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AT THE SPRING REGULAR SESSION OF
Two Thousand and Twenty-Two

S.G.R. 1

ENGROSSED

AUTHORED BY SENATOR(S):

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A Resolution

To Urge and Request LSU to extend Concentrated Study Period, also known as "Dead Week," from five (5) days to seven (7) days to now begin on Monday instead of Wednesday.

- 1 WHEREAS, dead week currently begins on a Wednesday;-and
 - 2 WHEREAS, that leaves space for large assignments and exams to be
 - 3 due that Monday and Tuesday; and
 - 4 WHEREAS, this causes stress during the Fall Semester and over
 - 5 Thanksgiving Break; and
 - 6 WHEREAS, concentrated study period has turned into a way for
 - 7 professors to overload students with last minute assignments; and
 - 8 WHEREAS, by altering the dates, students are given a whole week to
 - 9 prep for finals week without the possibility of another exam or
 - 10 assignment that should not be within a week of a final; and
 - 11 WHEREAS, this is an effective way to ensure students go into finals
 - 12 week with as little stress as possible.
 - 13
 - 14 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LOUISIANA STATE
 - 15 UNIVERSITY STUDENT SENATE, that Student Government requests
 - 16 LSU to extend the Concentrated Study Period to begin on a Monday.
 - 17
 - 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION
 - 19 BE SUBMITTED TO Dr. Lee, Interim Executive Vice President &
 - 20 Provost, Dr. Bach, Acting Vice Provost for Academic Programs &
 - 21 Support Services, LSU Faculty Senate, and Registrar Office.
- SGR 1**

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22 THIS RESOLUTION SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE by a
23 simple majority (one-half plus one) vote of the LSU Student Senate and
24 signature by the Student Body President, upon lapse of time for
25 presidential action, or if vetoed by the President and subsequently
26 approved by the Senate, on the date of such approval.

APPROVED:



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ALEXANDRA BASSE
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

DATE: 2/22/22



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JAVIN BOWMAN
STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

DATE: 02/22/21