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## CALENDAR.

1885.

Commencement, June 3d.  
 Examinations for Entrance, September 8th.  
 Fall Term opens September 9th.  
 Examinations for Half Term, October 19th-23d.  
 Fall Term closes December 23d.

1886.

Winter Term opens January 4th.  
 Examinations for Half Term, February 1st-5th.  
 Washington's Birthday, February 22d.  
 Semi-annual Exhibition Olympian Society, March 19th.  
 Winter Term ends March 19th.  
 Spring Term opens March 22d.  
 Arbor Day, April 16th.  
 Examinations for Half Term, April 19th-23d.  
 Annual Exhibition of Olympian Society, June 4th.  
 Annual Sermon before the College Y. M. C. A. June 6th, 1885,  
 (morning).  
 Annual Educational Sermon, June 6th, (evening).  
 Annual Address before Literary Societies, June 7th.  
 Prize Declamations, June 8th.  
 Meeting of Board of Trustees, June 8th, 3 o'clock P. M.  
 Commencement, June 9th.  
 Examinations for Entrance, September 7th.  
 Fall Term opens September 8th.

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## SUMMARY OF STUDENTS.

Freshman	2
Senior Preparatory,	8
Junior Preparatory,	39
Preparatory,	21
Teachers,	7
Business,	28
Total,	105

Males, 69; average age, 19. Females, 36; average age, 17.

## COUNTIES REPRESENTED.

Anderson.	Franklin.	Neosha.
Barbour.	Harvey.	Osage.
Brown.	Jewell.	Philips.
Clay.	Johnson.	Reno.
Chautauqua.	Labette.	Sedgwick.
Cowley.	Leavenworth.	Shawnee.
Crawford.	Marion.	Sumner.
Doniphan.	Marshall.	Wabaunsee.
Douglass.	Miami.	

## STATES.

Iowa.	Ohio.	Missouri.
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## COURSES OF STUDY.

The aim of the Institution is to provide a thorough Christian education. This end implies such intellectual and moral discipline, and such a degree of mental furnishing as shall fit the student to engage with success and honor in the duties of business and professional life. To attain this result, the following courses of studies have been prepared:

### COLLEGIATE COURSES.

**CLASSICAL COURSE.**—The requirements for admission to this course are similar to those of the best colleges. The course comprehends four years of study, and includes those branches which have long been accepted as the best means for intellectual discipline, and for reaching the highest culture.

**LITERARY COURSE.**—In this course the student chooses either Latin or Greek as the chief instrument of his Collegiate training. The time usually given to the other ancient language in the Classical course is devoted to historical study and to the noble literature of the English language.

**SCIENTIFIC COURSE.**—The ancient languages do not belong to this course. It is similar to the two preceding courses, in the amount of attention paid to the modern languages, but differs from them in affording a more extensive study of the applied Mathematics and the Physical Sciences.

### PREPARATORY COURSE.

The aim of this course is twofold; first, to thoroughly prepare students for admission to the Freshman class, and secondly to furnish such as cannot take a College course a first-class academic education.

### TEACHERS' COURSE.

This course extends through four years of study, and is so arranged that those who have mastered the studies of the second year are entitled, in point of scholarship, to a certificate of the third grade; those who have mastered the studies of the third year are entitled to a certificate of the second grade; those who have mastered the studies of the fourth year are entitled to a certificate of the highest grade.

### BUSINESS COURSE.

This course is prepared for those whose time in school is limited to a few terms. To a thorough preparation in the common English branches it adds Book-keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, Commercial Law, Penmanship and Correspondence.

### OPTIONAL COURSE.

Students have the privilege of selecting from the studies taught each term, those which, in the judgment of the Faculty, they can profitably pursue.

### MUSICAL COURSE.

A full course in Music, requiring four years to complete it, is ultimately contemplated. Students can devote their whole time to Music, or take it in connection with other studies. Instruction is given in Piano and Organ playing, Thorough-base, Harmony, Composition and Sight-singing, Sight-reading. Notation and Chorus practice free to members of the Musical Department.

### ART COURSE.

It is the purpose of this course to afford the opportunity of acquiring a knowledge of free-hand drawing, and to offer such as have a talent or taste for art, facilities for pursuing studies in industrial designing and the decorative arts.

