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SGA Resolution 18-03-5

**A resolution to require all Middle Tennessee State University professors to create and distribute a date-specific syllabus within the first three class meetings.**

Definitions contained above that might be ambiguous are defined as follows:

Professor: any instructor, despite MTSU status, of a credit class offered through MTSU no matter the location

Date-specific syllabus: syllabus including, but not limited to, the dates of all tests, papers, and projects due during the duration of the class

class meetings: scheduled meeting containing students and the instructor at pre-determined time

**Whereas:** MTSU students are encouraged and expected to do well at both their academic and extracurricular endeavors

**Whereas:** Students need every positive opportunity to succeed

**Whereas:** Scheduling conflicts often arise and the need for organization is vast

**Whereas:** Sudden or unplanned tests, papers, or projects negatively alter a student's academic career

**Be it resolved by the 65<sup>th</sup> session of MTSU's Senate that:**

**Section 1:** Upon passage, MTSU professors be required to create and distribute a date-specific syllabus by the end of the third class meeting.

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