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CALENDARS

Actions Requested: Consider approval of the following calendars:

1. University of Iowa Academic Year and Summer Session Calendars for 2010-2011.
2. Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School Calendar for the 2006-2007 Academic Year.

Executive Summary: In accordance with the Board of Regents Policy Manual (§6.12), the calendars for the University of Iowa and the Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School are presented for consideration.

Five-year calendars are updated yearly by the University of Iowa. The Board is asked to consider the calendar for 2010-2011. The calendar is shown in Attachment A.

The Iowa Braille and Sight School calendar (Attachment B) complies with state law and Board of Regents policy. The calendar includes 180 days for student learning during the standard school year. The school calendar closely follows the Vinton/Shellsburg Community School calendar.

FIVE-YEAR UNIVERSITY CALENDARS
The University of Iowa
For 2006-07, 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11*

| <u>First Semester</u> | <u>Approved</u> <u>2006-2007</u> | <u>Approved</u> <u>2007-2008</u> | <u>Approved</u> <u>2008-2009</u> | <u>Approved</u> <u>2009-2010</u> | <u>Proposed</u> <u>2010-2011</u> |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| Opening of Classes 7:30 a.m. | August 21 Monday | August 27 Monday | August 25 Monday | August 24 Monday | August 23 Monday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | September 4 Monday | September 3 Monday | September 1 Monday | September 7 Monday | September 6 Monday |
| Thanksgiving Recess 5:00 p.m., Saturday (Colleges of Liberal Arts & Sciences, Business, Engineering, Education, Nursing, Pharmacy, Public Health, School of Management and the Graduate College) | November 18 Saturday | November 17 Saturday | November 22 Saturday | November 21 Saturday | November 20 Saturday |
| Thanksgiving Recess 10:00 p.m., Tuesday (Colleges of Medicine, Law and Dentistry) | November 21 Tuesday | November 20 Tuesday | November 25 Tuesday | November 24 Tuesday | November 23 Tuesday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | November 23 Thursday | November 22 Thursday | November 27 Thursday | November 26 Thursday | November 25 Thursday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | November 24 Friday | November 23 Friday | November 28 Friday | November 27 Friday | November 26 Friday |
| Resumption of Classes 7:30 a.m. | November 27 Monday | November 26 Monday | December 1 Monday | November 30 Monday | November 29 Monday |
| Close of First Semester Classes 10:00 p.m. | December 8 Friday | December 14 Friday | December 12 Friday | December 11 Friday | December 10 Friday |
| Beginning of Examination Week 7:30 a.m. | December 11 Monday | December 17 Monday | December 15 Monday | December 14 Monday | December 13 Monday |
| Close of Examination Week | December 15 Friday | December 21 Friday | December 19 Friday | December 18 Friday | December 17 Friday |
| Commencement (Graduate College) | December 15 Friday | December 21 Friday | December 19 Friday | December 18 Friday | December 17 Friday |
| (Undergraduate Colleges) | December 16 Saturday | December 22 Saturday | December 20 Saturday | December 19 Saturday | December 18 Saturday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | December 25 Monday | December 24 Monday | December 25 Thursday | December 24 Thursday | December 23 Thursday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | December 26 Tuesday | December 25 Tuesday | December 26 Friday | December 25 Friday | December 24 Friday |