## CLASSICAL COURSE.

### FRESHMAN CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek—Memorabilia, History of Greece; Latin—Vergil, Prosody; Mathematics—Higher Algebra; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—Greek—Thucydides, History of Greece; Latin—Cicero, De Senectute, Prose Composition; Mathematics—Solid Geometry; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—Greek—Homer, Prose Composition; Latin—Livy, Prose Composition; Mathematics—Trigonometry and Surveying; Elocution.

### SOPHOMORE CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Lysias, New Testament; German; Mathematics—General Geometry; Essays and Declamations.

SECOND TERM.—Tacitus, Roman History; German; Mathematics—Mechanics; Essays and Declamations.

THIRD TERM.—Greek—Sophocles, Greek Literature; Latin—Plautus, Roman Literature; English—History of Civilization; Essays and Declamations.

### JUNIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek—Demosthenes, Orators and Oratory; French; Physical Science—Chemistry; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—Latin—Horace, Essays; French; Physical Science—Astronomy; Orations.

THIRD TERM.—French; Physical Science—Zoology; English—Constitutional History of England and the United States; Orations.

### SENIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek—Plato, Essays on Philosophy; Mental Science; Physical Science—Geology.

SECOND TERM.—English—English Classics; Political Science—Political Economy; Logic.

THIRD TERM.—Moral Science; International Law; Evidences of Christianity; Butler's Analogy.

## COURSES OF INSTRUCTION.

### COLLEGIATE.

## LITERARY COURSE.

## FRESHMAN CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek or Latin; History of Greece; English—Study of Words; Mathematics—Higher Algebra; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—Greek or Latin; History of Rome; English—Rhetoric; Mathematics—Solid Geometry; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—Greek or Latin; Prose Composition; English—American Literature; Mathematics—Trigonometry and Surveying; Elocution.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek or Latin; German; Mathematics—General Geometry; Essays and Declamations.

SECOND TERM.—English—Medieval History; German; Mathematics—Mechanics; Essays and Declamations.

THIRD TERM.—Greek or Latin—Ancient Literature; German; English—History of Civilization; Essays and Declamations.

## JUNIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek or Latin; French; Science—Chemistry; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—French; English—English Classics; Physical Science—Astronomy; Orations.

THIRD TERM.—French; Physical Science—Zoology; English—Constitutional History; Orations.

## SENIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Greek or Latin; Mental Science; Physical Science—Geology.

SECOND TERM.—English—English Classics; Political Science—Political Economy; Logic.

THIRD TERM.—Moral Science; International Law; Evidences of Christianity; Butler's Analogy.

## SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

## FRESHMAN CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—English—Study of Words; Mathematics—Higher Algebra; Physical Science—Chemistry; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—English—Rhetoric; Mathematics—Solid Geometry; Physical Science—Chemistry; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—English—American Literature; Mathematics—Trigonometry and Surveying; Physical Science—Chemical Physics.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—German; Mathematics—General Geometry; Physical Science—Mineralogy; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—German; English—Medieval History; Mathematics—Mechanics; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—German; English—History of Civilization; Mathematics—Civil Engineering; Essays and Declamations.

## JUNIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—French; Physical Science—Advanced Physiology; Physical Science—Meteorology; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—French; English Literature—English Classics; Physical Science—Astronomy; Orations.

THIRD TERM.—French; English—Constitutional History of England and the United States; Physical Science—Zoology; Orations.

## SENIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM.—Mental Science; Physical Science—Geology; Physical Science—Zoology.

SECOND TERM.—English—English Classics; Political Science—Political Economy; Logic.

THIRD TERM.—Moral Science; International Law; Evidences of Christianity; Butler's Analogy.

# DEPARTMENT —OF— ELEMENTARY INSTRUCTION.

## GENERAL PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—English Grammar; Arithmetic; Civil Geography; Reading.

SECOND TERM.—English Grammar; Arithmetic; United States History; Penmanship.

THIRD TERM.—English Structure: Arithmetic; United States History; Penmanship.

## CLASSICAL.

### JUNIOR PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—Latin—Tetlow's Lessons; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Physical Geography; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—Greek—White's Lessons; Latin—Tetlow's Lessons; Mathematics—Algebra; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—Greek—White's Lessons; Latin—Caesar, Daniel's Latin Sentences; Mathematics—Algebra; Elocution.

### SENIOR PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—Greek—Anabasis, Prose Composition; Latin—Caesar, Prose Composition; English—General History; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—Greek—Anabasis, Prose Composition; Latin—Cicero, Prose Composition; Mathematics—Geometry; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—Greek—Homer; Latin—Vergil; Mathematics—Geometry; Elocution.

