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# Hurricane Plan

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## Senate Executive Committee Request for Information

# Hurricane Plan

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### Question(s):

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What is the hurricane plan for making up class time?

### Rationale:

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We have been impacted two consecutive falls with hurricanes causing us to miss over a week of classes for each hurricane. The make up policies has been different for all campuses each time, and was decided after we returned to campus. Some cases extended the semester a week; another basically cancelled finals week. We were also told right before we evacuated for Irma to have two weeks of course materials on D2L (now Folio) to aid in making up class time. With this said, is there a policy on making up class time due to weather/natural disasters and what is it?

### Response:

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Forwarded to VPAA and Registrar.

Minutes, October 16, 2018

#### RFI on Inclement Weather Cancellations and Make-up Policies

Carl Reiber (Provost) said we use the policy set by the Department of Education based on minimal number of instructional hours per credit and reinforced by SACS. We do not currently have a policy. He asked Vice Provost Dianna Cone to begin working on a policy that will include make-up days but also will concern how we deal with emergency course cancellations. Right now, we do not need to make up hours from Hurricane Michael. We will come forward with a policy.



