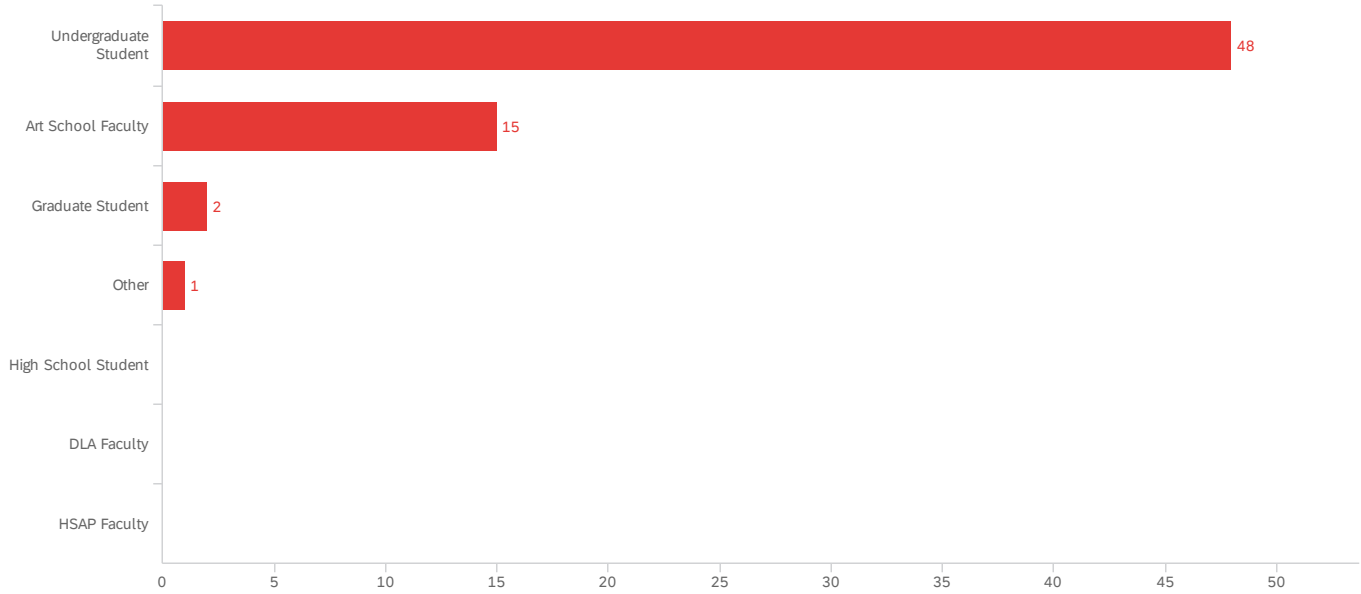


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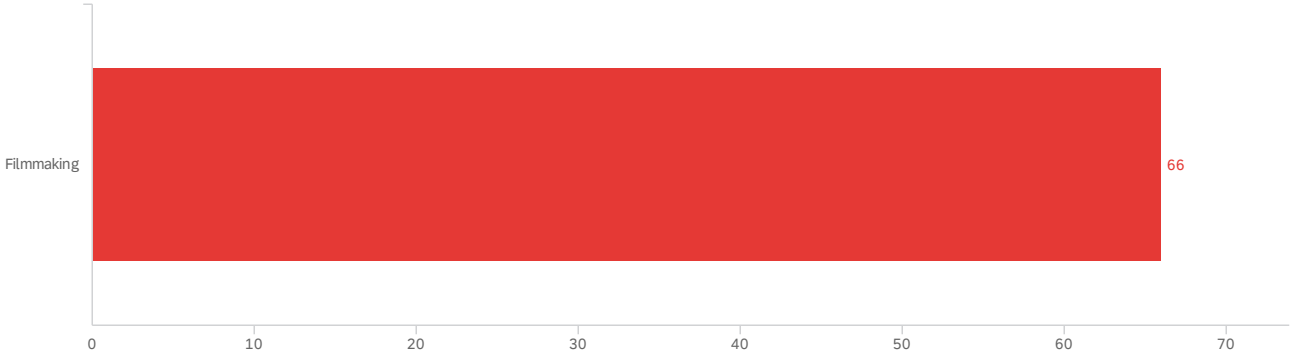
Q1.2 - Please select your level



Field	Choice Count
Undergraduate Student	72.73% 48
Art School Faculty	22.73% 15
Graduate Student	3.03% 2
Other	1.52% 1
High School Student	0.00% 0
DLA Faculty	0.00% 0
HSAP Faculty	0.00% 0

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Q1.3 - Please select your art school



