## CALENDARS

Actions Requested: (1) Consider approval of the holiday calendar for the University of Northern Iowa [2008] and the Iowa School for the Deaf [2007-08]; (2) Consider approval of the 2007-08 academic calendar for the Iowa School for the Deaf.

Executive Summary: In accordance with the Board of Regents Policy Manual (§6.12), the holiday calendars for the University of Northern Iowa and the lowa School for the Deaf are presented for consideration. In agenda item 9, it is proposed that the requirement for Board approval of academic and holiday calendars be revised to require review and approval by the Executive Director rather than the Board.

According to Board policy and various collective bargaining agreements, employees are entitled to eleven holidays. Seven holidays are specified (New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Friday after Thanksgiving and Christmas). Two holidays may be designated by the heads of the institutions. Two holidays are accrued as vacation days. The following calendars are presented.

## University of Northern Iowa

1. New Year's Day
2. Martin Luther King's Birthday
3. Memorial Day
4. Independence Day
5. Labor Day
6. Thanksgiving Day
7. Friday after Thanksgiving
8. Christmas Day
9. University Holiday

Iowa School for the Deaf

1. Independence Day
2. Labor Day
3. Thanksgiving Day
4. Friday after Thanksgiving
5. Winter Holiday
6. Christmas Day
7. Winter Holiday
8. New Year's Day
9. Memorial Day

Thursday, January 1, 2009
Monday, January 19, 2009
Monday, May 25, 2009
Friday, July 3, 2009
Monday, September 7, 2009
Thursday, November 26, 2009
Friday, November 27, 2009
Friday, December 25, 2009
Monday, December 28, 2009

Wednesday, July 4, 2007
Monday, September 3, 2007
Thursday, November 22, 2007
Friday, November 23, 2007
Monday, December 24, 2007
Tuesday, December 25, 2007
Monday, December 31, 2007
Tuesday, January 1, 2008
Monday, May 26, 2008

Also in accordance with Board policy, the Board is asked to consider the lowa School for the Deaf academic calendar for the 2007-08 school year. The ISD calendar is aligned with the Lewis Central school system since ISD students take many classes there. ISD will continue to use a trimester system to match the Lewis Central grading periods. In compliance with state law, the calendar includes 180 instructional days for students and 189 contract days for teachers. The calendar is shown on page 2.

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| O - Student Instructional Days |
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| O - Faculty In-Service |
| - New Teachers/Dorm Staff |
| O - Holidays |
| O - Travel Days-No School |
| O - Registration |
| O - Commencement |
| O - Student/Faculty Breaks - No School |
| Note: All Faculty In-Service Days NOT highlighted |

## 2007-2008 ISD School Calendar



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