



UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES CEBU

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2020-2021

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as of 2020 December 15

	FIRST SEMESTER (September 2020 to January 2021)	SECOND SEMESTER (February to June 2021)	MIDYEAR* (June to August 2021)
Application period for transfer students	Jun 1, Mon – Jun 30, Tue		
Bridge Program/Preparation for Remote Teaching and Learning	Aug 1, Sat – Sep 7, Mon	Jan 4, Mon – Jan 29, Fri	Jul 5, Mon – Jul 30, Fri
ADVANCE REGISTRATION FOR FIRST YEARS	Aug 3, Mon – Aug 7, Fri		
Validation for Advanced Credits	Aug 24, Mon – Sep 17, Thu	Jan 19, Tue – Feb 15, Mon	
Removal Examination Period ^a	Aug 26, Wed – Sep 4, Fri	Jan 19, Tue – Jan 28, Thu	Jun 21, Mon – Jun 30, Wed
DEADLINE FOR REMOVAL OF INC/4.0 incurred Midyear AY 2018-2019 incurred First Semester AY 2019-2020 incurred Second Semester AY 2019-2020	Jan 29, Fri	Jan 29, Fri	Jul 16, Fri
Deadline of appeals for readmission/ extension of MRR/waiver of MRR	Sep 7, Mon	Feb 1, Mon	
REGISTRATION PERIOD First Years, Graduating and Graduate Students All Undergraduate and Graduate Students All students including Cross-registrants/ Non-Degree/Special Students	Sep 7, Mon – Sep 8, Tue Sep 7, Mon – Sep 8, Tue Sep 8, Tue	Feb 1, Mon – Feb 5, Fri Feb 2, Tue – Feb 5, Fri Feb 4, Thu – Feb 5, Fri	Jul 1, Thu – Jul 2, Fri
Admissions Committee Meeting	Sep 8, Tue	Feb 5, Fri	
Class pre-orientation and course pack distribution		Feb 18, Thu – Feb 27, Sat	Jun 29, Tue – Jul 3, Sat
START OF CLASSES	Sep 10, Thu	Mar 1, Mon	Jul 5, Mon
Orientation Program for First Years and Transferees Undergraduate Program Graduate Program	Sep 10, Thu Sep 12, Sat		
UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING TO RECOMMEND FOR BOR APPROVAL THE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION as of Midyear AY 2019-2020	Sep 16, Wed		
Last Day of Change of Matriculation ^b	Sep 17, Thu	Mar 5, Fri	Jul 9, Fri
Deadline for Filing Application for Graduation	Sep 24, Thu	Mar 15, Mon	Jul 12, Mon
Deadline of submission by colleges of tentative list of candidates for graduation	Oct 8, Thu	Mar 29, Mon	
UP COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST (UPCAT)	<i>No UPCAT 2021</i>		
UP High School Admission Test (HSAT)		<i>TBA</i>	
<i>Lenten Break for Students</i>		Apr 1, Thu – Apr 4, Sun	
Curriculum Committee Meeting	Sep 25, Fri	Apr 8, Thu	Jul 23, Fri
Mid Semester	Oct 23, Fri	Apr 21, Wed	Jul 27, Tue
UP Cebu CU Anniversary	Oct 27, Tue		
<i>Reading Break</i>	Nov 2, Mon – Nov 6, Fri	Apr 29, Thu – May 5, Wed	Jul 29, Thu – Jul 31, Sat
Last Day for Graduating Students to clear their deficiencies	Nov 4, Wed	May 7, Fri	Aug 6, Fri
Start of Moratorium on Student Activities ^c	Nov 10, Tue	May 13, Thu	
DEADLINE FOR DROPPING SUBJECTS	Nov 13, Fri	May 20, Thu	Aug 10, Tue
DEADLINE FOR FILING LEAVE OF ABSENCE (applies to both enrolled and not currently enrolled students who wish to go on leave)	Nov 25, Wed	May 28, Fri	
Deadline for Filing Residency	Dec 9, Wed	Jun 11, Fri	Aug 20, Fri
END OF CLASSES	Dec 9, Wed	Jun 11, Fri	Aug 20, Fri
Integration Period	Dec 10, Thu	Jun 12, Sat – Jun 13, Sun	Aug 21, Sat – Aug 22, Sun
FINAL EXAMINATIONS Graduating Students Other Students	Dec 11, Fri – Dec 18, Fri	Jun 14, Mon – Jun 15, Tue Jun 16, Wed – Jun 19, Sat	Aug 23, Mon – Aug 26, Thu
UP Foundation Day		Jun 18, Fri	
<i>Christmas Break for Students</i>	Dec 20, Sun – Jan 30, Sat		
DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF GRADES ^d Graduating Students Other Students	Jan 22, Fri	Jun 26, Sat Jun 30, Wed	Sep 7, Tue
Deadline for Colleges to submit to the OUR the approved list of Candidates for Graduation as of: First Semester AY 2020-2021 Second Semester AY 2020-2021 Midyear AY 2020-2021	Mar 24, Wed	Jun 28, Mon	Sep 15, Wed
UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING TO RECOMMEND FOR BOR APPROVAL THE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION as of: First Semester AY 2020-2021 Second Semester AY 2020-2021 Midyear AY 2020-2021	Mar 31, Wed	Jun 30, Wed	Sep 22, Wed
UP High School Recognition and Graduation		Jul 7, Wed	
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES		Jul 16, Fri	

^a A special removal schedule outside this period may be implemented by the Unit subject to removal fees.

^b No change of matriculation involving the taking of a new subject shall be allowed after one week of regular class meetings has been held. [Revised UP Code Art. 353, as amended at 232nd UC Meeting on 04 May 1967 and at 861st BOR Meeting on 29 May 1975]

^c There is a moratorium on student activities starting one (1) month (i.e. 30 days) and strictly two (2) weeks before the end of classes until the last day of the final exam period. During this period, no student activities of any kind will be permitted except for business meetings. [UP Cebu SOA Guidelines as approved by the UP Cebu Dean on 16 August 2014]

^d All reports of grades must be submitted not later than seven days after the last day of the examination period. [Revised UP Code Art. 372, 790th BOR Meeting on 19 Dec 1969, as amended at 792nd BOR Meeting on 25 Feb 1970]

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HOLIDAYS DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR

2020*		2021**	
Jul 31, Fri	Eid'l Adha***	Jan 01, Fri	New Year's Day
Aug 06, Thu	Cebu Provincial Charter Day****	Jan 18, Mon	Sinulog Rest Day****
Aug 21, Fri	Ninoy Aquino Day	Feb 12, Fri	Chinese New Year
Aug 31, Mon	National Heroes Day	Feb 24, Wed	Cebu City Charter Day****
Sep 09, Wed	Osmeña Day****	Feb 25, Thu	EDSA People Power Anniversary
Nov 01, Sun	All Saints Day	Apr 01, Thu	Maundy Thursday
Nov 02, Mon	Additional special (non-working) day	Apr 02, Fri	Good Friday
Nov 30, Mon	Bonifacio Day	Apr 03, Sat	Black Saturday
Dec 04, Fri	Osmeña Birth Anniversary****	Apr 09, Fri	Araw ng Kagitingan
Dec 08, Tue	Feast of the Immaculate Conception	May 01, Sat	Labor Day
Dec 24, Thu	Additional special (non-working) day	May 13, Thu	Eidul Fitr***
Dec 25, Fri	Christmas Day	Jun 12, Sat	Independence Day
Dec 30, Wed	Rizal Day	Jul 16, Fri	Commencement Day*****
Dec 31, Thu	Last Day of the Year	Jul 20, Tue	Eid'l Adha***

* Holidays in 2020 are listed based on Presidential Proclamation No. 845, s. 2019, dated 2019 November 15.

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

*** The exact dates for the national holidays in observance of Eidul Fitr and Eid'l Adha are still to be determined in accordance with the Islamic calendar.

**** for UP Cebu only

***** There will be no classes on the day of the commencement exercises.

Number of School Days, AY 2020-2021

	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Total
August							
September	3	3	3	3	3	3	18
October	4	4	4	5	5	5	27
November	3	4	4	4	4	4	23
December	1	1	2	1	1	1	7
TOTAL	11	12	13	13	13	13	75

	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Total
February	1	1		1	2	2	7
March	5	5	5	4	4	4	27
April	4	4	4	4	3	3	22
May	5	4	4	3	4	4	24
June	2	3	3	3	3	2	16
TOTAL	17	17	16	15	16	15	96

	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Total
June		1	1				2
July	4	3	4	5	5	5	26
August	4	4	4	4	2	2	20
TOTAL	8	8	9	9	7	7	48