The current Framingham State University pass/fail policy is suspended for spring 2020 semester. In response to the Covid-19 crisis, for this semester only, students may choose to change any or all (including general education and/or major courses) of their course grades to pass/fail for the spring 2020 semester only. Students must notify the Office of the University Registrar of their intention to change a course to course pass/fail within two weeks of the final posting of grades. Courses taken pass/fail in the Spring 2020 semester will not contribute to the total allowable pass/fail courses a student may take. Requirements for a C- (1.7) or better as pre-requisites or passing grades for the courses requested to be Pass/Fail, if any, will be waived. The University will provide advice to students concerning the impact of Pass/Fail on their academic standing, financial aid, or specific concerns dictated by accreditation requirements for a major.

Justification:
This policy is designed to reduce the stress on students as they complete the Spring 2020 semester. We are working with financial aid to ensure that this will not have a negative impact on students. All instructors, including those in Introduction to College Writing and Expository Writing, should submit the letter grade earned by the student.