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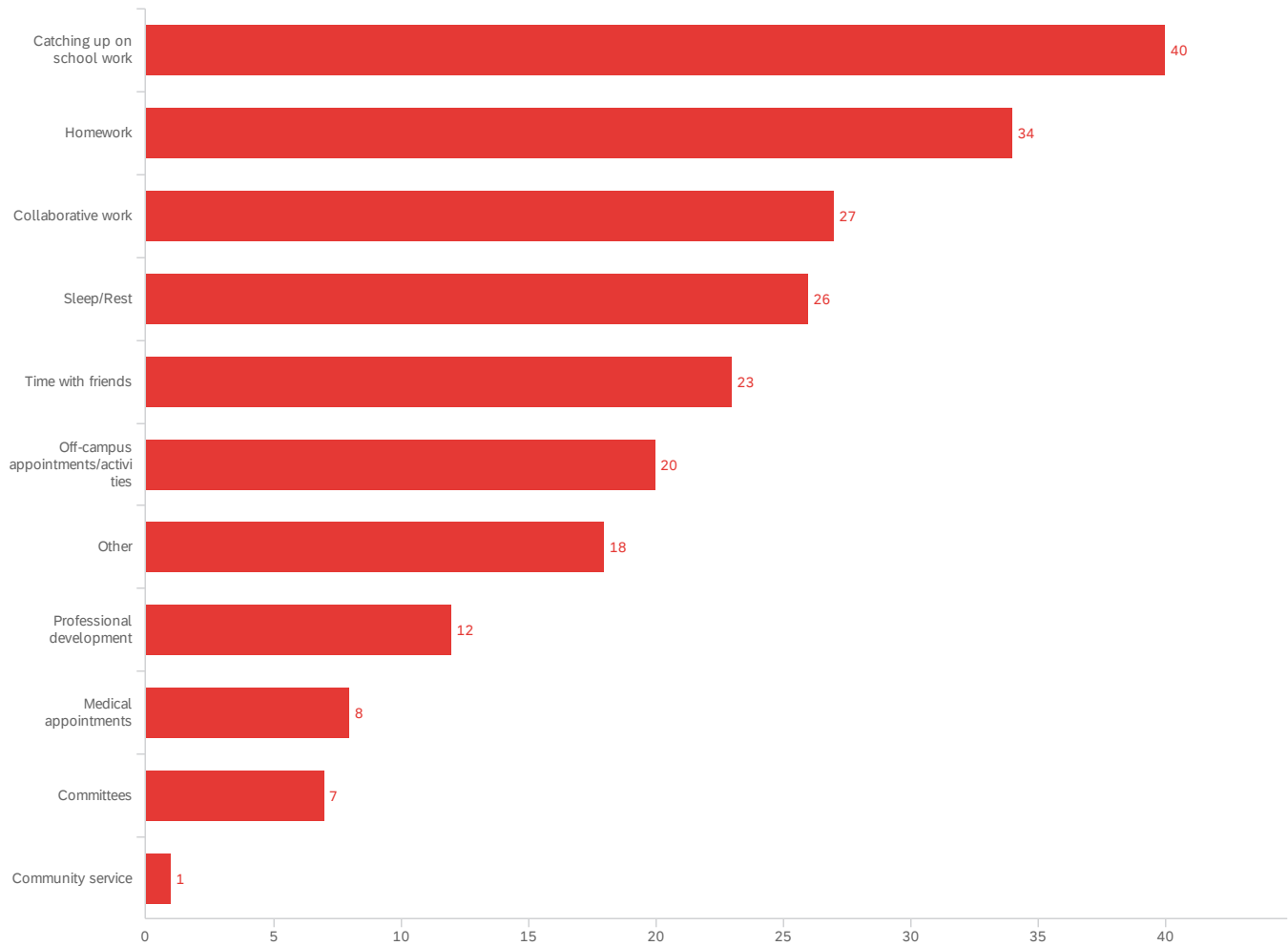
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Filmmaking

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Q2.1 - How do you use Intermission? Select all that apply.



Field	Choice Count
Catching up on school work	18.52% 40
Homework	15.74% 34
Collaborative work	12.50% 27
Sleep/Rest	12.04% 26
Time with friends	10.65% 23
Off-campus appointments/activities	9.26% 20
Other	8.33% 18
Professional development	5.56% 12
Medical appointments	3.70% 8
Committees	3.24% 7

Field

Choice Count

Community service

0.46% 1

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Q2.1_11_TEXT - Other

Other

catching up with my Dept Chair

Working out

Working

Wishing I could start my class at the normal time. To get home earlier. To give the students a longer break before their evening classes.

We don't have the intermission in the film school.

Was not aware of intermission.

Same as non-intermission - work, work, work, work.

Meetings for films and eating

Meetings

I work during this time.

I don't. Means nothing to me.

Having meals

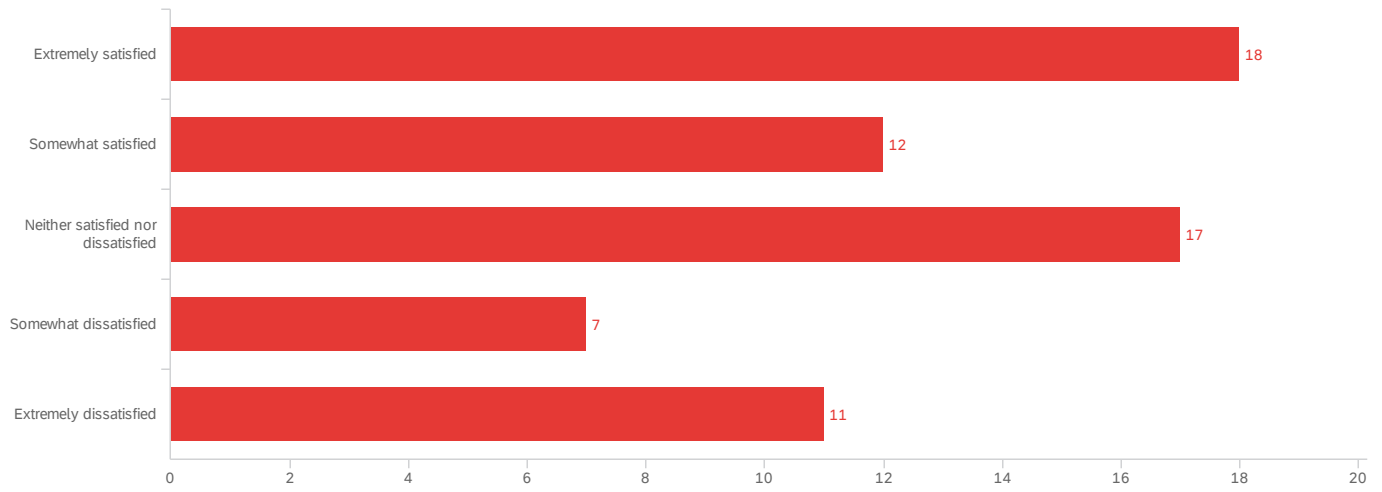
Go to my part time job

Eating lunch

Eat

Catch up on my work

Q2.2 - How satisfied are you with Intermission on Wednesdays from 12:30pm - 2:30pm?



Field	Choice Count
Extremely satisfied	27.69% 18
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	26.15% 17
Somewhat satisfied	18.46% 12
Extremely dissatisfied	16.92% 11
Somewhat dissatisfied	10.77% 7
	65

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Q2.3 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

wednesdays are one of my unexpectedly busiest days this semester and I have only thirty minutes to eat even though I don't have any particularly long classes on Wednesdays.

My film classes take place at 2:30 so it's not like much would change for me currently.

It's great for connecting with people from other disciplines as it's the only time we see them outside of constant classes.

It's a nice pause in the hectic world of uncsa. But I will say, make sure teachers take it seriously and not expect you to work while it's going on.

