

UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES VISAYAS
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2023 – 2024
(Applies to all units except graduate programs)

	FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER	MIDYEAR
Deadline for submission of request for waiver of MRR	Wed, 05 Jul	Thu, 28 Dec	Mon, 20 May
Deadline for transfer students to file application for admission (for FS admission only)	Mon, 17 Jul		
REMOVAL EXAMINATION PERIOD	Wed, 02 Aug – Tue, 15 Aug	Fri, 05 Jan – Thu, 18 Jan	
ADVANCE REGISTRATION FOR FIRST YEAR*			
GENERAL REGISTRATION	Wed, 16 Aug – Sat, 19 Aug	Fri, 19 Jan – Fri, 26 Jan	Fri, 14 Jun – Tue, 18 Jun
START OF CLASSES	Tue, 22 Aug	Mon, 29 Jan	Wed, 19 Jun
Curriculum Committee Meeting	Wed, 30 Aug	Wed, 24 Jan	Wed, 08 May
Last day of Change of Matriculation and Payment	Sat, 09 Sep	Sat, 17 Feb	
DEADLINE FOR STUDENTS TO FILE APPLICATION FOR GRADUATION AT THEIR COLLEGE FOR THOSE GRADUATING AS OF THE END OF: - 1S AY 2023 - 2024 - 2S AY 2023 - 2024 - MY 2024	Thu, 14 Sep	Fri, 16 Feb	Mon, 15 Jul
Deadline for Colleges to submit tentative list of candidates for graduation for those graduating as of the end of: - 1S AY 2023 - 2024 - 2S AY 2023 - 2024 - MY 2024	Thu, 21 Sep	Mon, 26 Feb	Thu, 25 Jul
DEADLINE FOR COLLEGES TO SUBMIT APPROVED LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION AS OF THE END OF: - MY 2023 - 1S AY 2023 - 2024 - 2S AY 2023 - 2024	Fri, 22 Sep	Thu, 22 Feb Tue, 18 Jun	
UNIVERSITY COUNCIL MEETING TO APPROVE CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION AS OF: - MY 2023 - 1S AY 2023 - 2024 - 2S AY 2023 - 2024	Wed, 04 Oct	Wed, 06 Mar Wed, 26 Jun	
UP COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST (UPCAT) FOR 2025-2026 INTAKE*			
MID-SEMESTER/MID-SUMMER	Fri, 20 Oct	Tue, 26 Mar	Sat, 06 Jul
Reading Break	Thu, 12 Oct – Wed, 18 Oct	Mon, 01 Apr – Sat, 06 Apr	Sun, 07 Jul – Tue, 09 Jul
Reading Break for split-sem schedule (1)	Thu, 14 Sep – Sat, 16 Sep	Thu, 22 Feb – Sat, 24 Feb	
Reading Break for split-sem schedule (2)	Mon, 13 Nov – Wed, 15 Nov	Thu, 25 Apr – Sat, 27 Apr	
LAST DAY FOR GRADUATING STUDENTS TO CLEAR DEFICIENCIES INCURRED IN PREVIOUS SEMESTERS	Mon, 11 Dec	Thu, 16 May	Thu, 18 Jul
DEADLINE FOR DROPPING SUBJECTS	Mon, 20 Nov	Fri, 19 Apr	Mon, 15 Jul
DEADLINE FOR FILING LEAVE OF ABSENCE	Fri, 01 Dec	Thu, 09 May	
END OF CLASSES	Tue, 19 Dec	Thu, 23 May	Tue, 23 Jul
LANTERN PARADE	Wed, 20 Dec		
Integration Period		Fri, 24 May – Sat, 25 May	Wed, 24 Jul
CHRISTMAS VACATION	Thu, 21 Dec – Mon, 01 Jan		
FINAL EXAMINATION - GRADUATING STUDENTS - OTHER STUDENTS	Wed, 03 Jan Thu, 04 Jan – Wed, 10 Jan	Mon, 27 May Tue, 28 May – Tue, 04 Jun	Thu, 25 Jul – Fri, 26 Jul
SUBMISSION OF GRADES - GRADUATING STUDENTS - OTHER STUDENTS	Thu, 11 Jan Fri, 12 Jan – Wed, 17 Jan	Wed, 05 Jun Thu, 06 Jun – Tue, 11 Jun	Wed, 31 Jul – Thu, 01 Aug
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES - UPV (ILOILO) - UPV TACLOBAN COLLEGE		Thu, 18 Jul Tue, 23 Jul	

