

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Semester-by-Semester Degree Planning Worksheet

Who am I, and why am I here?

Creating a semester plan begins with introspection. It begins with knowing yourself, and understanding why you have written “attend Iowa State University” into the plot of your life story. Why have you decided to enroll in your chosen curricula at Iowa State? What about that subject or subjects interests you? How is that decision an expression of who you are or who you want to be? Is there a career goal you have in mind? Briefly describe what you hope to accomplish with your degree program at Iowa State:

Remember - this is your adventure! You're the main character of this story; spin and re-spin the tale to your liking during your journey.

Plotting your Adventure

When you have some idea of who you are and what you hope to get out of your program at Iowa State, creating a semester plan requires an understanding of the degree requirements of your chosen major(s). Check with your advisor and the student services office for your major(s) to better understand degree requirements. You can also check with these offices to see how any transfer credits you have will apply to a program. Remember to consider a degree plan a work in progress - it is a living document, rather than a work set in stone.

Summer 1 Plans

Summer 2 Plans

Summer 3 Plans

Name: _____

Semester 1: _____	Credits

Total Semester Credits _____

Semester 2: _____	Credits

Total Semester Credits _____

Semester 3: _____	Credits

Total Semester Credits _____

Semester 4: _____	Credits

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Semester 5: _____	Credits

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Semester 6: _____	Credits

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Semester 7: _____	Credits

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Semester 8: _____	Credits

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