## LITERARY.

### JUNIOR PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—English Analysis; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Physical Geography; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—Greek or Latin; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Physiology; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—Greek or Latin; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Botany; Elocution.

### SENIOR PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—Greek or Latin; English—General History; Physical Science—Natural Philosophy; Declamations and Orations.

SECOND TERM.—Greek or Latin; English—History of England; Mathematics—Geometry; Declamations and Orations.

THIRD TERM.—Greek or Latin; English—English Literature; Mathematics—Geometry; Declamations and Orations.

## SCIENTIFIC.

### JUNIOR PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—English—English Analysis; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Physical Geography; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—English—English Composition; Physical Science—Physiology; Mathematics—Algebra; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—English—Civil Government; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Botany; Elocution.

### SENIOR PREPARATORY.

FIRST TERM.—English—General History; Physical Science—Natural Philosophy; Science—Botany; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—English—History of England; Mathematics—Geometry; Physical Science—Natural Philosophy; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—English—English Literature; Mathematics—Geometry; Physical Science—Zoology; Elocution.

## TEACHERS' COURSE.

### FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—English Grammar; Arithmetic; Geography; Reading.

SECOND TERM.—English Grammar; Arithmetic; United States History; Penmanship.

THIRD TERM.—English Structure; Book-keeping; United States History; Penmanship.

### SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—English—English Analysis; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Physical Geography; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—English—English Composition; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Physiology; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—English—Civil Government; Mathematics—Algebra; Physical Science—Botany; Elocution.

### THIRD YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—English—General History; Pedagogics—Science of Teaching; Physical Science—Natural Philosophy; Elocution.

SECOND TERM.—English—History of England; Mathematics—Geometry; Physical Science—Natural Philosophy; Elocution.

THIRD TERM.—English—English Literature; Mathematics—Geometry; Physical Science—Zoology; Elocution.

### FOURTH YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—English—Study of Words; Mathematics—Higher Algebra; Physical Science—Chemistry; Essays.

SECOND TERM.—English—Rhetoric; Pedagogics—School Laws; Mathematics—Solid Geometry; Essays.

THIRD TERM.—Mathematics—Trigonometry and Surveying; Mental Science; Political Science—Political Economy; Orations.

## BUSINESS COURSE.

FIRST TERM.—English Grammar; Arithmetic; Book-keeping; Penmanship.

SECOND TERM.—English Grammar; Arithmetic; Book-keeping; Commercial Law.

THIRD TERM.—Civil Government; Book-keeping; United States History; Penmanship.

## GENERAL INFORMATION.

### THE SCHOOL.

Ottawa University was incorporated in 1865. It is a Christian school for both sexes, under the auspices of the Baptist Denomination of Kansas.

### LOCATION.

Ottawa, Kansas, is easily accessible by railroad from all quarters. Its physical surroundings are pleasant and healthful. Its moral atmosphere is exceptionally good, and its enviable reputation as being the leading temperance city in the State is well deserved. It is the chosen location of the Inter-state Sunday-school Assembly.

### LAND ENDOWMENT.

The University has a land endowment of 640 acres, adjacent to the city, a part of which has been divided into lots and placed on the market. Many of these lots have been sold to those who expect to build residences where they may live while educating their children.

### MORAL AND RELIGIOUS CULTURE.

The public duties of each day are opened by singing, reading the Scriptures and prayer. The students are required to attend these chapel exercises unless excused by the Faculty.

Weekly prayer meetings are held by the Young Men's Christian Association of the University, for devotional exercises, mutual encouragement and the consideration of the best methods of Christian work.

Students receive a welcome at all of the evangelical churches of the city. It is expected that shortly after his arrival each stu-

dent will identify himself with some congregation, and become a regular attendant at its services.

A voluntary Bible class has been organized in connection with the University. The meetings are held each Sunday afternoon. Six Epistles have been studied during the year. Paraphrases and Bible readings have been presented by the class. A regular course of instruction in the Bible and those subjects connected with it, such as Bible evidences, history of the canon, etc., has been prepared.

