

The suggested procedure for establishing a Faculty Senate is

1. Present the idea at a MDEA meeting. If many members are in favor of the idea, form a committee to set up the Senate. The committee's work will be to review the standard bylaws and edit them as necessary to fit the site's characteristics.
2. Committee meets to edit bylaws
3. Committee presents proposed bylaws at the next MDEA meeting.
4. MDEA member vote to ratify bylaws
5. Election of Two Senate Representatives.
 - a. NOTE: MDEA Reps are not expected to be Senate Representatives but can be if they wish.
6. Senate Representatives hold first Senate Meeting to hear staff concerns.