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Mid-Year Momentum: What Will You Do Differently?

- Half the year is behind us—but the best half can still be ahead. Use this moment to reflect and make strategic choices.

Ask yourself:

1. What’s working that you want to double down on?
2. What’s not—and can you let it go?
3. What is one bold idea you’ve been afraid to try?

A mid-year is not a reset button—it’s a refinement opportunity.



Reimagining the Syllabus: More Than a Contract

Your syllabus sets the tone for your course. Instead of just listing policies, consider using it to:

- Embed inclusive language that reflects student care.

- Add a welcome video or personal message.
- Highlight your personal teaching philosophy.

  Students read what they feel is written for them, not at them.

From “Busy” to Balanced: Mastering Task Triage

Feeling like your to-do list is a runaway train?

Try this 3-step Triage Method:

1. Must Do: Urgent and important.
2. Should Do: Important, but flexible timing.
3. Could Do: Nice to complete, but not essential.

Bonus Tip: Review weekly. Say “no” with confidence and clarity.

The Power of Peer Learning Circles

Faculty development doesn’t have to be top-down. Peer learning circles can:

- Build community and connection.
- Help surface real-world solutions.
- Improve teaching, research, and resilience.

Start one by inviting 3 colleagues for a monthly hour.

No agenda. Just purpose.

Message of the Month: Progress Is the Proof

You don’t have to be perfect. You don’t have to do it all.

But if you’re better today than you were last month—**that’s success**.

Progress is the proof:

- Of your growth
- Of your grit
- Of your greatness

Keep building momentum. The future is watching you.