



# UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS

## OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

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**TO :** HEADS OF ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS

**FROM :** OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

**RE :** ACADEMIC (COLLEGIATE) CALENDAR AND CALENDAR OF UNIVERSITY-WIDE RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES FOR AY 2025-2026

**DATE :** 25 April 2025

In coordination with the Permanent Committee on Enrollment and the Office of the Vice Rector for Religious Affairs, the University issues the **Academic (Collegiate) Calendar** (See Annex 1) and **Calendar of University-wide Religious Activities** for UST Manila, AY 2025-2026 (See Annex 2). Integral to the Academic Calendar are the following:

### A. MAJOR EXAMINATIONS

Term	Preliminary Examinations	Final Examinations
First Term	October 8-11, 2025	December 12-13, 15-16, 2025
Second Term	March 18-21, 2026	May 9 (Start of Final Exams for graduating students) May 26-29, 2026 (undergraduate students)

**Note:** The Academic Units, except those that observe *shifting examinations* (i.e., Nursing, Rehabilitation Sciences, Pharmacy and Medicine and Surgery) are allowed to set their respective schedules of Preliminary Examinations, within or close to the set four-day Preliminary and Final Examinations.

### B. MORATORIUM PERIODS ON STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS' ACTIVITIES (See Annex 2)

Term	One (1) week before the Preliminary Examinations	One (1) week before the Final Examinations
First Term	October 1-7, 2025	December 5-11, 14, 2025
Second Term	March 11-17, 2026	May 19-25, 2026

The observance of the **week-long moratorium on student activities prior to major examinations** is still ***strictly enforced***, even during the implementation of the hybrid learning.

The academic units, and some concerned administrative units, are enjoined to observe the aforementioned schedule to ensure a balance of students' academic engagements and activities towards their holistic formation. "*Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and He will establish your plans*" (Proverbs 16:3). Thank you.

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Secretary-General