### DISCIPLINE.

The authority for government is vested in the Faculty, and the conduct of students is at all times subject to their supervision. A long experience has shown us that when faithful work in study and class-room is daily required, there is little need of special discipline. Those in charge of the Institution will insist on exact and thorough scholarship in all classes and departments. Those who do not or cannot pursue their studies with profit to themselves will not be retained after that fact is fully ascertained. Every student is placed upon honor, and is taught that the maintenance of self-respect and a good name is a sacred trust committed to his own keeping.

### EXAMINATIONS.

A record is kept of the daily work of each student. Examinations are held at the middle and close of each term. The record of each student so made is placed opposite his name, in the general register, for a perpetual memorial of the degree of his fidelity and scholarly attainments.

### RHETORICAL WORK.

Students of the Senior Preparatory and higher classes, give in public each term one oration and one declamation. Members of other classes prepare essays in connection with class work. At the close of each year a public contest in declamation is held. Prizes are awarded, consisting of valuable books.

### LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Olympian Society is conducted by the students. It is well organized and efficient, and gives frequent exercise in the arts of prompt, elegant and effective expression.

## ADMISSION.

The University is open to all who may wish to avail themselves of its privileges, and who are sufficiently advanced to successfully pursue the studies of the curriculum. But no one under fourteen years of age will be admitted as a student unless by special vote of the Faculty.

There are always classes in Grammar and Arithmetic, in different stages of progress, so that it is possible to enter at any time; but students are urged to begin with the term.

## DEGREES.

Students who complete the College course—Classical, will receive the degree of Bachelor of Arts. Those who complete the College course—Literary, will receive degree of Bachelor of Literature. Those who complete the College course—Scientific, will receive the degree of Bachelor of Science. Special students in any course, not candidates for a degree, will be entitled to certificates of proficiency in the branches of study which they have pursued.

## PERIODICALS.

Religious papers, secular weeklies, magazines and quarterlies, through favor of the publishers and other friends, are continually upon the table.

## LIBRARY.

The University library, though small, contains a choice collection of standard works. The city library, of 4,000 volumes, is within easy reach of the students. There is still an imperative demand for a larger library, though the recent additions to it have been frequent and valuable. For these donations the University is indebted to the generosity of the following friends: Prof. C. Esterly, 12 vols.; Rev. A. J. Barrett, Topeka, 30 vols.; Sunday-school of First Baptist church of Atchison, 16 vols.; Prof. R. C. Story, Atchison, 13 vols.; U. S. Public Documents, 21 vols.; Rev. N. L. Rigby, California, 50 vols.; Rev. L. Morse, Burlingame, 1 vol.; C. B. Stout, Esq., New Brunswick, N. J., 61 vols.; English Literature Class, 4 vols.; A. C. Carpenter, 1 vol.; J. Rue, 4 vols.; Frank Hetrick, 4 vols.; Ivison, Blakeman, Taylor & Co., New York, 50 vols.

## MINISTERIAL STUDENTS.

Students preparing for the ministry, and approved by their respective churches and by the Board of Christian and Ministerial

Education of the Kansas Baptist Convention, will have their tuition bills assumed by that Board.

## SELF-SUPPORT.

Students, who are active and industrious, often find employment sufficient to defray a considerable part, or even the whole, of their expenses while at school.

## BOARDING.

The College boarding club, limited to sixteen young men, room and board in the College building. The members of this club fix their own bill of fare, and pay a matron for preparing it. Their expenses for three years past have averaged about \$1.50 per week.

Boarding can be obtained in private families for from \$3 to \$4 per week. Rooms for self-boarders, from twenty-five to fifty cents per week. The Faculty, on application, will assist students in procuring rooms and boarding places.

## TUITION.

Tuition in all departments, except Music and Art, in advance, per year, \$25.00. By the term, in advance—Fall term, \$12.00; Winter and Spring terms, each, \$9.00. No charge for incidentals.

## EXPENSES.

The necessary expenses of students during the academic year of thirty-eight weeks are as follows:

Tuition.....	\$ 25 00	\$ 25 00
Board and room rent.....	57 00	114 00
Washing.....	8 00	15 00
Fuel and lights.....	8 00	12 00
Text-books.....	5 00	10 00
Total .....	\$105 00	\$176 00

## EXTRAS.

MUSIC.—Tuition for piano, organ, voice, each, per term, \$15.00; two of the above, \$25.00; the three, per term, \$30.00. Sight-reading, notation and chorus practice free to members of the Musical Department.

ART.—Instruction in drawing, water colors, oil painting, china painting, sketching from nature, at from \$5 to \$12 per term of twenty-four lessons.