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| <u>Winter Session</u> | <u>2006-2007</u> | <u>2007-2008</u> | <u>2008-2009</u> | <u>2009-2010</u> | <u>2010-2011</u> |
| Opening of Classes 7:30 a.m. | December 27 Wednesday | December 26 Wednesday | December 29 Monday | December 28 Monday | December 27 Monday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | January 1 Monday | January 1 Tuesday | January 1 Thursday | January 1 Friday | December 31 Friday |
| Close of Classes 10:00 p.m. | January 12 Friday | January 18 Friday | January 16 Friday | January 15 Friday | January 14 Friday |
| <u>Second Semester</u> | <u>2006-2007</u> | <u>2007-2008</u> | <u>2008-2009</u> | <u>2009-2010</u> | <u>2010-2011</u> |
| University Holiday Martin Luther King, Jr. Offices Closed | January 15 Monday | January 21 Monday | January 19 Monday | January 18 Monday | January 17 Monday |
| Opening of Classes 7:30 a.m. | January 16 Tuesday | January 22 Tuesday | January 20 Tuesday | January 19 Tuesday | January 18 Tuesday |
| Beginning of Spring Vacation 5:00 p.m., Saturday | March 10 Saturday | March 15 Saturday | March 14 Saturday | March 13 Saturday | March 12 Saturday |
| Resumption of Classes 7:30 a.m. | March 19 Monday | March 24 Monday | March 23 Monday | March 22 Monday | March 21 Monday |
| Close of Second Semester Classes 10:00 p.m. | May 4 Friday | May 9 Friday | May 8 Friday | May 7 Friday | May 6 Friday |
| Beginning of Examination Week 7:30 a.m. | May 7 Monday | May 12 Monday | May 11 Monday | May 10 Monday | May 9 Monday |
| Close of Examination Week | May 11 Friday | May 16 Friday | May 15 Friday | May 14 Friday | May 13 Friday |
| <u>University Commencement</u> | | | | | |
| Pharmacy | May 10 Thursday | May 15 Thursday | May 14 Thursday | May 13 Thursday | May 12 Thursday |
| School of Management, Medicine | May 11 Friday | May 16 Friday | May 15 Friday | May 14 Friday | May 13 Friday |
| Business, Graduate, Liberal Arts & Sciences, Law, Nursing | May 12 Saturday | May 17 Saturday | May 16 Saturday | May 15 Saturday | May 14 Saturday |
| Engineering | May 13 Sunday | May 18 Sunday | May 17 Sunday | May 16 Sunday | May 15 Sunday |
| Dentistry | June 8 Friday | TBA | TBA | TBA | TBA |

**The University of Iowa
for Summer Sessions
2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011**

| <u>Summer Session</u> | <u>Approved 2007</u> | <u>Approved 2008</u> | <u>Approved 2009</u> | <u>Approved 2010</u> | <u>Proposed 2011</u> |
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| Opening of Classes 7:00 a.m. (3-week session) | May 14 Monday | May 19 Monday | May 18 Monday | May 17 Monday | May 16 Monday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | May 28 Monday | May 26 Monday | May 25 Monday | May 31 Monday | May 30 Monday |
| Close of 3-Week Summer Session, 10:00 p.m. | June 1 Friday | June 6 Friday | June 5 Friday | June 4 Friday | June 3 Friday |
| Eight-Week Summer Session (8-week session registration) | June 4 Monday | June 9 Monday | June 8 Monday | June 7 Monday | June 6 Monday |
| Opening of Classes 7:00 a.m. (8-week session) | June 5 Tuesday | June 10 Tuesday | June 9 Tuesday | June 8 Tuesday | June 7 Tuesday |
| Six-Week Summer Session (6-week session registration) | June 18 Monday | June 23 Monday | June 22 Monday | June 21 Monday | June 20 Monday |
| Opening of Classes 7:00 a.m. (6-week session) | June 19 Tuesday | June 24 Tuesday | June 23 Tuesday | June 22 Tuesday | June 21 Tuesday |
| University Holiday Offices Closed | July 4 Wednesday | July 4 Friday | July 3 Friday | July 5 Monday | July 4 Monday |
| Close of 8- and 6-Week Summer Sessions, 10:00 p.m. | July 27 Friday | August 1 Friday | July 31 Friday | July 30 Friday | July 29 Friday |

Iowa Braille School 2006-2007 Calendar

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July

- 4 Holiday - Independence Day
- 9 9-28 Summer Session at ISD
- 28 28-29 ISD Summer Family Weekend

