



Monday Matters: Student Progress Notifications

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Monarchs Give Back 2025: A Call to Service .pdf;

Dear Colleagues:

I have been asked by faculty what to do if they can tell that a student is not attending class or otherwise engaging with the course. The answer is to submit a **Student Progress Notification**. These can be submitted anytime during the semester and can be positive or negative. If you label a student's progress as unsatisfactory it will trigger an email with resources to the student as well as personalized outreach from one of the student support units.

All instructors for undergraduate courses should get detailed instructions about this today. This system will broaden the early alert grades that were required in the past. We will still want a progress notification for all 100 and 200 level courses by the 5th week, but I urge you to submit a notification much earlier if warranted and for any undergraduate course. I hope that early intervention will help some students get back on track before the first test.

Please consider supporting the **2025 Monarchs Give Back food drive** that will benefit the ODU Monarch Food Pantry and Norfolk Public Schools. You can bring food items to the Dean's office (OCNPS 143) or your department office. Monetary gifts can be made online (link in the attached).

I hope your new semester gets off to a great start.

Best Regards,
Gail

Upcoming Events and Deadlines:

Sept. 12 (4 – 5:30): Science Friday – Speakers: Gloria Massamba N'Siala (BIOL) and Sage Hawn (PSYC) [PSB 1100]

Sept. 25 (12:30): Brown bag with the Dean to discuss academic leadership [Location TBA]

Oct. 2 (12:30): College-wide meeting with Ken Fridley, Vice President for DivRED [OCNPS 200]

Oct. 3 (4 – 5:30): Science Friday – Speakers: Sarah Elkhe (PSYC) and Rui Ning (CS) [PSB 1100]

Oct. 11 (10 – 1): Reign in Science – college-wide science outreach event for the public [Elkhorn Ave]

Nov. 7 (4 – 5:30): Science Friday – Speakers: Mary Still (PSYC) and Rishi Drolia (BIOL) [PSB 1100]