It's sometimes hard to find a time to have film meetings because everyone has classes at different times, it's nice to always have a time that's free for everyone.

It's a good time to eat lunch and work on some homework and editing projects

It is the perfect time for a break in the middle of the week

It gives me time for lunch and a committed period during the day to sit down and make sure I have time to work

It allowed me to focus on the committees I'm serving on.

I think it's a great idea and a great way to have everyone get a break, but having the highschool have the same intermission time as the college students means the cafeteria is nearly inaccessible for lunch on wednesdays because no one has class and everyone goes to lunch at the same time. I think the highschool should have a different time slot just to relieve any public spaces we all use together and make them accessible during our break time.

I think it is great for students to get a chance to catch their breath for a bit. It takes some of the pressure off them.

I like that it gives me extra time before classes. It gives me time to do things I wouldn't have time for

I feel like I don't register it but it's nice considering Wednesdays are my busiest days

Because everyone gets out of class at the same time every Wednesday, the dining hall is PACKED at 12:30, and it makes it difficult to find seating and get food. I appreciate the break, but the amount of time it's spent in the dining hall fighting for my life makes it almost not worth it.

Q2.4 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

With my work schedule the time doesn't really have any impact. I think it's good thing to set aside time and is something I admire the school for doing but realistically I would be using the time regardless of break for work and do use it for work. So not satisfied or dissatisfied.

While I appreciate the intention behind intermission, it hasn't proved to be very practical, practiced, or appreciated by faculty, staff, and students.

Unaware that intermission was happening.

This makes my week much harder. I have 9 mentees to meet with each week and removing this block of time reduces the possibilities for those meetings, ultimately making it more inconvenient for students.

The way my schedule works out, I usually have that gap

The time is nice sometimes, but too limited to do anything off-campus

The intention is good, but I'm not certain that students or faculty use it as intended. I already don't have enough hours in the day to do everything, so I consider this just another 2-hour block of work.

The fact that the so-called intermission is pointless. My students are ready for class at 2. I'm ready for class at 2. But we can't meet when we want to because some overpaid bureaucrat, who has very little interaction with students or faculty -- who has no idea what we really want or need -- came up with this preposterous, work-creating, welfare-destroying idea.

The break exists during a time that classes are often not in place (lunch break). I frequently have meetings during the time due to the large amount of homework assigned and do not get a break.

That is how I already used this time.

Pushed back my classes. Now I am active in class until 9:30pm

My classes normally don't start until 2pm most days anyways

Mainly the fact that classes get pushed back thus making the day last longer. How is this beneficial to students and faculty? This has also caused classes to be scheduled back-to-back with no break in between. E.g. there is currently a four-hour class that ends at 6:30 with another 3-hour class starting at the same time. Students taking both classes are forced into a continuous 7-hour marathon. How is this helping their well-being?

I'm not sure how my schedule will be like next semester but from this spring and last fall I already have long breaks between my class and so having an intermission wouldn't feel too different than what I'm already used to.

It's annoying and kind of a hassle as a commuter student and my professors don't like it either

It's a similar amount of time I'd have off as a break on most other school days. The only thing it's really changed has been that my Wednesday classes have been scheduled much earlier than they were last year because intermission takes place at the time class used to be held.

It's nice to have a break, but it forces some of my classes later into the night, and I'd rather get off earlier in the day than have a break in the middle. Some of my classes even get pushed till after the break, causing all my classes to be back-to-back and go later into the night, which isn't fun.

What factors influenced your response?

It's highly inconvenient to have a gap where nothing can be planned with faculty. The main thing I need as a filmmaker is to meet with my professors about my curriculum projects, and Wednesdays are one of the most receptive days of the week. Having a two hour gap where I am already on campus but I cannot communicate with my professors is incredibly frustrating and counter-intuitive. Most film majors I know use that time to hold their weekly meetings, seeing it is a time that everyone is technically available. It often isn't used for 'personal time,' because it's the middle of the workday.

It so happened that it meant I didn't get a lunch break on Wednesdays because of committee work, but that can be avoided with more careful class scheduling.

It is not helpful at all for those in film, because now our Wednesday classes just start and end 30 minutes later. Last semester, I had a class that ended at 5:30 and another that started at 6. I was barely able to eat dinner.

I would like to be able to schedule things during that time.

I have noticed that most of us students don't really treat it any different than other time in between classes, so it doesn't really mean anything. I'm not against the idea at all I'm actually for a break, but it just doesn't really work with our busy schedules. We tend to just schedule meetings in that time because we know that everyone should be free so it honestly turns into the opposite of a break. I get it because it's really hard to find times when people are free. But basically what I'm saying is that in my experience intermission has almost become a time for work rather than rest. I don't know how you would fix this at the administrative level or if you even can, just wanted to make you aware.

I am dissatisfied because the timing is weird. 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm is prime time to be in class and attend meetings so that students with part time jobs or that have homework can wrap up their days at school early to attend to other things. The intermission should be later in the day or on Friday, when students are ready to end the week.

Gets in the way of workshops and meeting with mentees. Plus afternoon classes are 1/2 hour later. Some of our evening classes start right as afternoon classes finish, and have some of the same students.

Faculty should have some flexibility to meet with other faculty, apart from the restriction to meet with students. We actually can make independent decisions in our own best interest regarding potential peer meetings at that time. Because our discipline can not have a faculty meeting on Wednesday, when we are all available to plan a meeting, it has inconvenienced 7 faculty to find a meeting sometime during the week. This is NOT working in our best interest or ourselves or our work on the behalf of our students, as we have to reschedule conference times with students that accommodate their schedule.

