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UNIVERSITY OF IOWA ACADEMIC CALENDARS

Action Requested: Consider approval of the University of Iowa Academic Year and Summer Session Calendar for 2011-2012.

Executive Summary: In accordance with the Board of Regents Policy Manual (§6.12), the calendar for the University of Iowa is presented for consideration.

Five-year calendars are updated yearly by the University of Iowa. The Board is asked to consider the calendar for 2011-2012. The calendar is shown on the following pages.

**FIVE-YEAR UNIVERSITY CALENDARS
The University of Iowa
For 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-2012***

	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Proposed
<u>First Semester</u>	<u>2007-2008</u>	<u>2008-2009</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>	<u>2010-2011</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
Opening of Classes 7:30 a.m.	August 27 Monday	August 25 Monday	August 24 Monday	August 23 Monday	August 22 Monday
University Holiday Offices Closed	September 3 Monday	September 1 Monday	September 7 Monday	September 6 Monday	September 5 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 17 Saturday	November 22 Saturday	November 21 Saturday	November 20 Saturday	November 19 Saturday
Thanksgiving Recess 10:00 p.m., Tuesday (Colleges of Medicine, Law and Dentistry)	November 20 Tuesday	November 25 Tuesday	November 24 Tuesday	November 23 Tuesday	November 22 Tuesday
University Holiday Offices Closed	November 22 Thursday	November 27 Thursday	November 26 Thursday	November 25 Thursday	November 24 Thursday
University Holiday Offices Closed	November 23 Friday	November 28 Friday	November 27 Friday	November 26 Friday	November 25 Friday
Resumption of Classes 7:30 a.m.	November 26 Monday	December 1 Monday	November 30 Monday	November 29 Monday	November 28 Monday
Close of First Semester Classes 10:00 p.m.	December 14 Friday	December 12 Friday	December 11 Friday	December 10 Friday	December 9 Friday
Beginning of Examination Week 7:30 a.m.	December 17 Monday	December 15 Monday	December 14 Monday	December 13 Monday	December 12 Monday
Close of Examination Week	December 21 Friday	December 19 Friday	December 18 Friday	December 17 Friday	December 16 Friday
Commencement (Graduate College)	December 21 Friday	December 19 Friday	December 18 Friday	December 17 Friday	December 16 Friday
(Undergraduate Colleges)	December 22 Saturday	December 20 Saturday	December 19 Saturday	December 18 Saturday	December 17 Saturday
University Holiday Offices Closed	December 24 Monday	December 25 Thursday	December 24 Thursday	December 23 Thursday	December 26 Monday
University Holiday Offices Closed	December 25 Tuesday	December 26 Friday	December 25 Friday	December 24 Friday	December 27 Tuesday

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<u>Winter Session</u>	<u>2007-2008</u>	<u>2008-2009</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>	<u>2010-2011</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
Opening of Classes 7:30 a.m.	December 26 Wednesday	December 29 Monday	December 28 Monday	December 27 Monday	December 28 Wednesday
University Holiday Offices Closed	January 1 Tuesday	January 1 Thursday	January 1 Friday	December 31 Friday	January 2 Monday
Close of Classes 10:00 p.m.	January 18 Friday	January 16 Friday	January 15 Friday	January 14 Friday	January 13 Friday
<u>Second Semester</u>	<u>Approved 2007-2008</u>	<u>Approved 2008-2009</u>	<u>Approved 2009-2010</u>	<u>Approved 2010-2011</u>	<u>Proposed 2011-2012</u>
University Holiday Martin Luther King, Jr. Offices Closed	January 21 Monday	January 19 Monday	January 18 Monday	January 17 Monday	January 16 Monday
Opening of Classes 7:30 a.m.	January 22 Tuesday	January 20 Tuesday	January 19 Tuesday	January 18 Tuesday	January 17 Tuesday
Beginning of Spring Vacation 5:00 p.m., Saturday	March 15 Saturday	March 14 Saturday	March 13 Saturday	March 12 Saturday	March 10 Saturday
Resumption of Classes 7:30 a.m.	March 24 Monday	March 23 Monday	March 22 Monday	March 21 Monday	March 19 Monday
Close of Second Semester Classes 10:00 p.m.	May 9 Friday	May 8 Friday	May 7 Friday	May 6 Friday	May 4 Friday
Beginning of Examination Week 7:30 a.m.	May 12 Monday	May 11 Monday	May 10 Monday	May 9 Monday	May 7 Monday
Close of Examination Week	May 16 Friday	May 15 Friday	May 14 Friday	May 13 Friday	May 11 Friday
<u>University Commencement</u>					
Pharmacy	May 15 Thursday	May 14 Thursday	May 13 Thursday	May 12 Thursday	May 10 Thursday
School of Management, Medicine	May 16 Friday	May 15 Friday	May 14 Friday	May 13 Friday	May 11 Friday
Business, Graduate, Liberal Arts & Sciences, Law, Nursing	May 17 Saturday	May 16 Saturday	May 15 Saturday	May 14 Saturday	May 12 Saturday
Engineering	May 18 Sunday	May 17 Sunday	May 16 Sunday	May 15 Sunday	May 13 Sunday
Dentistry	June 6 Friday	June 5 Friday	June 4 Friday	TBA	TBA

**The University of Iowa
for Summer Sessions
2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012**

<u>Summer Session</u>	<u>Approved 2008</u>	<u>Approved 2009</u>	<u>Approved 2010</u>	<u>Approved 2011</u>	<u>Proposed 2012</u>
Opening of Classes 7:00 a.m. (3-week session)	May 19 Monday	May 18 Monday	May 17 Monday	May 16 Monday	May 14 Monday
University Holiday Offices Closed	May 26 Monday	May 25 Monday	May 31 Monday	May 30 Monday	May 28 Monday
Close of 3-Week Summer Session, 10:00 p.m.	June 6 Friday	June 5 Friday	June 4 Friday	June 3 Friday	June 1 Friday
Eight-Week Summer Session (8-week session registration)	June 9 Monday	June 8 Monday	June 7 Monday	June 6 Monday	June 4 Monday
Opening of Classes 7:00 a.m. (8-week session)	June 10 Tuesday	June 9 Tuesday	June 8 Tuesday	June 7 Tuesday	June 5 Tuesday
Six-Week Summer Session (6-week session registration)	June 23 Monday	June 22 Monday	June 21 Monday	June 20 Monday	June 18 Monday
Opening of Classes 7:00 a.m. (6-week session)	June 24 Tuesday	June 23 Tuesday	June 22 Tuesday	June 21 Tuesday	June 19 Tuesday
University Holiday Offices Closed	July 4 Friday	July 3 Friday	July 5 Monday	July 4 Monday	July 4 Wednesday
Close of 8- and 6-Week Summer Sessions, 10:00 p.m.	August 1 Friday	July 31 Friday	July 30 Friday	July 29 Friday	July 27 Friday