

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SIXTY-FIRST SESSION**



BILL NO. 61-103

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A BILL TO: Advocate for MSU to Prevent Homework From Being Assigned or Due During Student Breaks and Official Holidays

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, Student breaks are designated periods meant for rest, recovery, and personal well-being, allowing students to recharge mentally, emotionally, and physically; and,

WHEREAS, Assigning homework or setting deadlines during student breaks contradicts the intended purpose of these breaks, placing undue stress on students and limiting their ability to fully disconnect from academic responsibilities; and,

WHEREAS, Research has shown that proper rest and detachment from academic work contribute to improved mental health, better cognitive functioning, and overall student success; therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of Michigan State University (ASMSU) formally advocates for the implementation of a policy preventing faculty from assigning homework or scheduling deadlines during official university-designated breaks, including but not limited to Fall Break, Thanksgiving Break, Winter Break, and Spring Break; therefore be it further,

RESOLVED, That ASMSU urges Michigan State University administration, including the Office of the Provost, and relevant academic governing bodies, to review and

adopt such a policy to support student well-being and academic success.

INTRODUCED ON 03.27.2025

REFERRED TO Academic COMMITTEE ON 03.20.2025

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN _____ DATE _____

COMMITTEE ACTION	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice Majority</u>	<u>03.20.2025</u>
	PASSED	FAILED	VOTE	DATE

FINAL ACTION TAKEN	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice Majority</u>	<u>03.27.2025</u>
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