlocked status.

If the card reader does not respond to your I.D. Card/iClass fob:

- Access may not be assigned.  
- Your iClass device may be damaged.  
- Did you change status on campus? (i.e.: you were previously an Undergrad and now you are a Grad student) You must obtain a new card from the Registrars Office.  
- Some lab doors may be configured with an Unlock schedule. UofG cards will not be required during the scheduled time.  
- Your I.D. Card may not be equipped with iClass HID technology. (i.e. older magnetic stripe card)  
- When your I.D. Card is NOT presented on its own, the reader may detect other RFID cards within a wallet, purse or backpack. Access is not granted if multiple cards are detected.

Students can contact their residence porter for assistance.  
Faculty & Staff can contact their Department’s Electronic Access Administrator for assistance.

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Links
[1] https://www.uoguelph.ca/eaccess/panel/faqs