The University Senate of Michigan Technological University

PROPOSAL 9-13

(Voting Units: Academic)

"MID TERM GRADE PROPOSAL"

Background

Mid-term grade reporting was moved from the end of week 7 to the end of week 6 giving students additional time after receiving mid-term grades to decide whether to remain in a course. With the last day to drop a course moving from week 8 back to week 10, mid-term reporting can move to back to week 7 giving faculty more time to assess mid semester student performance.......................................

Proposal

1) Change mid-term reporting from the end of week 6 of the semester to the end of week 7. (ref. Policy 309.1)

Mid-Term Grades A mid-semester grade will be given to each first-year student enrolled in a course offered for credit. Mid-semester grades will not be considered permanent and thus will not be recorded on the academic transcript.
A standard grading system shall be used by all course instructors.

Mid-Term Grade Symbols:

Symbol	Description	Grade Points per Credit(GPA calc)	Definition
SA	Mid-term Satisfactory	N/A	Indicates that satisfactory progress is being made in the course at the end of the 7th week of class.
NA	Mid-term Not Applicable	N/A	Administratively assigned to a course for which a midterm grade is not applicable.
UN	Mid-term Unsatisfactory	N/A	Indicates that unsatisfactory progress is being made in the course at the end of the 7th week of class.
M	Missing	N/A	Status grade administratively issued to each student in a course whose instructor failed to meet the grade reporting deadline or when a grade is intentionally left blank by the instructor in cases where there is an academic integrity issue.

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