Whereas faculty have no control over whether students choose to show up to class or submit their work, whereas students are more likely to drop classes that are elective rather than needed for their major (hence impacting general education offerings), whereas faculty are ethically responsible to reflect the level of mastery of the subject that any given student attains in their subject, and whereas that statistic does not reveal why students dropped the class, the use of DFW rates to assess any course offering or faculty member will be barred.