



UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES DILIMAN  
ACADEMIC CALENDAR for AY 2020-2021 <sup>1</sup>

(Approved by UP EVP Teodoro J. Herbosa, by Authority of the President, on 13 December 2019  
Noted by the BOR at its 1350th Meeting on 03 February 2020)

	FIRST SEMESTER (Aug - Dec 2020)	SECOND SEMESTER (Jan - May 2021)	MidYear Term <sup>2</sup> (Jun - Jul 2021)
Physical examination for incoming freshmen	01 Jun, Mon - 30 Jun, Tue		
Application period for transfer students	01 Apr, Wed - 22 Apr, Wed 01 Jun, Mon - 22 Jun, Mon		
ADVANCE REGISTRATION FOR FRESHMEN	06 Jul, Mon - 10 Jul, Fri		
Freshmen Orientation Program	c/o OVCSA		
Removal examination period <sup>3</sup>	21 Jul, Tue - 29 Jul, Wed	11 Dec, Fri - 11 Jan, Mon	01 Jun, Tue - 04 Jun, Fri
Deadline for students to file appeals for readmission/extension of MRR/waiver of MRR	Check with respective colleges	Check with respective colleges	Check with respective colleges
Validation for advance credit	15 Jul, Wed - 13 Aug, Thu	04 Jan, Mon - 22 Jan, Fri	25 May, Tue - 16 Jun, Wed
<b>REGISTRATION PERIOD</b> Freshmen, graduating, PWDs, Varsity, HASPAG, and graduate students All UPD undergraduate & graduate students All other students including Cross registrant/Non-Degree/Special/Foreign/Exchange	03 Aug, Mon - 05 Aug, Wed 04 Aug, Tue - 05 Aug, Wed 05 Aug, Wed	12 Jan, Tue - 14 Jan, Thu 13 Jan, Wed - 14 Jan, Thu 14 Jan, Thu	07 Jun, Mon - 08 Jun, Tue 07 Jun, Mon - 08 Jun, Tue 08 Jun, Tue
Faculty Integration Day	06 Aug, Thu	15 Jan, Fri	09 Jun, Wed
<b>START OF CLASSES</b>	<b>07 Aug, Fri</b>	<b>18 Jan, Mon</b>	<b>10 Jun, Thu</b>
FRESHMEN WELCOME ASSEMBLY	07 Aug, Fri		
Last day of withdrawal of enlistment	07 Aug, Fri	18 Jan, Mon	10 Jun, Thu
Change of matriculation (CoM) period	07 Aug, Fri - 14 Aug, Fri	18 Jan, Mon - 26 Jan, Tue	10 Jun, Thu - 17 Jun, Thu
UP Foundation Day			18 Jun, Fri
Deadline for filing application for UPCAT For Metro Manila schools For Non-Metro Manila schools	TBA (c/o Office of Admissions)		
Deadline for students to file application for graduation as of the end of: 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem AY 2020-2021 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem AY 2020-2021 Midyear Term 2021	24 Aug, Mon	02 Feb, Tue	21 Jun, Mon
UP COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST (UPCAT)	TBA (c/o Office of Admissions)		
<b>MID-SEMESTER</b>	<b>07 Oct, Wed</b>	<b>19 Mar, Fri</b>	<b>25 Jun, Fri</b>
Alternative Classroom Learning Experience <sup>5</sup>	c/o OVCSA		
DEADLINE FOR DROPPING SUBJECTS	06 Nov, Fri	26 Apr, Mon	09 Jul, Fri
Lenten Break (for students only)		29 Mar, Mon - 04 Apr, Sun	
DEADLINE FOR FILING LEAVE OF ABSENCE (LOA)	17 Nov, Tue	07 May, Fri	12 Jul, Mon (for those enrolled)
Last day for graduating students to clear their deficiencies	27 Oct, Tue	16 Apr, Fri	21 Jun, Mon
<b>END OF CLASSES</b>	<b>02 Dec, Wed</b>	<b>22 May, Sat</b>	<b>13 Jul, Tue</b>
Integration Period	03 Dec, Thu	24 May, Mon	14 Jul, Wed
<b>FINAL EXAMINATIONS</b>	04 Dec, Fri - 10 Dec, Thu	25 May, Tue - 31 May, Mon	15 Jul, Thu - 16 Jul, Fri
Lantern Parade	11 Dec, Fri		
Start of Christmas Break (for students)	12 Dec, Sat		
<b>DATES TO REMEMBER FOR COLLEGES &amp; COMMITTEES</b>			
DEADLINE FOR GRADE SUBMISSION	18 Dec, Fri	07 Jun, Mon	27 Jul, Tue
Deadline for colleges to submit to OUR appeals/cases for CSAPG consideration <sup>4</sup>	10 Jul, Fri	10 Nov 2020, Tue	12 Mar, Fri
COMMITTEE ON STUDENT ADMISSIONS, PROGRESS & GRADUATION (CSAPG) Meeting	20 Jul, Mon	23 Nov 2020, Mon	22 Mar, Mon
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING	27 Jul, Mon	07 Dec 2020, Mon	03 May, Mon
Deadline for colleges to submit to the OUR the approved List of Candidates for Graduation as of the end of: Midyear Term 2020 1st Sem AY 2020-2021 2nd Sem AY 2020-2021	24 Aug, Mon	02 Feb, Tue	18 Jun, Fri
Deadline for colleges to submit to the OUR the tentative List of Candidates for Graduation as of the end of: 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem AY 2020-2021 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem AY 2020-2021 Midyear 2021	01 Sep, Tue	10 Feb, Wed	25 Jun, Fri
UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING TO RECOMMEND FOR BOR APPROVAL THE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION AS OF THE END OF: Midyear Term 2020 1 <sup>st</sup> Sem AY 2020-2021 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem AY 2020-2021	07 Sep, Mon	15 Feb, Mon	23 Jun, Wed
BOARD OF REGENTS (BOR) MEETING TO APPROVE GRADUATION <sup>6</sup>	Per BOR schedule	Per BOR schedule	Per BOR schedule
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES			27 Jun, Sun

