

**UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES LOS BAÑOS**  
**ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2023-2024**

	FIRST SEMESTER (August 2023-January 2024)	SECOND SEMESTER (January-May 2024)	MIDYEAR (Jun-August 2024)
Last Day for Non-Degree/Second Degree/Transfer Students to File Application for Admission	10 Jul, Mon	20 Dec, Wed 24 Jan, Wed (Transferees from UP Units)	
Completion/Removal Examination Period**	14 Aug, Mon – 16 Aug, Wed	22 Jan, Mon – 24 Jan, Wed	20 Jun, Thu – 21 Jun, Fri
MEDICAL EXAMINATION New First Year Students New Pre-Baccalaureate Students New Graduate Students Old Returning/Second Degree Students and Transferees Non-Degree Students Continuing Students	20 Jun, Tue – 30 Jun Fri 06 Jul, Thu – 07 Jul, Fri 14 Aug, Mon – 15 Aug, Tue 17 Aug, Thu – 18 Aug, Fri 18 Aug, Fri Optional	11 Dec, Mon – 12 Dec, Tue -- 18 Jan, Thu – 19 Jan, Fri 18 Jan, Thu – 19 Jan, Fri 19 Jan, Fri Optional	
REGISTRATION New First Year Students New Pre-Baccalaureate Students	03 Jul, Mon – 07 Jul, Fri 10 Jul, Mon – 11 Jul, Tue	14 Dec, Thu – 15 Dec, Fri --	
Deadline for Filing Application for Re-admission*** (at OCS) (at OVCAA)	17 Jul, Mon 28 Jul, Fri	26 Jan, Fri 30 Jan, Tue	
GENERAL REGISTRATION (including New Graduate Students)	23 Aug, Wed – 25 Aug, Fri	31 Jan, Wed – 02 Feb, Fri	20 Jun, Thu – 21 Jun, Fri
START OF CLASSES	29 Aug, Tue	05 Feb, Mon	24 Jun, Mon
Opening Convocation for New First Year Students	29 Aug, Tue		
Change of Matriculation Period	29 Aug, Tue – 04 Sep, Mon	05 Feb, Mon – 09 Feb, Fri	24 Jun, Mon – 25 Jun, Tue
Proficiency Examination in Physical Education (PEPE)	30 Aug, Wed – 04 Sep, Mon	06 Feb, Tue – 09 Feb, Fri	
Deadline for Filing Application for the UP College Admission Test (UPCAT)	(To be announced)		
College Faculty Meeting to Approve Candidates for Graduation	11 Sep, Mon (For Midyear 2023 candidates)	12 Feb, Mon (For 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2023-2024 candidates)	08 Jul, Mon (For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2023-2024 candidates)
Last Day for Colleges to Submit Approved List of Candidates for Graduation	14 Sep, Thu	15 Feb, Thu	11 Jul, Thu
University Council Curriculum Committee Meeting	18 Sep, Mon	19 Feb, Mon	10 Jul, Wed
University Council Executive Committee Meeting	25 Sep, Mon	26 Feb, Mon	15 Jul, Mon
UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING TO APPROVE CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION	02 Oct, Mon (For Midyear 2023 candidates)	04 Mar, Mon (For 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2023-2024 candidates)	22 Jul, Mon (For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2023-2024 candidates)
UPLB Foundation Day		06 Mar, Wed	
LOYALTY DAY	10 Oct, Tue		
Midsemester	23 Oct, Mon	04 Apr, Thu	11 Jul, Thu
Reading and Wellness Break	30 Oct, Mon – 04 Nov, Sat	01 Apr, Mon – 06 Apr, Sat	
UP COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST (UPCAT)	(To be announced)		
Deadline for Dropping of Subjects	24 Nov, Fri	06 May, Mon	19 Jul, Fri
Deadline for Filing Leave of Absence	07 Dec, Thu	17 May, Fri	
END OF CLASSES	21 Dec, Thu	31 May, Fri	27 Jul, Sat
Christmas Vacation	22 Dec, Fri – 02 Jan Tue		
Integration Period	03 Jan, Wed	01 Jun, Sat	29 Jul, Mon
FINAL EXAMINATIONS	04 Jan, Thu – 11 Jan, Thu	03 Jun, Mon – 10 Jun, Mon	30 Jul, Tue – 31 Jul, Wed
LAST DAY FOR SUBMITTING GRADES FOR ALL STUDENTS	18 Jan, Thu	17 Jun, Mon	03 Aug, Sat
Board of Regents Meeting to Confirm Graduation	(As per BOR schedule)	(As per BOR schedule)	(As per BOR schedule)
Graduate School Recognition and Hooding Ceremony			02 Aug, Fri
UPLB COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES			03 Aug, Sat

- \* For the Midyear session, 3-unit lecture classes meet 1 hour and 45 minutes daily, Monday to Saturday for the 30 class days.  
 \*\* A special removal outside this period may be implemented by the unit subject to removal fees.  
 \*\*\* Application submitted beyond the deadline will be processed for the following term.

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**OFFICIAL HOLIDAYS\*  
(AY 2023-2024)**

2023			2024		
Monday	21 August	Ninoy Aquino Day	Monday	01 January	New Year's Day
Monday	28 August	National Heroes Day	Saturday	10 February	Lunar New Year
Sunday	17 September	Los Baños Day	Sunday	25 February	EDSA People Power Revolution Anniversary
Wednesday	01 November	All Saints Day	Thursday	28 March	Maundy Thursday
Monday	27 November	Bonifacio Day	Friday	29 March	Good Friday
Friday	08 December	Feast of the Immaculate Conception of Mary	Saturday	30 March	Black Saturday
Sunday	24 December	Christmas Eve	Tuesday	09 April	Araw ng Kagitingan
Monday	25 December	Christmas Day	Wednesday	01 May	Labor Day
Saturday	30 December	Rizal Day	Wednesday	12 June	Independence Day
Sunday	31 December	Last Day of the Year	Wednesday	19 June	Laguna Day
					Eidul Fitr
					Eidul Adha

\* Based on Proclamation No. 90, s. 2022 entitled AMENDING PROCLAMATION NO. 42, S. 2022, DECLARING REGULAR HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAYS FOR THE YEAR 2023 signed by President Ferdinand R. Marcos, Jr. on 09 November 2022.

Los Baños Day as a special non-working holiday on 17 September is based on Republic Act No. 1116 signed by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte on 30 October 2018 which declares 17 September of every year a special non-working holiday in the municipality of Los Baños, province of Laguna, in commemoration of its founding anniversary and the annual Bañamos Festival.

The exact dates for the national holidays in observance of Eidul Fitr and Eidul Adha are still to be determined in accordance with the Islamic Calendar.

Holidays in 2024 are listed according to their original dates pending the issuance of a Presidential Proclamation.

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