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**Discussion Starters**  
Consider starting the discussion by asking:

* Now that we’re in Week 12, how do you think this semester has been going?
* How are you feeling about things in your course so far?
* Have there been any unexpected challenges in terms of the assignments you’ve completed since we last talked about it?

**Topic Focus**

***How are things at this point in the semester?***

Similar to the Week 7 discussion, this week focuses on guiding students in thinking about the end of their semester. Reflection at this point of the semester not only involves predicting a grade, but also considering whether withdrawing with a W makes sense for some students.

**Discussion Questions**

To guide this week’s discussion, consider asking some of the following questions:

* How are you feeling about your class and the grade you expect?
  + Is this different from what you predicted in Week 7?
* Is this the kind of grade that you want on your transcript?
  + If not, have you considered withdrawing with a W instead of a lower grade?
  + When is the withdrawal deadline for your course?
* Have you considered the benefits and drawbacks of taking a W?

**Week 12: Reflect and Grade Check**

**Next Steps**

To prepare for next week, ask students to:

* Consider which steps they need to take to finish out their semester strong.
* Start planning for big assignments and thinking about the grade they want to receive on them.

Notes

Student Name:

Course: