## Exercise 4: Create a fiscal calendar, years and periods

Phyllis, the Accounting Manager, wants to define calendars for different purposes and share them across different ledgers without having to create them in each legal entity. Perform the following steps to assist Phyllis:

### Instruction

1. Navigate to **General ledger > Ledger setup > Fiscal calendars**.
2. Select the **New calendar** button.
3. Enter the name of the calendar to be created in the **Calendar** field.
4. Enter a description of the fiscal calendar in the **Description** field. This description may print on reports.
5. Enter the **Start** and **End** dates of the initial fiscal year in the appropriate fields.
6. Enter a **Fiscal year name** of the initial fiscal year to be associated with this fiscal calendar.
7. Enter the **Length of the period** and the **Unit** of the periods. These fields work together to determine how many periods will be created.
8. Select the **Create** button.

### Create a date interval for month of August

If your fiscal year starts on August 1st and ends on July 31st of the next year, follow the steps below to create a date interval for the month of August:

1. Navigate to **General ledger > Ledger setup > Date intervals**.
2. Select **New**
3. In the **Date interval code** field, type 'August'.
4. In the **Description** field, type 'Month of August'.
5. Under the **Interval Start** on your left side, in the **From date period** **type** field, select 'Fiscal year.'
6. Under the **Interval Start** on your left side, in the **From date Start/End** field, select 'Start.'
7. Under the **Interval Start** on your left side, in the **From date adjustment unit** field, select 'Months.'
8. Under the Interval End, in the **To date period type** field, select 'Fiscal year.'
9. Under the Interval End, in In the **To date Start/End** field, select 'End.'
10. Under the Interval End, in the **To date +/-** field, enter '-11.'
11. Under the Interval End, in the **To date adjustment unit** field, select 'Months.'
12. Select **Save**
13. Close the page