Did not have classes Wednesday

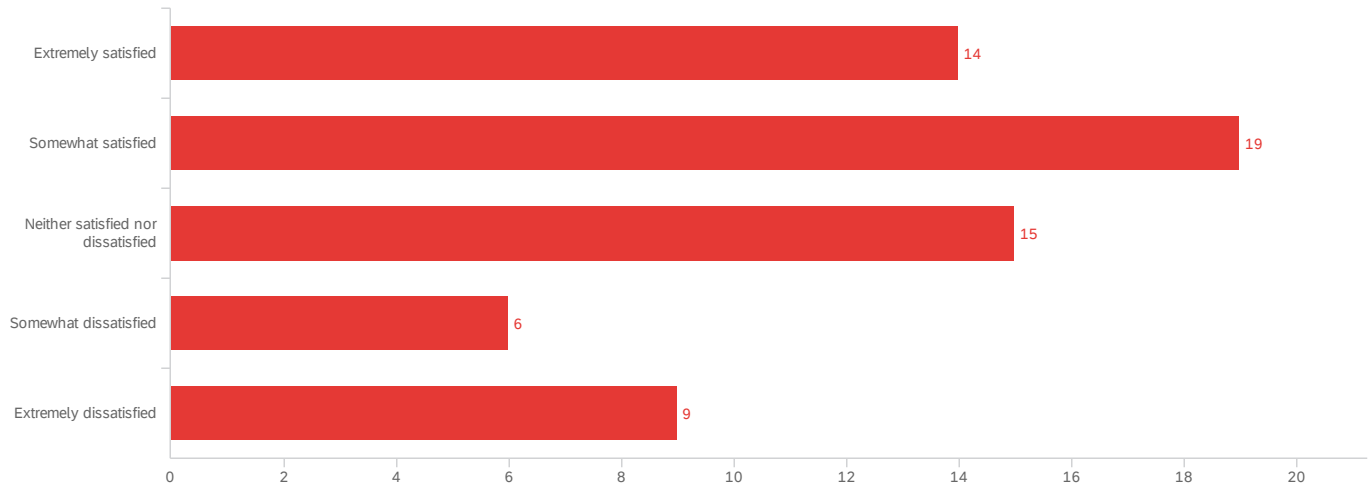
Because I teach at the MFA level, I'm challenged to find times to meet with all of my mentees (given their work/family schedules). This lunch time slot has always been useful.

As a commuter student, it just adds 30 more minutes where I don't have anywhere to go between classes. It seems only effective for on campus students.

All that intermission does is make it so everyone goes to the dining hall at the same time and overcrowds it. I can do my homework between other classes, it's not offensively awful, intermission is just useless

Q2.5 - How satisfied are you with the day of the week (Wednesdays) and time of day

(12:30pm - 2:30pm) for Intermission?



Field	Choice Count
Somewhat satisfied	30.16% 19
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	23.81% 15
Extremely satisfied	22.22% 14
Extremely dissatisfied	14.29% 9
Somewhat dissatisfied	9.52% 6
	63

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Q2.6 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

I'm really just missing lunch and thats a perfect time for lunch.

That's just a time we don't have classes in the film school, so it just doesn't feel like much of a change in pace.

I have locked in my schedule to coincide with this available time and to change it again would be difficult. We must have some communal time as faculty to be available for committee work across campus and this seems to be a reasonable time period.

I like that it's on Wednesday, but again the timing with lunch is kinda hell.

It's my busiest day, so it's nice to have that break. But it feels too short for me for how many classes I have that day

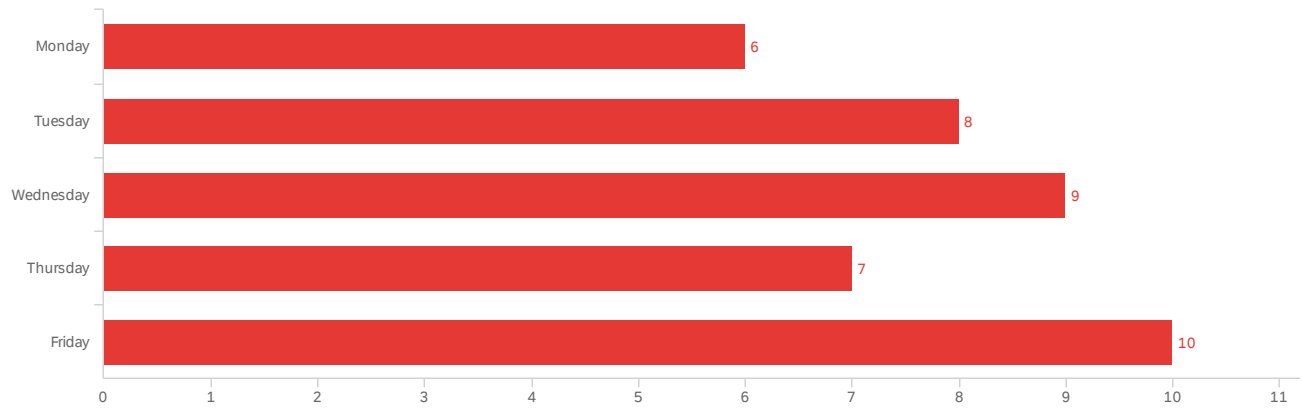
Wednesdays are a busy day for me so it works great

Nice middle of the week pause. Always forget about it then remember it's there every Wednesday and enjoy the down time.

I am so used to getting to my office before a 2pm class that I still do, and then have 30 minutes to catch up with my Dept Chair before class, which is great.

I don't really have a preference what day it is. I like that it's a time when most people are awake.

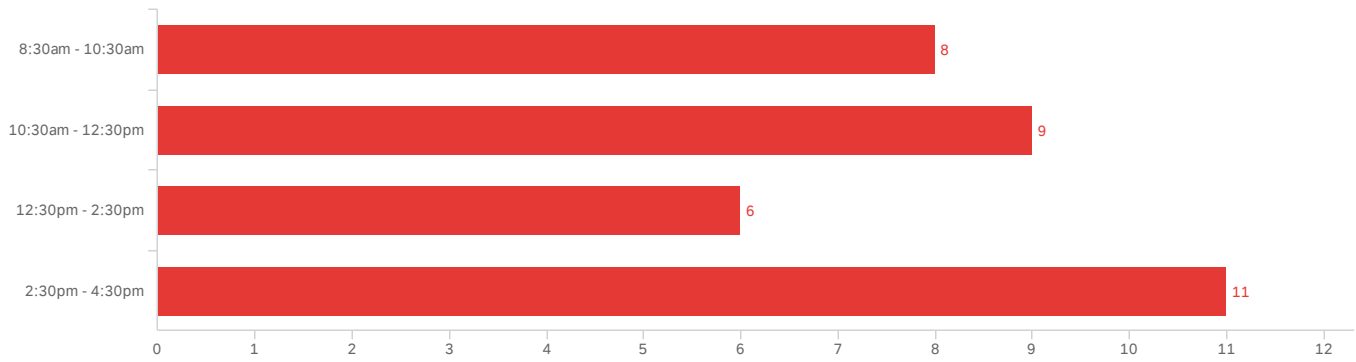
Q2.7 - What weekday would you prefer for Intermission? Select all that apply.



