

Dean of Students Taskforce Summary of 2023/2024 Activity

The DOS Taskforce was created in order to discuss options with the DOS concerning the possibility of allowing for a temporary placeholder grade to be used on an assignment while the DOS process takes place. We conferred with the DOS, who suggested that we write a proposed policy that would need to replace existing language in the board policy, as well as be included in all syllabi. The taskforce completed this task, had a policy passed by the Faculty Council, received positive feedback from DOS and this policy has now been submitted to upper administration for consideration. The Taskforce was also briefly tasked with meeting with DOS to discuss concerns about the implementation of the new Pregnancy and Parenting policies. After meeting with the DOS it was clear that the DOS was in the process of forming a committee to discuss these same matters, so the taskforce has disengaged from this issue until/unless it is called upon again.