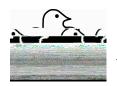
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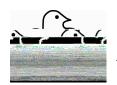
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- i. February 10
- ii. March 24
- iii. April 28
- iv. May 19
- b. Questions to be asked are in progress of being planned by Senate Caucus.
- c. I have been met with some concerns about our Committee Representation. It is unclear whether or not there are some committees that are simply not meeting. We have also lost representatives and until we get more times will be tough.
- d. See attached final submission of recommendations on the Research Policy. We will most likely be seeing the final policy at this upcoming Senate meeting.
- e. Resignation of Senator: As you all know, Senator Nick Wolf resigned. I will report further updates orally.
- G. Principal's Task Force: There will be a meeting next Thursday at 5pm for Councillors to discuss the recommendations that we will be putting forward to the Principals Task Force. We are requested to make 1 or 2 recommendations to address each of the 3 areas of Diversity, Excellence, and Community Engagement. The final document will be prepared by myself and Will, and the final recommendations will be presented at next Council for approval before the recommendations are sent to the Principal. Thus far a broad characterization of the recommendations we are tossing around are as follows:
 - a. Diversity: Encouraging Access to McGill for Underrepresented Groups, Providing Resources to Staff to Accommodate a Diverse Student Population, Utilization and Expansion of Existing Equity and Diversity Resources on Campus
 - **b.** Excellence: How do undergraduate students measure excellence? Hands-On Experience, Research Opportunities, Diverse and Flexible Programming, Excellent Professors and Learning Resources, Post-Graduate Support; Expanding Our Means for Self-Evaluating Excellence
 - **c.** Community Engagement: The use of community engagement as a tool for learning, Resources and Activities for Local and Commuter Students, Programming for the Community/Resources for Non-local Students to Become a Part of the Community
- H. Course Packs: I have been informed by Jim Nicell that due to late submissions by the majority of professors requesting course packs that many courses will see their course packs late again. It is important to acknowledge that this is not the fault of Printing at this point. Professor Nicell has set up a webpage on the McGill Bookstore website that will allow students to track if their coursepacks are ready.
- I. French Clause on Syllabi: Please inform me if it is discovered that the French clause is missing on a syllabus. If there is a high volume I will be following up on this next week and examples would be useful.
- J. MART: Meetings have been scheduled for the remainder of the semester, please check with your VP Academic and encourage them to get in touch with me. I have not heard back from everyone yet.



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K. Classroom Standards Working Group: I have become a part of an exciting new group that will be setting architectural, technological, and other standards for all McGill classrooms. This could mean anything as technical as "all classrooms must have .89P.