Field	Choice Count
Friday	25.00% 10
Wednesday	22.50% 9
Tuesday	20.00% 8
Thursday	17.50% 7
Monday	15.00% 6
	40

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Q2.8 - What time block would you prefer for Intermission? Select all that apply.



Field	Choice Count
2:30pm - 4:30pm	32.35% 11
10:30am - 12:30pm	26.47% 9
8:30am - 10:30am	23.53% 8
12:30pm - 2:30pm	17.65% 6

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Q2.9 - What factors influenced your preferences indicated above for weekday and time block?

What factors influenced your preferences indicated above for weekday and ti...

No classes on Monday

It should be at the beginning or end of the day so those who don't live on campus have the option to go home or just leave campus without worrying about coming back.

I DON'T WANT THE INTERMISSION!!!!!!!!!!!! NONE OF US DO. THIS STUPID, BIASED QUESTION KINDA PROVES YOU DON'T WANT HONEST FEEDBACK.

The current time is when people eat lunch so it doesn't make much sense

There are no classes scheduled for me on Monday and Friday, and the time is easy to leave open.

Wednesday is no better or worth day then any other. No time block is convenient, but 8:30am-10:30pm would offer less conflict with our student schedules. Some of us have a 10:00 class.

It's unintentionally disruptive, problematic, and creates more problems than it sets out to solve.

I feel like this provides an actual break from class as opposed to extending my lunch time by 30 minutes

Like I said before, an intermission is fundamentally useless

it would be much more useful to have a time where all professors are available and on campus, that allows for questions about curriculums that have yet to be answered, to be given a good time to work through it, instead of making the one resource we have as students (the teachers) inaccessible for those times.

This is the least useful time block in which to meet with my students.

I think that intermission should be on a school-by-school basis. For example, I am sure that intermission is very helpful for those in DnP who usually have required workshop every day, but for film I am not sure if we need it at all, unless it will actually affect the amount of time we are in classes. Otherwise, it just pushes our schedules around arbitrarily.

Unsure of what Intermission is and its purpose.

I have no idea how it affects other schools, but as a production design student in film specifically it comes at a weird time that kind of makes our schedules odd. Every class that we have ends at or before 5 normally so having one end at 5:30 is just a bit off. Not that that's too much of an issue just something I've noticed. I would make it from 12:00 to 2:00 if I had all the power.

None of the above. CSI should be eliminated altogether.

I have no opinion or preference. Whenever it is scheduled, I will be working.

It just makes no difference to me when it is. I'm not the one who gets a break. Put it where the students can use it.

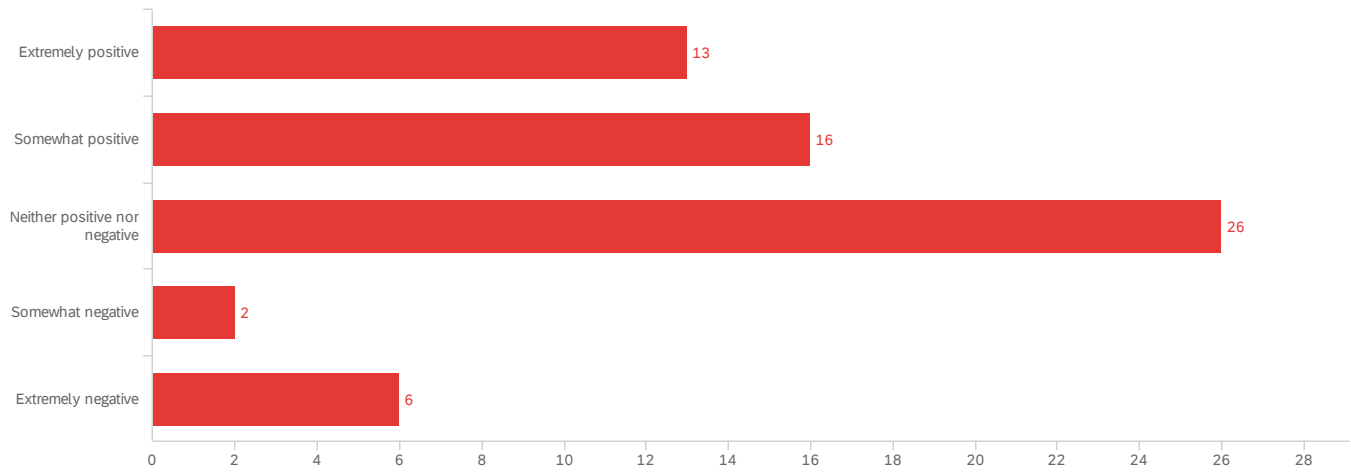
What factors influenced your preferences indicated above for weekday and ti...

For my schedule this would give me a feeling of actual time off.

They would help make the weekends feel a bit longer by being able to sleep in.

Maybe make it 2 hours instead? The extra half an hour makes it weird

Q2.10 - How would you rate the impact of Intermission on your health and wellbeing?



Field	Choice Count
Neither positive nor negative	41.27% 26
Somewhat positive	25.40% 16
Extremely positive	20.63% 13
Extremely negative	9.52% 6
Somewhat negative	3.17% 2
	63

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Q2.11 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

We are always on the go, nonstop, so this is a good time to be a bit more casual. And that eases stress.

It's really nice to be able to see all of my friends and roommates at the same time when we all have such busy schedules. It's a good time for my brain to relax and have fun.

It was a good break and I enjoy the campus activity around Hanes during these times.

It is a convenience not a health or wellbeing issue.

I take the time to rest or go to work or catch up on work.

I like to take my break!

I like to have a bit more time in between classes, it makes it so I have enough time to get some substantial work done.

Q2.12 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

I have no classes Monday so it's fine.

