This Friday, October 24th, is the LAST day to drop a course and get an automatic W! After October 24th students will have to petition the Dean for permission to withdraw from courses. Students are allowed 5 Ws while undergraduate students at OU and at this point will not receive a refund for any courses dropped. Ws also count against total hours for the academic year when calculating banked hours for the summer. While Ws do go on transcripts, they are neutral in value and therefore do not affect GPAs.

Students who need to drop a course will need to come by Wagner Hall room 100 to fill out a drop-slip and meet with an advisor. Things to consider before meeting with an advisor are:

- How the withdrawal will affect your enrolled hours (e.g. will you drop to part-time?);
- The total hours you need for financial aid, scholarships, social organizations, insurance etc.;
- How withdrawing will affect course progression (e.g. is the course a pre-requisite for a spring course?);
- The probability of raising your grade (your professor or TA can help with this);
- Anything else that might be affected by withdrawing from the course.