

Balancing a Pedagogy of Care and Self-Care when Teaching Writing Online

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Pedagogy of Care

Caring for students as
humans on the other side
of the computer.

Flexibility

Understanding

Typical Self-Care Suggestions

- Say “no” to others
- Protect your time
- Get enough sleep
- Reduce stress
- Get organized
- Find ways to relax

Other Roles We Play

- Caregiver
- Romantic Partner
- Friend
- Child
- Parent
- Researcher
- Administrator
- Etc.

Care Within Boundaries

Care

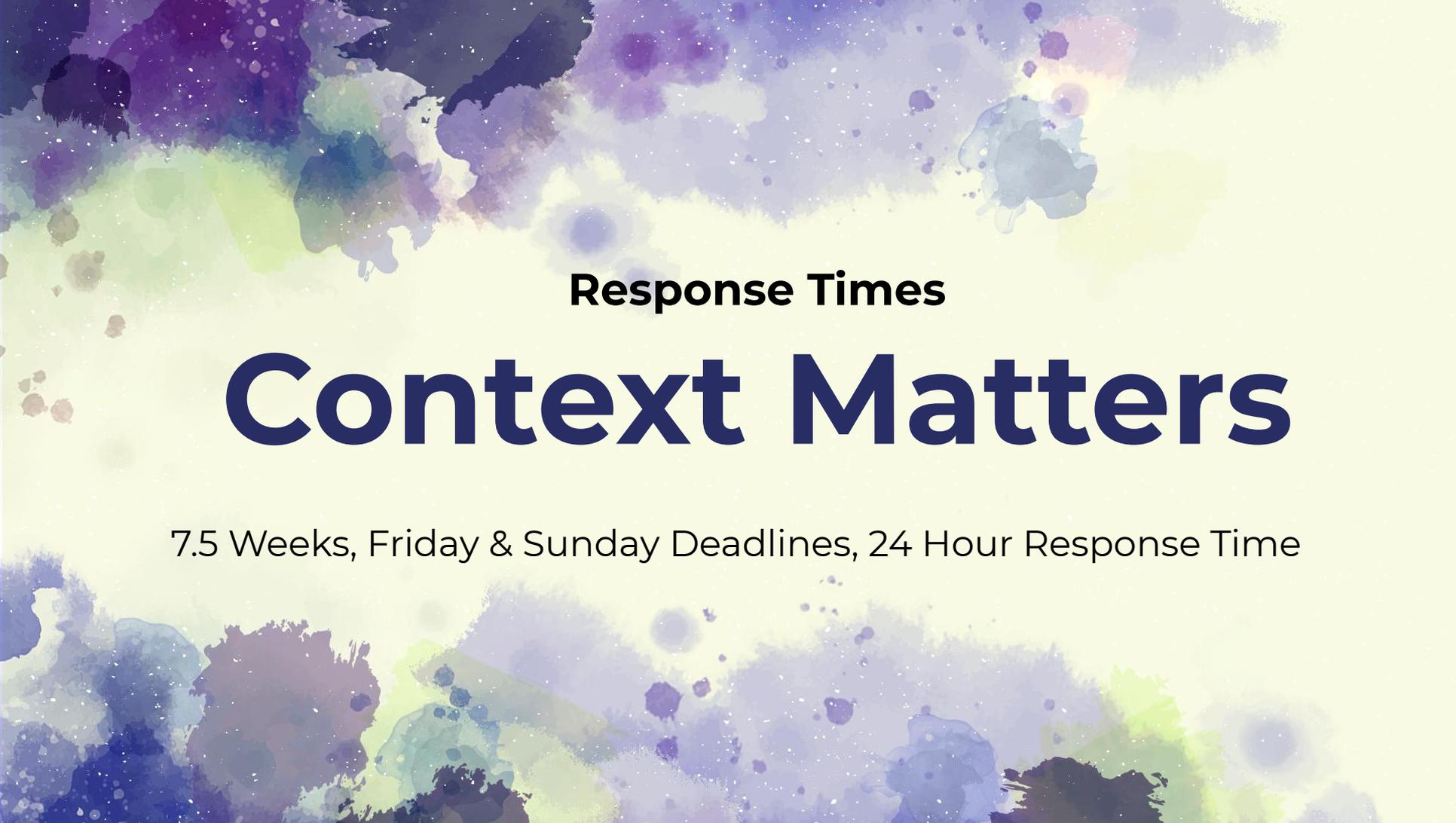
- Open Lines of Communication
- Accepting Late work
- Grading and giving feedback on late work

Boundary

- With specific parameters for response
- What, how, when of accepting late work
- When, how, and what of grading and feedback on latework



**Takes as
Much as
You'll Give**



Response Times

Context Matters

7.5 Weeks, Friday & Sunday Deadlines, 24 Hour Response Time



TIME TO LURK



What and How of Feedback

- Rubrics?
- Invention work?
- Drafts only?
- Finals only?
- Specific discussions?

