Community Check-in Survey:
What mid B term feedback do you have?
Share your thoughts in our 30 second community check-in.
Your feedback makes a difference.
In the survey, we hope you also let us know how you are and ask questions.

"The way I see it, every life is a pile of good things and bad things. The good things don't always soften the bad things, but vice versa, the bad things don't always spoil the good things and make them unimportant."

-Doctor Who

Have an academic question you aren't sure who to ask?
Email UndergradStudies@wpi.edu or Virtual@wpi.edu.
Ask for Support Checklist:

Now that we are halfway through the term, it's important to lean on your resources to make sure you feel confident that you have what you need to finish the term strong.

- **Share feedback with Undergrad Studies in this week's Community Check-in Survey** so we can know how to better support you.

- **Successful students ask for help.** If the first exam didn't go as planned or if your group project is feeling hard NOW is the time to reach out. You are part of a community. Don't struggle alone.
  - Asking for support now gives you time to fix where things are going astray and catch up before the end of the term. [Read about asking for help.](#)
  - Track your grades and reach out to your professors with questions.

- **Give feedback to your professors.** If your professor sent out a mid-term survey, make sure to share your thoughts. If you didn't receive a survey, consider joining office hours to share what you love about the course and ask questions about what might not be working for you.

- **Use your resources:**
  - [MASH and Tutoring](#): drop in or sign up for extra course help
  - [Writing Center](#): make an appointment for writing and presentation help
  - [Accessibility Services](#): email for a meeting or stop by virtual walk-in hours, 2-3pm Eastern Mon-Fri.
  - [The SWEET Center](#): get support for you and your team. Email to make an appointment - sweetcenter@wpi.edu.
  - **Update your schedule:** we know that students find it makes a difference when they connect their schedule with a friend’s schedule. It could be study time, classes, gym - whatever works for you. Make sure your schedule includes classes, studying, breaks, food and more. Try our scheduling tools ([weekly & quarterly](#)) or Outlook calendar. Try [color coding your calendar](#).
  - **Study with peers:** [Study SMART hours](#) on Zoom, [dedicated commuter spaces](#), Alden Hall, and [spaces listed on the WPI app](#) and [WPI map](#).
○ **The SDCC:** make an appointment, try group therapy on a range of topics, or explore more of their resources.

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### Resources

Virtual Learning Support -- WPI Canvas (including Online Student Center)
WPI Zoom -- IT Services & Support -- WPI Hub -- Academic Advising
Office of the Registrar -- Office of Accessibility Services -- Library
Writing Center -- SWEET Center -- Office of Multicultural Affairs
Student Development & Counseling Center -- Career Development Center
Dean of Students Office -- Student Activities -- WeAreWPI

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### Tips for Online Learning

& Socially Distanced Learning

1. **CREATE YOUR SPACE**
   - Find a comfortable chair
   - Set up near good lighting
   - Gather necessary supplies
   - Cut down on clutter
   - Minimize distractions

2. **MAKE A PLAN**
   - Establish a daily routine
   - Enjoy healthy snacks
   - Schedule blocks of study time
   - Exercise regularly
   - Practice time management

3. **GET ORGANIZED**
   - Check out Canvas/Online Student Center
   - Watch for messages from professors
   - Download and read your syllabus
   - Add due dates to your calendar
   - Refer to Tips for Online Learning

4. **REACH OUT**
   - Contact professors as needed
   - Connect with PAs for help
   - Create online study groups
   - Stay connected with friends
   - Don't be afraid to ask questions

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Each week, you'll receive this email to support and guide you through the process of virtual learning. In the meantime, if you have a question related to academics and are having trouble finding the answer, look at our FAQ page or email us at UndergradStudies@wpi.edu or Virtual@wpi.edu.

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