August

- 7 7-8 Summer Institute ISD
- 10 10-11 Summer Institute IBS
- 15 New Employee Inservice
- 16 16-18 Employee Workshop
- 20 Faculty 1/2 Day
Student Registration
- 21 First Day of Classes
- 28 School Picture Day

| Aug 2006 | | | | | | |
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September

- 4 Holiday - Labor Day
SB Busing
- 8 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved

October

- 9 Faculty Work Day
Fall Vision Conference
No School
- 10 Faculty Work Day
Fall Vision Conference
No School
SB Busing
- 13 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved
- 27 End of First Quarter - 47 days

| Oct 2006 | | | | | | |
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November

- 10 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved
- 22 HB Busing
- 23 Holiday - Thanksgiving
- 24 Holiday - Thanksgiving

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December

- 8 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved
- 25 Holiday
- 26 Holiday
- 27 27-29 No School

January

- 1 Holiday - New Year's Day
- 2 No School - SB Busing
- 3 Classes Resume
- 12 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved
- End of 2nd Quarter - 46 days
- 15 Holiday - Martin Luther King Day

February

- 9 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved
- 14 Happy's Valentine's Day

March

- 5 No School - Spring Break
- 6 No School - Spring Break
- 7 No School - Spring Break
- 8 No School - Spring Break
- 9 No School - Spring Break
- 23 End of 3rd Quarter - 44 days

April

- 5 HB Busing
- 6 No School
- 9 No School
SB Busing
- 13 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved

May

- 11 2-4 pm Future Planning for Staff
Involved
- 25 End of 4th Quarter - 43 days
- 26 Faculty 1/2 day
Graduation 11 a.m.
- 28 Holiday - Memorial Day
- 29 Faculty Work Day
- 30 Faculty Work Day
- 31 Faculty Work Day

June

- 1 1, 2, 3 Alumni Weekend

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Make-up days, if needed: May 29, 30, 31...

Administration may request Board approval to alter the calendar in order to make up unforeseen lost time.

**Iowa Braille School
2006 - 2007 School Calendar Details**

1. Student Calendar - Quarter and Semester Dates

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|------------------|------------------------|---------|----------------|
| October 27, 2006 | End of First Quarter | 47 Days | |
| January 12, 2007 | End of Second Quarter | 46 Days | |
| | End of First Semester | | 93 Days |
| March 23, 2007 | End of Third Quarter | 44 Days | |
| May 25, 2007 | End of Fourth Quarter | 43 Days | |
| | End of Second Semester | | <u>87 Days</u> |
| | | | 180 Days |

2. Teacher Calendar

Teacher contracts consist of 189 contract days with one additional day for new faculty. The nine extra contract days, in addition to instructional days, (10 extra contract days for new faculty) are listed below.

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| August 15, 2006 | 1 day (for new faculty only) |
| August 16, 2006 | 1 day |
| August 17, 2006 | 1 day |
| August 18, 2006 | 1 day |
| August 20, 2006 | 1/2 day |
| October 5, 2006 | 1 day |
| October 6, 2006 | 1 day |
| May 26, 2007 | 1/2 day |
| May 29, 2007 | 1 day |
| May 30, 2007 | 1 day |
| May 31, 2007 | <u>1 day</u> |
| | 9 days (10 days for new faculty) |

3. 2006/2007 Scheduled Paid Holidays for eligible Merit staff, Institutional Officials and P and S

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| July 4, 2006 | Independence Day |
| September 4, 2006 | Labor Day |
| November 23, 2006 | Thanksgiving Day |
| November 24, 2006 | Holiday |
| December 25, 2006 | Holiday |
| December 26, 2006 | Holiday |
| January 1, 2007 | Holiday, New Year's Day |
| January 15, 2007 | Dr. Martin Luther King's Birthday |
| May 28, 2007 | Memorial Day |

Two additional unscheduled days are accrued as vacation.

This calendar follows as nearly as practical, the Vinton/Shellsburg Community School District Calendar.