More work scheduling around it

It's created unnecessary work and shortened my vital recreation time when not teaching.

It's not a break for me since I usually get asked to table during the time or am in meetings

More emails, more coordinating faculty and student appointment availability.

I haven't met anyone who uses this time as intended.

It doesn't really effect me in a good or bad way

I use that time for committee meetings and catching up on work, so it has no impact on my health or wellbeing.

Never really use the time to rest, mostly just for meetings

previously stated

Personally I can run on less or more time so im fine.

My work week got longer by subtracting 2.5 hours out of my work week. It's perverse. By not allowing me to meet with students — at a time when I used to meet with them — I now need to squeeze those meetings into parts of the week — and this is problematic for students as well

On any other day I have lunch around noon, then head back to my school and prepare for class starting at 2:00. The extra half hour does absolutely nothing for my health or well-being.

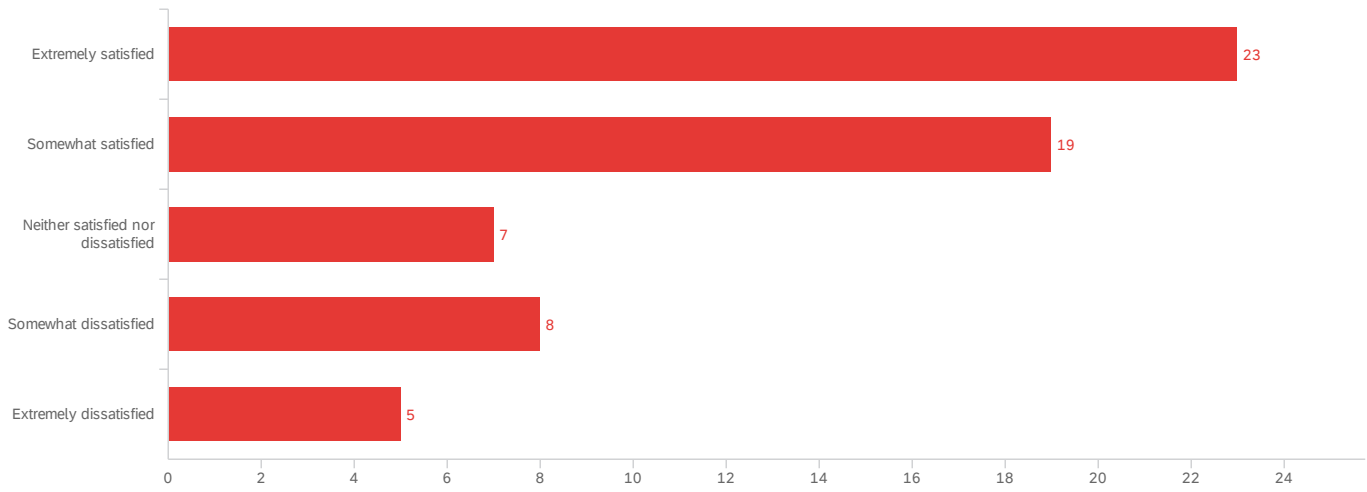
As I have previously stated, it's just another work period.

Intermission does nothing for faculty's wellbeing. I don't think it was intended to. It makes scheduling some committee work easier, but more work is less health and wellbeing.

Does not effect it.

Means that I am stuck in class until late at night

Q3.1 - How satisfied are you with Collaborative Days?



Field	Choice Count
Extremely satisfied	37.10% 23
Somewhat satisfied	30.65% 19
Somewhat dissatisfied	12.90% 8
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	11.29% 7
Extremely dissatisfied	8.06% 5
	62

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Q3.2 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

This is an actual break from class

They're just kinda of "there" if you don't have any preplanned ideas it's just a freeday to rest up.

They just make sense. Great days to catch up on productions

The ones on Tuesday and in the middle of the week like that make it hard to re-adjust to the work week.

It's the perfect time to schedule doctors appointments or other important meetings

It's nice to have days off and I do indeed tend to hang out with my friends on those days, but mainly we use them to do homework together or work on personal projects

It's nice to have our brains learn something new. I enjoy these days.

It's hard to find times to have film meetings, and days like these you can fit a bunch of meeting in.

It definitely helps with catching up on work or having free time with friends.

I think those would be more beneficial towards the middle of the week

I love having a day off, it makes the day nice to actually take a break.

I like to have a scheduled break day. They don't always turn into a break but they're nice nonetheless. I also don't know if anyone really collaborates on these days that much, from my experience I just see people sleeping more.

Having the day off everyone once in a while means I can get work done, shoot films with other students, enjoy time with friends, and enjoy my time in campus while not in class. It's great!

Having an entire day off gives me the mental break and flexibility to have a break.

Feels more like a break day than a day where any collaboration happens

Events happen, fun things on campus

Day off and able to schedule other films during that time

Collaborative days should last ALL day, not just for a few hours.

Q3.3 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

When we have more than one section, this puts everything out of sync

Stupid questions like this, which have already been answered.

I'm just getting used to being here and my schedule, so it is hard to say.

Collaborative days seemingly do nothing for the animation program.

Collaborative days fill contrived, time-consuming and utterly unfulfilling

I haven't seen any value arising from these days. They disrupt the semester, classes, and don't seem to serve any purpose.

Presenters not prepared with new information. Time would be better spent with professors being able to collaborate.

This is an additional pressure to attend programming when I am trying to get through classes/admin/practicums and creative research. If I have the time and availability to collaborate across campus, I also need the flexibility to schedule it.

My schedule is already overloaded, and it puts additional pressure on the rest of the week to have to carve out that time.

Collaborative days usually end up happening when I don't have any classes/only one class anyway, but I do not mind. Plus, they haven't exactly been "collaborative" days, they are usually just days off from class.

I didn't get a chance to participate in any activities because they weren't advertised very well.

Already mentioned—the plan is perverse. I know have to try to do the same amount of work but it less hours.

