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Dear Colleagues,

Below are important updates for March 5, 2021.

- **Wellness Day.** The university altered this semester's calendar by eliminating the traditional week-long spring break to restrain the spread of COVID-19 by curbing travel. We recognize, however, the universal need for a break during the spring, so we built in three days throughout the semester when classes will not be held.

The next scheduled day is Friday, March 12. On this day, there will be **no class meetings**, regardless of delivery mode, and university offices will be closed. So that you may truly use this time to relax and recharge, we again remind you that there should be **no assignments due or any meetings related to class** on this date. Please consider how to best ensure you and your students are able to benefit from the intended day of rest.

- **Stick to the Schedule.** Please remember that faculty must keep their class meeting times and locations consistent with the official class schedule. Do not schedule exams, including final exams, or any other class activities at any alternate times. There are more details in the [Faculty Handbook](#).

Best wishes,
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