<sup>1</sup> Approved during the UPD Executive Committee at its 284<sup>th</sup> meeting on 02 December 2019. Applies to all units except the MBA and MS Finance programs of the Virata School of Business, the MM Program of UPDEPP and UPDEPO, PM-TMEM of the College of Science, and Archaeological Studies Program.

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

<sup>3</sup> A special removal schedule outside this period may be implemented by the Unit subject to removal fees.

<sup>4</sup> Appeals submitted beyond the deadline will be processed for the following term.

<sup>5</sup> Alternative Classroom Learning Experience (ACLE) is an activity of the UPD Student Council (USC). Schedule to be finalized.

<sup>6</sup> Per OSU, BOR Meetings are usually held every last Thursday of the month. However, the BOR Chair or UP President may ask for a re-scheduling of the said meeting.

Registration period is when a student becomes "Officially registered," which means that the student has already gone through all the processes involved in registration up to payment of fees. (p. 18 of the UPD General Catalogue 2014)

HOLIDAYS IN AY 2020 - 2021			
2020		2021	
19 Aug, Wed	Quezon Day (QC only)	01 Jan, Fri	New Year's Day
21 Aug, Fri	Ninoy Aquino Day	12 Feb, Fri	Chinese Lunar New Year's Day
31 Aug, Mon	National Heroes Day	01 Apr, Thu	Maundy Thursday
01 Nov, Sun	All Saints Day	02 Apr, Fri	Good Friday
30 Nov, Mon	Bonifacio Day	03 Apr, Sat	Black Saturday
25 Dec, Fri	Christmas Day	09 Apr, Fri	Araw ng Kagitingan
30 Dec, Wed	Rizal Day	01 May, Sat	Labor Day
31 Dec, Thu	New Year's Eve	13 May, Thu	Eidul Fitar
		12 Jun, Sat	Independence Day
			Eidul Adha

As of 26 Nov 2019

Per Official Gazette post, President Rodrigo R. Duterte signed Proclamation No. xxx, s. 2019, on xx Month 2019, entitled DECLARING THE REGULAR HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAYS FOR THE YEAR 2020.

Section 2 of Proclamation No. xxx, s. 2019, states that the proclamations declaring national holidays for the observance of Eidul Fitar and Eidul Adha shall hereafter be issued after the approximate dates of the Islamic holidays have been determined in accordance with the Islamic calendar (Hira) or the lunar calendar, or upon Islamic astronomical calculations, whichever is possible or convenient. To this end, the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos (NCMF) shall inform the Office of the President on the actual dates on which these holidays shall respectively fall.

Holidays in 2021 are listed according to their original dates pending the issuance of a Presidential proclamation.