Be Strategic

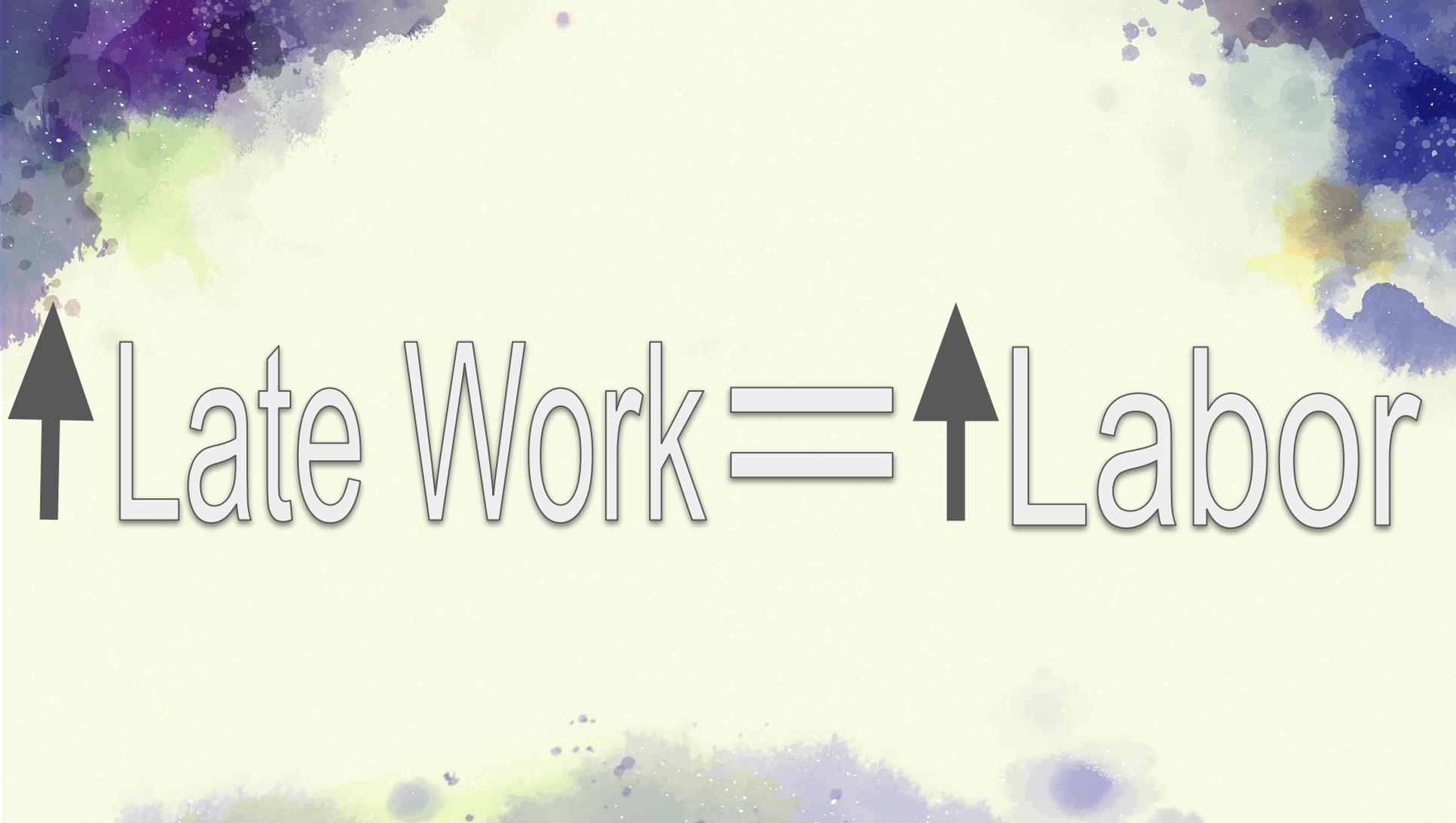
Don't Do it All

The background is a vibrant watercolor wash. It features a central area of bright yellow and white, surrounded by soft, blended splashes of purple, blue, and green. The colors are layered and textured, creating a dreamy, ethereal atmosphere. The overall effect is one of artistic fluidity and depth.

Boundaries within Requirements



**Late
Work!**



↑ Late Work = ↑ Labor

Late Work Policy

Most work (major projects, homework, etc.) that is turned in late may be accepted and earn up to full credit. Final grades are posted 48 hours after the final project is due, and no late work will be accepted after grades are posted.

Late homework assignments can be submitted anytime through the end of the module in which they were assigned. No questions asked. However, if you are submitting work late, you **MUST** fill out the Late Work Form in order to receive credit for it.

My late work grading day is Tuesday. If your late work is not submitted before 9am PT on Tuesdays, then I'll grade it the following Tuesday.

Late major projects and late work beyond the end of a module are handled on a case-by-case basis. Please reach out!

