

Hi, I'm Dr. Calandra Davis, a Math Customer Success Specialist at Pearson and part of our Faculty Advisement team.

This point in the semester is a great time to check on how your students are performing. It's early enough in the semester to provide encouragement for students who are doing well, or to light a bit of a fire under students who may need a little extra encouragement before it's too late.

There are a number of features in MyLab that can help in this endeavor. Among these features are

- Item Analysis that you can use to determine which questions students are struggling with in assignments. You can see the average time spent per problem as well as the number of students who got the questions right or wrong. Using Item Analysis is a great way to develop targeted instruction on topics students may need additional help with.
- Use Manage Incompletes to quickly submit scores for past due assignments. This is especially important to stay on top of because students can only review past due assignments that have a grade submitted.
- Search and Email by Criteria makes it easy to identify and email students using criteria you define. Some of the search criteria available are performance on a specific assignment and number of days since a student has last logged in.

Fortunately, we have videos, like our Teach with MyLab video, that go into detail on how to access the features I mentioned and so many more. These videos are available on our Platform training & support website.

Thanks for your time, and I hope you have a great rest of the semester.