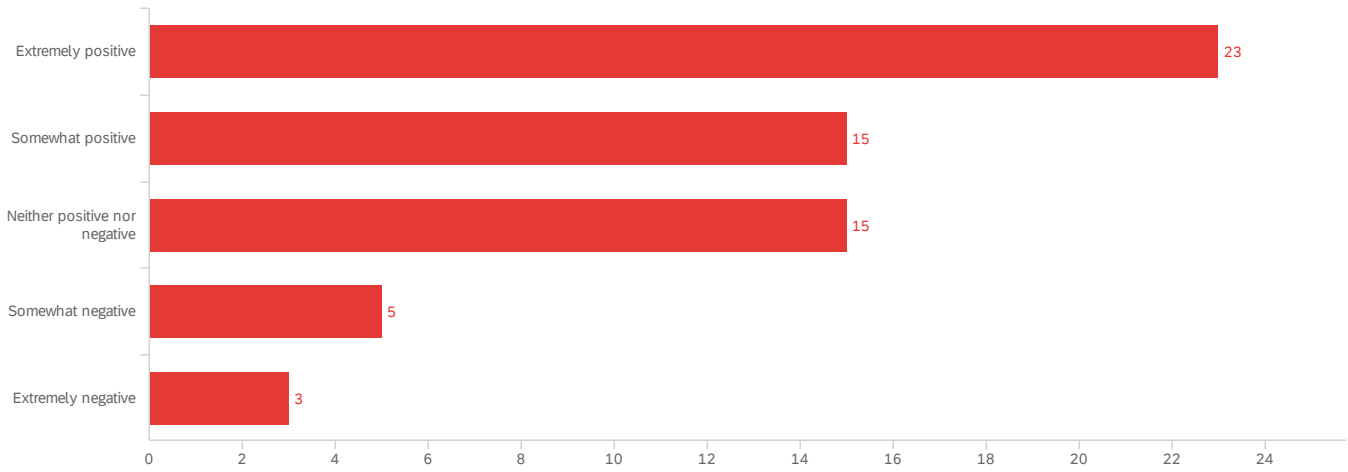
Collaborative days are usually on the same day I wish they where on different days of the week

The collaborative days are useless and in fact, extremely disruptive to our schedule. An Example. In the fall we have a class that consists of six sections. Two sections run consecutively on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. The Thursday collaborative day caused the afternoon section that day to have one session less than the other sections. To keep the course content and learning outcomes consistent the 5 other sections had to have their class sessions reduced as well.

They seem pretty pointless. My time could be much better spent as a typical workday.

None of them were used for things that benefitted or interested me.

Q3.4 - How would you rate the impact of Collaborative Days on your health and wellbeing?



Field	Choice Count
Extremely positive	37.70% 23
Somewhat positive	24.59% 15
Neither positive nor negative	24.59% 15
Somewhat negative	8.20% 5
Extremely negative	4.92% 3
	61

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Q3.5 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

This is useful, once again, when I am trying to collaborate with other students and I have opposing schedules.

Sometimes I already didn't have class on these days

Same as last question.

Less stress because I have time to get homework done

It's nice to have a break!

It's great to have a break from classes where I get to fuel my brain a bit.

I use collaborative days to catch up on work and/or take a break

Always a good chance to spend time with people or catch up on work

Q3.6 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

fixed programming on a fixed schedule is very difficult to manage

They result in me having one less week to cover material in class, and as of yet, there has been nothing scheduled during these days that I find worthwhile. These days feel like we're doing something for the sake of doing something, or more cynically, they feel like something that is being implemented so that someone can put something on their resume.

They have no impact on my well-being.

The mandatory meetings and workshops just feel like punishments.

The additional stress of having to re-allocate an entire day of the week has a direct impact on my health and wellbeing. Every day is already fully accounted for.

In all respect, t's a nothing burger. I think it creates resentment as it is a disrupting, arbitrary, mandate that seems to tick some bureaucratic box that holds little to no meaning for the faculty.

Im fine if we had a class day but sometimes its a nice "oh yay we have off today"

I've covered the influences.

I usually already have those days off

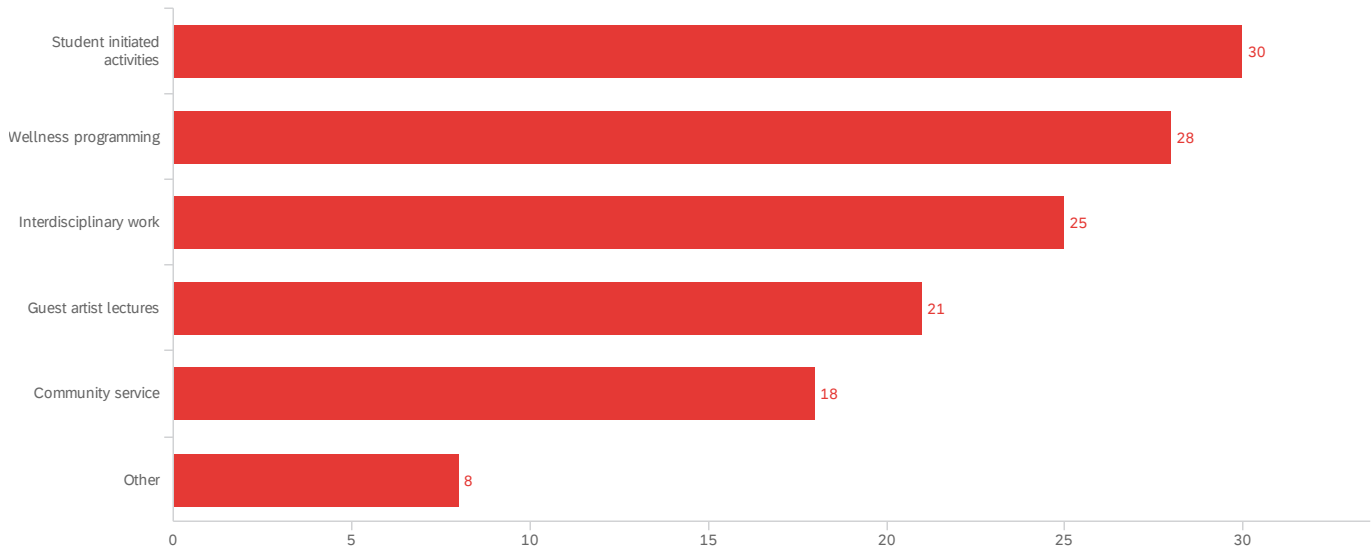
I like going to class.

Does not really effect that.

