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Faculty Survey

1. What is your classification?
 - Full Time
 - Adjunct / Temporary Full Time

2. If we had a five-week winter intersession without changing the academic calendar, would you support the change? * *The courses taught in Winter Intersession would not count as Part of Load (POL) for Fall or Spring. It would work like our summer.*
 - Yes
 - No

3. Would you teach during a 5 week intersession?
 - Yes
 - No

4. Would you be interested in teaching a six week intersession? This would mean the academic calendar would be altered, including the start and end dates for the Fall and Spring semesters including reducing summer session to 8 weeks instead of the current 12 weeks.
 - Yes
 - No

5. If you are interested in teaching during a six-week intersession, which of the following would work for you? (If you are not interested, please choose the “None of the above” option.)
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the beginning of December and end at the end of January with the Fall start being the beginning of August and the Spring end being the end of May.
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the end of November and end in the middle of January with the Fall start being the very end of July and the Spring end being the middle of May.
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the beginning of January and end in the middle of February with the Fall start being the end of August and the Spring end being the middle of June.
 - None

6. Would the addition of a winter intersession result in a change in your working conditions?
 - Yes
 - No

Bakersfield College is currently considering the addition of a Winter Intersession. Your input in this decision is needed. For purposes of this survey, “Winter Intersession” refers to the timeframe between the end of the Fall semester and the start of the Spring semester.

Student Survey

1. If we had a five-week winter intersession without changing the academic calendar, would you support the change?
 - Yes
 - No
2. If BC offers a five-week winter intersession without changing the calendar would you be supportive of the change?
 - Yes
 - No
3. Would you be interested in taking a class during a six-week winter intersession? This would mean the altering of the start and end dates for the Fall and Spring semesters, including reducing summer session to 8 weeks instead of the current 12 weeks.
 - Yes
 - No
4. If you are interested in taking a six-week intersession class, which of these would work for you?
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the beginning of December and end at the end of January with the Fall start being the beginning of August and the Spring end being the end of May.
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the end of November and end in the middle of January with the Fall start being the very end of July and the Spring end being the middle of May.
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the beginning of January and end in the middle of February with the Fall start being the end of August and the Spring end being the middle of June.
 - None
5. Would the addition of a inter intersession impact your **living conditions**?
 - Yes
 - No

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Classified Survey

1. If we had a 5 week winter intersession without changing the calendar would you be supportive of the change?
 - Yes
 - No
2. Would you be willing to work during a five-week intersession?
 - Yes
 - No
3. Would you be supportive of a six-week intersession? This would mean the academic calendar would be altered, starting with when the semesters begin and end.
 - Yes
 - No
4. Would you be willing to work during a six-week intersession? This would mean the altering of the start and end dates for the Fall and Spring semesters, including reducing summer session to 8 weeks instead of the current 12 weeks..
 - Yes
 - No
5. If you are interested in working during a six-week intersession, which of these would work for you?
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the beginning of December and end at the end of January with the Fall start being the beginning of August and the Spring end being the end of May.
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the end of November and end in the middle of January with the Fall start being the very end of July and the Spring end being the middle of May.
 - Winter Intersession that would begin at the beginning of January and end in the middle of February with the Fall start being the end of August and the Spring end being the middle of June.
 - None
6. Would the addition of a winter intersession result in a change in your working conditions?
 - Yes
 - No

Alternative Language for describing calendar changes with a 6-week winter intersession:

Option 1: Winter Intersession that would begin first full week of December with Fall semester start second week of August and Spring semester start at the end of January and a one-week break Christmas to New Year's. Spring semester ends last full week of May.

Option 2: Winter Intersession that would begin in November after Thanksgiving with Fall semester start the first week of August and Spring semester start the last full week of January and a one-week break Christmas to New Year's. Spring semester ends third week of May.

Option 3: Winter Intersession that would begin at the start of January with Fall semester start the end of August and Spring semester start the last full week of February. Spring semester ends in mid-June.

Option 4: None of the above

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