Late Work

Full Name

Your answer

Assignments that need to be graded

Your answer

Submit

	A	B	C	D
1	Timestamp		Assignments that need to be graded	
2	12/1/2017 19:11:09		DD12HW1T4: Submit Final, Polished Version o	
3	12/2/2017 1:15:22		DD12HW2T1: Comment on Project #3 Link	
4	12/2/2017 15:14:14		DD9-DD10 as I redid them.	
5	12/3/2017 18:35:42		dd12hw2t1 and dd12hw2t2	
6	12/5/2017 19:57:49		DD13HW3: Analyze Sample Reflection Essay	
7	12/6/2017 4:59:29		DD13HW4: Draft Your Portfolio Reflection Essay	
8	12/6/2017 20:05:40		DD1HW2: Understanding Writing Assignments 19	
9	12/6/2017 20:38:37		197B DD2HW1: Reflecting on Disciplines	
10	12/6/2017 20:59:12		197B DD3HW1 Revising Paragraphs	
11	12/6/2017 22:34:07		DD1HW2T2: Understand Disciplinarity	
12	12/6/2017 22:56:48		DD1HW3T2: Start with the End	
13	12/6/2017 23:12:19		DD3HW5: Generate Search Terms	
14	12/6/2017 23:36:36		DD3HW2: Punctuation	
15	12/7/2017 2:58:53		DD10HW4: Outline Your Draft	
16	12/9/2017 3:15:44		DD12HW2T2: Reflect Upon Module 2	
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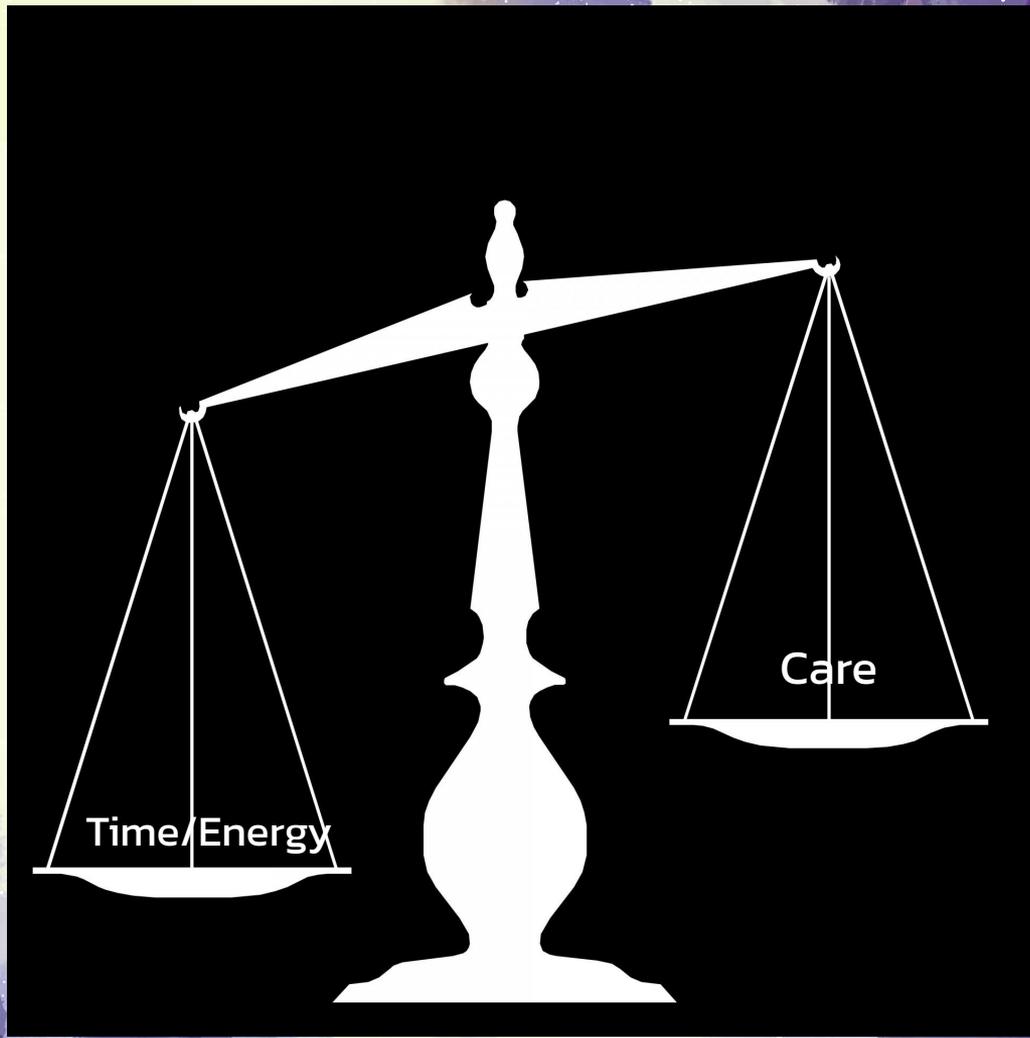
Changes every term, depending on my schedule

When is feedback on late work useful?

- Depends on your class, but potentially:
 - When it can be used on future drafts
 - When it's a larger writing concern students can apply outside of class



Strategic Feedback



Time/Energy

Care