

**MONDAYS OFF**

UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES DILIMAN  
**AMENDED VERSION OF ACADEMIC CALENDAR<sup>a</sup>**  
 Academic Year 2008-2009

(Applies to all units except the MBA and MS Finance programs of the College of Business Administration and the M of Management programs of UPEPP and UPEPO)

FIRST SEMESTER

SECOND SEMESTER

SUMMER<sup>b</sup>

Physical Examination for incoming freshmen	Tue 1 Apr – Wed 30 Apr		
Deadline for transfer students to file application for admission (For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem) <sup>b</sup>	Wed 30 Apr		
ADVANCE REGISTRATION FOR FRESHMEN	Mon 5 May – Fri 9 May		
Removal examination period	Thu 22 May – Mon 2 June	Fri 24 Oct – Mon 3 Nov	Tue 7 Apr – Fri 17 Apr
Validation for advance credit	Mon 19 May – Thu 26 Jun	Thu 16 Oct – Fri 21 Nov	
Deadline for colleges to submit application of CSAPG Cases: - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem, 2008-2009 - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem, 2008-2009 - For Summer 2009	Fri 2 May; Fri 16 May	Fri 3 Oct; Fri 17 Oct	Fri 27 Feb; Fri 20 Mar
COMMITTEE ON STUDENT ADMISSIONS, PROGRESS & GRADUATION (CSAPG) MEETINGS: - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem, 2008-2009 - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem, 2008-2009 - For Summer 2009	Mon 12 May; Mon 26 May	Mon 13 Oct; Mon 27 Oct	Mon 9 Mar; Mon 30 Mar
GENERAL REGISTRATION <sup>c</sup> - Freshmen & Graduating Students - Other Students	Mon 2 Jun Tue 3 Jun – Fri 6 Jun	Mon 3 Nov Tue 4 Nov – Thu 6 Nov	Mon 6 Apr – Tue 7 Apr
START OF CLASSES	Tue 10 Jun	Fri 7 Nov	Tue 14 Apr
FRESHMEN WELCOME ASSEMBLY	Tue 10 Jun		
UP Foundation Day	Wed 18 Jun		
Deadline for filing application for UPCAT: - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2009-2010 admission: - For Metro Manila Schools - For non-Metro Manila Schools	Fri 20 Jun Fri 27 Jun		
Deadline for colleges to submit approved list of Candidates for graduation: - For Summer 2008 graduates - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates	Wed 25 Jun	Fri 21 Nov	Wed 8 Apr
Deadline for filing application for graduation: - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates - For Summer 2009 graduates	Tue 24 Jun	Fri 21 Nov	Fri 17 Apr
Deadline for colleges to submit tentative list of Candidates for graduation: - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates - For Summer 2009 graduates	Wed 2 Jul	Fri 28 Nov	Thu 21 May
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETINGS	Mon 9 Jun; Mon 23 Jun	Mon 3 Nov; Mon 10 Nov	Mon 16 Mar
UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING TO RECOMMEND RECIPIENTS OF DEGREES OR DIPLOMAS: - For Summer 2008 graduates - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem 2008-2009 graduates	Mon 21 Jul	Mon 15 Dec	Mon 20 Apr
UP COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST (UPCAT) - For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem 2008-2009 - For 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem 2009-2010 admission	Sun 3 Aug Sat 2 Aug – Sun 3 Aug		
Lantern Parade		Wed 17 Dec	
CHRISTMAS VACATION		Thu 18 Dec	
RESUMPTION OF CLASSES		Tue 6 Jan	
Mid-Semester	Thu 7 Aug	Thu 22 Jan	Wed 29 Apr
Last day for graduating students to clear their deficiencies	Tue 28 Aug	Wed 11 Feb	Mon 27 Apr
DEADLINE FOR DROPPING SUBJECTS	Mon 8 Sept	Fri 20 Feb	Fri 8 May
DEADLINE FOR FILING LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY ENROLLED <sup>c</sup>	Fri 19 Sept	Fri 6 Mar	
END OF CLASSES	Wed 8 Oct	Tue 24 Mar	Tue 19 May
Integration Period	Thu 9 Oct – Sat 11 Oct	W 25 Mar – Thu 26 Mar	Wed 20 May
FINAL EXAMINATIONS: - Graduating Students - Other Students	Mon 13 Oct – Wed 15 Oct Mon 13 Oct – Tue 21 Oct	Fri 27 Mar – Mon 30 Mar Fri 27 Mar – Sat 4 Apr	Thu 21 May – Fri 22 May
DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING GRADES: - Graduating Students - Other Students	Thu 23 Oct Thu 30 Oct	Mon 6 Apr Tue 14 Apr	Fri 29 May
BOARD OF REGENTS MEETING TO APPROVE GRADUATION	(Per BOR Schedule)	(Per BOR Schedule)	(Per BOR Schedule)
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES		Sun 26 Apr	

<sup>a</sup> For the Summer session, 3-unit lecture classes meet two (2) hours daily, Monday to Friday for the 24-class days.

<sup>b</sup> For transferees from schools outside the UP system. Students from other CUs should check with the College where they intend to transfer as deadline may be earlier.

<sup>c</sup> Students who will not enroll during the semester must file their Leave Of Absence (LOA) during the Registration period. The deadline for filing LOA within the semester term is only for those currently enrolled.

@ Approved by the Office of the President on February 4, 2008

**HOLIDAYS DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR**

2008

2009

Thu	12	June	Independence Day (June 9) <sup>*</sup>
Sat	2	August	UPCAT (UP only)
Sun	3		For AY 2009-2010 Admission
Tue	19	August	Quezon Day (QC only)
Thu	21	August	Ninoy Aquino Day (August 18) <sup>*</sup>
Mon	25	August	National Heroes Day
Tue	30	September	E'idl Fitr
Sat	1	November	All Saint's Day
Sun	30	November	Bonifacio day (December 1) <sup>*</sup>
Thu	25	December	Christmas Day
Tue	30	December	Rizal Day

Thu	1	January	New Year's Day
Wed	25	February	EDSA Day (February 23) <sup>*</sup>
Th	9	April	Maundy Thursday
Fri	10	April	Good Friday
Thu	9	April	Araw ng Kagitingan (April 6) <sup>*</sup>
Fri	1	May	Labor Day

Note: E'idl Fitr is declared as a national holiday by Malacañang. September 30, 2008 is the estimated date of E'idl Fitr. This holiday is declared based on the appearance of the new moon and may vary from one year to the next.

<sup>\*</sup> RA 9492 mandates that most holidays, except those with religious significance, will be shifted to the nearest Monday (As indicated in parentheses).