

# calendar

## fall 2008

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### august

**Meet** with your Academic Advisor if you have concerns about your course load or schedule for the semester. New students may pick up a free UNI Catalog at the Registrar's Office, Gilchrist 115

- **21<sup>st</sup> Panther Fest**- Come experience Welcome Week UNI style!
- **25<sup>th</sup>** First Day of Classes
- **29<sup>th</sup>** Four-week Speed Reading and Effective Study Strategies classes begin. Register at <http://www.uni.edu/unialc/fallo8freecourses/fallo8freecourses.html>

### september

**How are your classes going?** If you have concerns, you can talk to your professor, utilize free tutoring services on campus, form a study group.

**How are you managing your time?** Are you behind in course work? Consider structuring more study time into your schedule, look into taking Speed Reading or Effective Study Strategies classes, adjust the hours you are working, or talk to your PAIR about ways to become more efficient and effective.

- **1<sup>st</sup>** Labor Day (holiday) – No Classes
- **2<sup>nd</sup> @ 5 p.m. ACADEMIC DEADLINE**  
\$10.00 "change of registration fee" assessed for courses dropped and added. All schedule changes must be done through the Scheduling Office, Gilchrist 115.
- **3<sup>rd</sup> @ 5 p.m. ACADEMIC DEADLINE**  
Last day to add first half-semester course for credit  
Last day to drop first half-semester course without a "W"  
Last day to add full-semester course without departmental approval
- **5<sup>th</sup> @ 5 p.m. ACADEMIC DEADLINE**  
Last day to drop full-semester course without a "W"
- **12<sup>th</sup> @ 5 p.m. ACADEMIC DEADLINE**  
Last day to drop first half-semester course without an "F"  
Last day to add full-semester course for credit, departmental approval on student request form required  
Last day to change first half-semester course to graded/non-graded basis
- **8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Diversity Week** - watch your e-mail and the *Northern Iowan* for special events.
- **15<sup>th</sup> Career Fair** - 2 p.m. – 6 p.m., UNI Dome
- **19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Family Weekend** - Many activities including college open houses, golf outings, football game and tailgates.
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### october

**Meet** with your Academic Advisor to discuss career options or questions you have about your field of study.

- **17<sup>th</sup>** First half-semester ends
- **5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Homecoming Weekend**
- **20<sup>th</sup>** Second half-semester begins
- **15<sup>th</sup> Exploring Majors & Student Org Fair**, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. Maucker Union Ballroom. **Check out** the UNI Major Fair for information on different majors and minors.
- **27<sup>th</sup>** Four-week Speed Reading and Effective Study Strategies classes begin. Register at <http://www.uni.edu/unialc/fallo8freecourses/fallo8freecourses.html>
- **24<sup>th</sup>** D/F warning letters mailed. Not all professors send notices. If you receive one, see your professor to discuss ways to improve and achieve success. Also, see your academic advisor to consider your options. Note academic deadlines.
- **28<sup>th</sup> @ 5 p.m. ACADEMIC DEADLINE**  
Last day to add second half-semester course for credit  
Last day to drop second half-semester course without a "W"
- **22<sup>nd</sup> Major Meetings** 3 p.m. Prepare for spring registration. Attend major meeting of interest. Watch MyUNiverse, your e-mail, and the *Northern Iowan* for meeting locations.
- **31<sup>st</sup> @ 5 p.m. ACADEMIC DEADLINE**  
Last day to drop a full-semester course without an "F"  
Last day to change full-semester course to or from non-graded basis.

### november

**Get ready** to register for spring semester. **Meet** with your Academic Advisor prior to scheduling for spring semester to have your advisor hold removed.

**Watch** MyUNiverse, your e-mail, and the *Northern Iowan* for Major Meeting times and locations.

- **11<sup>h</sup>**– December 5<sup>th</sup> Pre-registration for spring semester.

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| <b>Seniors:</b>    | November 12-13 |
| <b>Juniors:</b>    | November 14-18 |
| <b>Sophomores:</b> | November 19-21 |
| <b>Freshmen:</b>   | December 1-5   |
- **21<sup>st</sup>** Thanksgiving vacation begins @ 10 p.m.

### december

- **1<sup>st</sup>** Instruction resumes, 8 a.m.
- **15<sup>th</sup>** Final Examinations begin
- **19<sup>th</sup>** Fall Semester ends