Instructor FCQ Administration Preferences
January 2018 survey results

1,230 total instructors responded*
67% of all respondents preferred a week 14 administration

Week 14 vs. week 15: Responses by campus

**Boulder**
- 744 responses
- 31% Week 15
- 69% Week 14

**Denver**
- 235 responses
- 33% Week 15
- 67% Week 14

**Colorado Springs**
- 205 responses
- 38% Week 15
- 62% Week 14

Week 14 vs. week 15: Top 3 reasons given

**Week 14 votes**
- Higher response rates: 545 votes
- Better for students: 486 votes
- Better for student comments: 334 votes

**Week 15 votes**
- Higher response rates: 177 votes
- Better for students: 172 votes
- Better for lecture time: 148 votes

Comments in favor of week 14 administration

“I believe that doing FCQs in week 14 still allows students to evaluate the course in full. Furthermore, students are less stressed during that week and week 15 is usually devoted to prepare students for the final exam.”

“Students are overwhelmed during the last week of classes. Offering access in Week 14 allows instructors to remind students several times in lecture and offer incentives as necessary to increase participation.”

“The last week is usually carefully structured for presentations and there is not a lot of extra time.”

Length of administration

8 days

As a result of the survey, the FCQ program will offer an eight-day administration window for 15-week courses, starting administration during week 14.

Vote breakdown
- 8 days - 405 votes
- 5 days - 401 votes
- 12 days - 203 votes
- 10 days - 200 votes

*Instructors were not required to answer all questions.*