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# Revised Principles of Academic Calendar Construction

The College at Brockport, College Senate

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Revised Principles of  
Academic Calendar Construction

RESOLUTION #13, 1981-82

TO: President John E. Van de Wetering

FROM: The Faculty Senate

Meeting on 3/29/82  
(Date)

RE: X I. Formal Resolution (Act of Determination)  
       II. Recommendation (Urging the fitness of)  
       III. Other (Notice, Request, Report, etc.)

SUBJECT: Revised Principles of Academic Calendar Construction

(see attached)

Signed Ginny L. Studer Date Sent 3/30/82  
(For the Senate)  
Ginny L. Studer, President, Faculty Senate

TO: The Faculty Senate

FROM: President John E. Van de Wetering

RE: I. Decision and Action Taken on Formal Resolution

- a. Accepted. all but 2-B Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Deferred for discussion with the Faculty Senate on \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Unacceptable for the reasons contained in the attached explanation.

II., III. a. Received and acknowledged

b. Comment:

DISTRIBUTION: Vice Presidents: Gaugan, Lynch, Nolan, Keely, Patti

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Signed: [Signature]  
(President of the College)

Date Received by the Senate: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
College at Brockport

Faculty Senate Meeting: 3/29/82  
Agenda Item VII. A. 2.

Revised Principles of Academic Calendar Construction

Resolved that the following revised principles for Academic Calendar construction be implemented effective with the beginning of the 1983-84 Academic Year.

Principles of Academic Calendar Construction - Revised 3/82

I. Fall Semester

- A. The Fall Semester will normally begin after Labor Day and end prior to Christmas (December 25).
  1. Up to four days will be provided in the calendar immediately following Labor Day for orientation, advisement, and registration.
  2. The Fall Semester will normally consist of an instruction period of fourteen (14) weeks followed by an examination period of one (1) week.
  3. When possible there will be a one-day hiatus occurring between the last day of regularly-scheduled classes and the first day of the final-examination period.
- B. The Fall Semester calendar will be adjusted, and classes will not be scheduled, in order to accommodate the observance of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.
- C. A Thanksgiving recess will normally begin at the conclusion of classes on the Tuesday prior to Thanksgiving, and classes will resume on the following Monday.

II. Spring Semester

- A. The Spring Semester will normally begin in mid-January, but in no event later than January 20, and end in approximately the middle of May.
  1. Up to three days will be provided in the calendar for registration and orientation.
  2. The Spring semester will normally consist of an instruction period of fifteen (15) weeks followed by an examination period

of one (1) week. In no case will the Spring Semester be more than one week longer than the Fall Semester of the same academic year.

3. There will normally be a one-day hiatus occurring between the last day of regularly-scheduled classes and the first day of the final-examination period.
  4. Commencement will normally occur on the Sunday following the end of the final-examination period.
- B. A Spring recess will normally begin at the conclusion of classes on the first Saturday following Midterm, and classes will be resumed on the second Monday following. A second recess will normally begin at the conclusion of classes on the ~~Wednesday~~ prior to Easter, ~~and, when possible, classes will be resumed on the following Tuesday.~~ *Thurs.*
1. In the event that less than two full weeks of classes would intervene between the Spring recess and the Easter recess, the Spring recess will begin at the conclusion of classes on the Wednesday prior to Easter, and, when possible, classes will resume on the second Monday following.