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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA ACADEMIC CALENDARS**

**Actions Requested:** Approve the 2007 through 2012 academic calendars at the University of Northern Iowa.

**Executive Summary:** In accordance with the Board of Regents Policy Manual §6.12, the Board is asked to approve academic calendars for the University of Northern Iowa.

The University is asking for amendments of the previously approved academic calendars for 2007 and 2008 and requesting approval of calendars for 2009 through 2012. The amendments would make the two days prior to the current Thanksgiving break period noninstructional days. This action would equalize the fall and spring semesters at 74 instructional days each. These amendments would also align the UNI calendars with those at the University of Iowa and Iowa State University.

The revised calendars and the proposed calendars have been endorsed by the UNI Faculty Senate and student government.

The proposed calendars are attached.

# University of Northern Iowa

## Academic Calendars for 2006 - 2012

	Approved	Amend	Amend	Proposed	Proposed	Proposed	Proposed
Event	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
<b>Spring semesters</b>							
Final registration	Friday January 6	Friday January 5	Friday January 11	Friday January 9	Friday January 8	Friday January 7	Friday January 6
Classes begin 8 a.m.	Monday January 9	Monday January 8	Monday January 14	Monday January 12	Monday January 11	Monday January 10	Monday January 9
MLK observance	Monday January 16	Monday January 15	Monday January 21	Monday January 19	Monday January 18	Monday January 17	Monday January 16
End first half	Friday February 24	Friday February 23	Friday February 29	Friday February 27	Friday February 26	Friday February 25	Friday February 24
Begin second half	Monday February 27	Monday February 26	Monday March 3	Monday March 2	Monday March 1	Monday February 28	Monday February 27
Spring break	M-F March 13-17	M-F March 12-16	M-F March 17-21	M-F March 16-20	M-F March 15-19	M-F March 14-18	M-F March 12-16
Final Exam week	M-F May 1-5	M-F April 30 - May 4	M-F May 5-9	M-F May 4-8	M-F May 3-7	M-F May 2-6	M-F April 30 - May 4
Commencement	Saturday May 6	Saturday May 5	Saturday May 10	Saturday May 9	Saturday May 8	Saturday May 7	Saturday May 5
<b>Summer Sessions</b>							
Begin May session	Monday May 8	Monday May 7	Monday May 12	Monday May 11	Monday May 10	Monday May 9	Monday May 7
Begin first 6 week	Monday May 8	Monday May 7	Monday May 12	Monday May 11	Monday May 10	Monday May 9	Monday May 7
Memorial Day	Monday May 29	Monday May 28	Monday May 26	Monday May 25	Monday May 31	Monday May 30	Monday May 28
End May session	Friday June 2	Friday June 1	Friday June 6	Friday June 5	Friday June 4	Friday June 3	Friday June 1
Begin June session	Monday June 5	Monday June 4	Monday June 9	Monday June 8	Monday June 7	Monday June 6	Monday June 4
Begin 8 week session	Monday June 5	Monday June 4	Monday June 9	Monday June 8	Monday June 7	Monday June 6	Monday June 4
End first 6 week	Friday June 16	Friday June 15	Friday June 20	Friday June 19	Friday June 18	Friday June 17	Friday June 15
Begin second 6 week	Monday June 19	Monday June 18	Monday June 23	Monday June 22	Monday June 21	Monday June 20	Monday June 18
End June session	Friday June 30	Friday June 29	Thursday July 3	Thursday July 2	Friday July 2	Friday July 1	Friday June 29
July 4th observance	Tuesday July 4	Wednesday July 4	Friday July 4	Friday July 3	Monday July 5	Monday July 4	Wednesday July 4
Begin July 4 week	Monday July 3	Monday July 2	Monday July 7	Monday July 6	Tuesday July 6	Tuesday July 5	Monday July 2
End second 6 week	Friday July 28	Friday July 27	Friday August 1	Friday July 31	Friday July 30	Friday July 29	Friday July 27
End July 4 week	Friday July 28	Friday July 27	Friday August 1	Friday July 31	Friday July 30	Friday July 29	Friday July 27
End 8 week session	Friday July 28	Friday July 27	Friday August 1	Friday July 31	Friday July 30	Friday July 29	Friday July 27
<b>Fall semesters</b>							
Final registration	Friday August 18	Friday August 17	Friday August 22	Friday August 21	Friday August 20	Friday August 19	Friday August 17
Classes begin 8 a.m.	Monday August 21	Monday August 20	Monday August 25	Monday August 24	Monday August 23	Monday August 22	Monday August 20
Labor Day	Monday September 4	Monday September 3	Monday September 1	Monday September 7	Monday September 6	Monday September 5	Monday September 3
End first half	Friday October 13	Friday October 19	Friday October 17	Friday October 16	Friday October 15	Friday October 14	Friday October 12
Begin second half	Monday October 16	Monday October 22	Monday October 20	Monday October 19	Monday October 18	Monday October 17	Monday October 15
Thanksgiving break	W-F November 22-24	M-F November 19-23	M-F November 24-28	M-F November 23-27	M-F November 22-26	M-F November 21-25	M-F November 19-23
Final Exam week	M-F December 11-15	M-F December 10-14	M-F December 15-19	M-F December 14-18	M-F December 13-17	M-F December 12-16	M-F December 10-14
Commencement	Saturday December 16	Saturday December 15	Saturday December 20	Saturday December 19	Saturday December 18	Saturday December 17	Saturday December 15