



# 82nd Iowa General Assembly

## 2008 IOWA LEGISLATIVE SESSION TIMETABLE\*

*Note: This Session Timetable is subject to change.*

*\* If rules remain unchanged.*

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<b>JANUARY 14</b>	First day of session (Iowa Code Sec. 2.1)
<b>JANUARY 25</b>	(Friday of 2 <sup>nd</sup> week) Final day for individual legislator requests for bill drafts to the Legislative Services Agency (Senate Rule 27 and House Rule 29)
<b>MARCH 7**</b>	(Friday of 8 <sup>th</sup> week) Final date for Senate bills to be reported out of Senate committees (and House bills out of House committees) (Joint Rule 20)
<b>MARCH 10 - 14</b>	(9 <sup>th</sup> week) House considers only House bills and unfinished business (Senate considers only Senate bills and unfinished business) (Joint Rule 20)
<b>MARCH 17 - MARCH 28</b>	(10 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup> weeks) Debate not limited by rule
<b>MARCH 28**</b>	(Friday of 11 <sup>th</sup> week) Final date for Senate bills to be reported out of House committees (and House bills out of Senate committees) (Joint Rule 20)
<b>MARCH 31 - APRIL 4</b>	(12 <sup>th</sup> week) House considers only Senate bills and unfinished business (Senate considers only House bills and unfinished business) (Joint Rule 20)
<b>APRIL 7</b>	(Beginning of 13 <sup>th</sup> week) Amendments need not be filed on the day preceding floor debate (House Rule 31.8)
<b>APRIL 7</b>	(Beginning of 13 <sup>th</sup> week) Only the following bills are eligible for consideration: (Joint Rule 20) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Appropriations Bills</li><li>▪ Ways and Means Bills</li><li>▪ Government Oversight Bills</li><li>▪ Legalizing Acts</li><li>▪ Bills co-sponsored by Majority and Minority Leaders of one House</li><li>▪ Companion Bills sponsored by Senate and House Majority Leaders</li><li>▪ Conference Committee Reports</li><li>▪ Concurrent or Simple Resolutions</li><li>▪ Bills passed by both Houses in different forms</li><li>▪ Bills on the Veto Calendar (Joint Rule 23)</li><li>▪ Administrative Rules Review Committee Bills</li><li>▪ Committee Bills related to delayed Administrative Rules [Iowa Code Sec. 17A.8 (9)]</li><li>▪ Joint Resolutions nullifying Administrative Rules</li><li>▪ Unfinished Business</li></ul>
<b>APRIL 22</b>	100 <sup>th</sup> calendar day of the session [Per diem expenses end - Iowa Code Sec. 2.10(1)]

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\*\*The March 7 and March 28 committee deadlines do not apply to Appropriations Bills, Ways and Means Bills, Government Oversight Bills, Bills co-sponsored by Majority and Minority Leaders of one House, Companion Bills sponsored by the Majority Leaders of both Houses after consultation with the respective Minority Leaders, Conference Committee Reports, Concurrent or Simple Resolutions, Joint Resolutions nullifying Administrative Rules, Legalizing Acts, Administrative Rules Review Committee Bills, and Committee Bills related to delayed Administrative Rules [Iowa Code Sec. 17A.8(9)].

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