Again, more work scheduling

Q3.7 - What type of programming would you like to see for Collaborative Days? Select all

that apply.



Field	Choice Count
Student initiated activities	23.08% 30
Wellness programming	21.54% 28
Interdisciplinary work	19.23% 25
Guest artist lectures	16.15% 21
Community service	13.85% 18
Other	6.15% 8

130

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Q3.7_6_TEXT - Other

Other

I'd like these time-wasting, unnecessary work-creating days eliminated

No activities that force us to commit to projects we don't want to do. Why not let us decide how we best want to spend our time.

I prefer to engage in collaboration according to my own schedule.

Interdisciplinary Faculty Artistic Collaboration Projects

Other

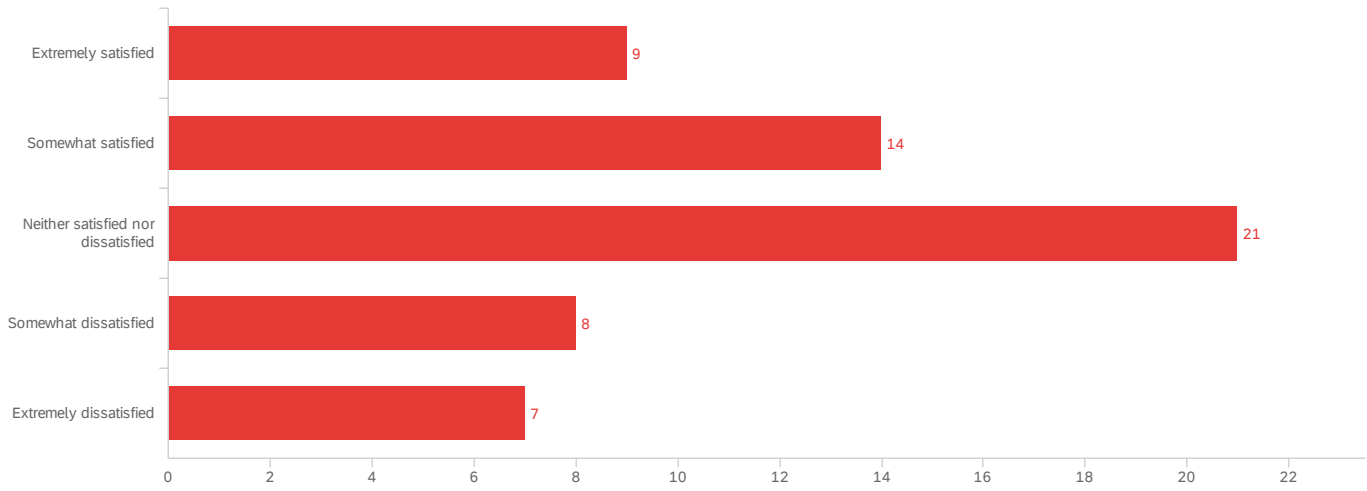
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entry level dance/ stretching

None

Anything. They were so poorly planned and communicated.

Q4.1 - How satisfied are you with the Monday/Thursday and Tuesday/Friday DLA class schedule rotation?



Field	Choice Count
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	35.59% 21
Somewhat satisfied	23.73% 14
Extremely satisfied	15.25% 9
Somewhat dissatisfied	13.56% 8
Extremely dissatisfied	11.86% 7
	59

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Q4.2 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

It's nice to have breaks in the days between classes, especially since I am not particularly motivated by my DLA

It hasn't ever affected me negatively, but I have friends in other schools than film who find it inconvenient.

I like that DLA classes are before noon.

I always do Tuesday/Friday because films go out on Mondays so I have to keep that time free.

Arts free Wednesday mornings have been very useful. They've allowed another time block to be utilized by students and faculty during normal business hours.

Q4.3 - What factors influenced your response?

What factors influenced your response?

Messes with our weekend shoots. Our films shoot Sat-Mon and equipment is given out on Fridays and returned on Tuesdays.

I wish the DLAs would move the schedule back to Monday/Wednesday and Tuesday/thursday

This does not affect me.

I do not take dla classes

With film, we are on set on Monday's. So DLA classes from 8-11:30am disturb our schedules a lot. . Same with DLA's on Friday's and Tuesdays in the morning. However load-out/in should be at 11:30am for film... so that's more of a film question.

It is what it is.

I would rather the rotation go back to Monday/Wednesday & Tuesday/Thursday

I like to pack my classes into a few days, and a lot of my classes are on Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday, so I just have a random DLA on Friday or Monday and there's no way to pack it in

For the most part, I have no need to drive to campus on Mondays or Fridays, or the classes are significantly earlier than all of my other classes. Wednesdays are a day that I always need to go to campus, so I will be there anyway. Additionally, the way the film school is setup is that Mondays need to be clear for set weekends, but Tuesday and Friday mornings need to be somewhat clear to allow for equipment movement. So having the only options being either a Monday class you may have to find a way to commute to school from set for, or Tuesdays and Fridays both being blocked off so only students with no DLA classes can help with equipment load in and load out, which removes a good portion of students that need to help. It entices students to skip class because there is no convenient DLA time with this setup, and no one else will be able to load out the equipment if all students are in class.

I don't see the impact on the population I teach.

Films are scheduled on Mondays. Have to pick between class or film. D&P gets to skip but film doesn't.

Evil. Give people Fridays off. I get that they are supposed to work in collaboration with intermission, but I do not like intermission. I would rather have Fridays off. Long weekend!!

10am is early but really not a problem

I have no idea what this is.

I don't take DLAs anymore.

I don't have a stake in this. As long as my students can get the classes they need (AND the rest they need) DLA can have whatever days they want.

Very bad schedule wise for the Film school. Messes us up big time.

The new DLA schedule has meant that no matter which class I sign up for, I am put at a disadvantage with Production Load Out and being on set for productions. I have to avoid taking classes that fall on Mondays so they don't conflict with filming, but now this means I have to miss load out

What factors influenced your response?

instead on Fridays. Since I'm not excused from class for production, but also can't afford to miss production, me and many other cinematography students are at a big disadvantage now.

I don't like the two day gap because back when it was a one day gap all my classes fit into 3 back to back weekdays and I had full days to work Monday and Friday

End of Report