Summer Graduation Initiative

Statement of Understanding

The Summer Graduation Initiative is a unique opportunity to take summer classes at a reduced rate of tuition in order to graduate in 4 years with an August graduation.

Considerations for Participation

In order to participate in this initiative, students must:

- Have started at ISU during the fall semester of 2020 as a new full-time freshman.
- Be a senior at ISU and need 15 or fewer credit hours to graduate.
- Complete a plan of study for summer with an academic advisor.
- Register for all summer classes necessary to meet graduation requirements <u>before</u> June 1, 2024.
- Submit **signed forms** (both the plan of study and statement of understanding) to your college Dean's Office by no later than 5 working days prior to the start of your first summer class. The **Dean's Office** will submit the forms to Dr. Susan Powers via email.
- Successfully complete all classes. Students <u>must earn grades in each course</u> that allow them to meet all graduation requirements by the end of the summer.

Considerations for Reduced Tuition

- Tuition will be reduced by 50% for all credit hours completed in the summer.
- Fees (e.g., lab fees, distance delivery fees, rec center fees) will not be reduced and will be charged at the usual summer rate.
- The tuition reduction will appear on the student's bill. However, if classes are not successfully completed (e.g., failed, dropped, withdrawn), students will be retroactively charged the full price of tuition. Full payment will be due immediately.

Limitations

 Although ISU will make every effort to offer the courses needed by students to graduate this summer, it may not be possible to offer certain courses. Students will only be eligible to participate in this opportunity <u>if the courses are available this summer</u> that enable them to graduate.

Additional Issues

- For questions about financial aid, see the Student Financial Aid Office.
- For questions about summer housing, see the Residential Life Office.

Signing this form is an acknowledgement that you have read, understand, and agree to abide by the terms of this Statement of Understanding.

Student's Printed Name

Signature

Date