



1 **Associated Student Government**
2 *University of Arkansas*

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4 *ASG Senate Resolution No. 5*
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10 **A Resolution to restrict the scheduling of examinations on weekends**

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12 Whereas, Professors can assign online tests on weekends which may
13 only be taken in a given interval of time; and
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15 Whereas, Some students travel to their homes for the weekends to
16 spend time with their families and may not have access to
17 internet; and
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19 Whereas, Many students attend religious services on the weekend and
20 having a test scheduled for the weekend may prevent them
21 from that; and
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23 Whereas, Students may have previously planned activities for the
24 weekend which end up being cancelled as a result of the
25 assignment of a test; and
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27 Whereas, Other institutions such as The University of Florida, Purdue
28 University, and Carnegie Mellon University have policies
29 that restrict the scheduling of examinations on Saturdays
30 and Sundays; and
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32 Whereas, Tests can be set to be taken during the regular class time or
33 at an agreed outside of class time Monday-Friday; then
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36 Be it therefore resolved: The University of Arkansas Associated Student
37 Government Senate suggests the Office of the
38 Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for
39 Academic Affairs to restrict the scheduling of
40 examinations solely on weekends with the
41 exception of make-up tests and solely online
42 classes; and
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44 Be it further and finally resolved: A copy of this resolution will be sent to the
45 Office of the Provost and Executive Vice
46 Chancellor for Academic Affairs, Faculty
47 Senate Chair Fran Hagstrom
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50 Amendments: _____

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52 Vote Count: Aye 49 Nay 1 Abstentions _____

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54 Legislation Status: Passed Failed _____ Other _____

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56 Kianna Sarvestani 11-21-2019

57 Kianna Sarvestani, ASG Chair of the Senate

Date

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59 Jared Pinkerton 11-21-2019

60 Jared Pinkerton, ASG President

Date