* Date to be announced



HOLIDAYS DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR

2023

Mon	21	Aug	Ninoy Aquino Day
Fri	25	Aug	Iloilo City Charter Day ****
Mon	28	Aug	National Heroes Day
Fri	20	Oct	Leyte Landing ***
Wed	1	Nov	All Saint's Day
Thu	2	Nov	Additional Special (Non-Working) Day
Wed	8	Nov	Special (non-working) day ***
Mon	27	Nov	Bonifacio Day
Fri	8	Dec	Feast of Immaculate Concepcion of Mary
Mon	18	Dec	Lopez Jaena Day **
Mon	25	Dec	Christmas Day
Sat	30	Dec	Rizal Day

2024

Mon	1	Jan	New Year's Day
Sat	10	Feb	Chinese Lunar New Year's Day
Sun	11	Feb	Evilio Javier **
Sun	25	Feb	People Power Anniversary
Mon	18	Mar	Liberation of Panay **
Thu	28	Mar	Maundy Thursday
Fri	29	Mar	Good Friday
Sat	30	Mar	Black Saturday
Tue	9	Apr	Araw ng Kagitingan
Wed	10	Apr	Eidul Fitr
Wed	1	May	Labor Day
Wed	12	Jun	Independence Day
Mon	17	Jun	Eid'l Adha
Sun	30	Jun	Tacloban City Charter Day ***
UPCAT for AY 2025-2026 Intake (UP Only)			

** For Iloilo only

*** For Tacloban only

**** For Iloilo City only

NUMBER OF SCHOOL DAYS, AY 2023-2024

ILOILO

1st Sem	M	T	W	Th	F	S	Total
Aug	0	2	2	2	0	1	7
Sept	4	4	4	4	5	5	26
Oct	5	5	4	4	4	4	26
Nov	3	4	4	4	4	4	23
Dec	2	3	2	2	2	3	14
TOTAL	14	18	16	16	15	17	96

TACLOBAN

M	T	W	Th	F	S	Total
0	2	2	2	1	1	8
4	4	4	4	5	5	26
5	5	4	4	3	4	25
3	4	3	4	4	4	22
3	3	2	2	2	3	15
15	18	15	16	15	17	96

2nd Sem	M	T	W	Th	F	S	Total
Jan	1	1	1	0	0	0	3
Feb	4	4	4	5	4	3	24
Mar	3	4	4	3	4	4	22
Apr	5	4	3	4	4	4	24
May	3	3	3	4	3	3	19
TOTAL	16	16	15	16	15	14	92

M	T	W	Th	F	S	Total
1	1	1	0	0	0	3
4	4	4	5	4	3	24
4	4	4	3	4	4	23
5	4	3	4	4	4	24
3	3	3	4	3	3	19
17	16	15	16	15	14	93

President Ferdinand R. Marcos, Jr. signed Proclamation No. 90, S. 2022 entitled AMENDING PROCLAMATION NO. 42, S. 2022, DECLARING THE REGULAR HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL (WORKING/NON-WORKING) DAYS FOR THE YEAR 2023.

According to the proclamation No. 90, the Philippines' 2023 holidays are categorized into two: Regular Holidays and Special (Non-Working) Days.

The proclamation also has provisions for the national holidays in the observance of Eidul Fitr and Eidul Adha, but the exact dates are still to be determined in accordance with the Islamic Calendar or the lunar calendar.

Holidays in 2024 are listed in their original dates pending the issuance of Presidential proclamation.

