CALENDAR FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2010

SPRING SEMESTER 2010 (April 1 - September 20)

Entrance Ceremony for New Degree Students	. April 1 (Thu.)
Orientation for New Degree Students	. April 2 (Fri.)
Guidance for Transfer Students	
Orientation for New Exchange Students	. April 2 (Fri.)
Orientation for New Non-Degree Students	. April 1 (Thu.)
New Student Placement Tests/Interview	
English	. April 1 (Thu.)
Japanese	. April 2 (Fri.)
Other Languages	. April 7 (Wed.)
Orientation Camp for New Degree Students	
Advising for All Students	. April 7 (Wed.)
Pre-Registration (sophomores, juniors, seniors)	. April 3 (Sat.) - 5 (Mon.)
Pre-Registration (freshmen, exchange/non-degree students)	. April 6 (Tue.) - 8 (Thu.)
Results of Pre-Registration Available on Loyola	. April 11 (Sun.) -
Classes	. April 12 (Mon.) - July 22 (Thu.)
Days for Make-up Classes	. July 3 (Sat.), 10 (Sat.) & 17 (Sat.)
Course Registration (juniors, seniors)	. April 12 (Mon.) - 17 (Sat.)
Course Registration (freshmen, sophomores,	
exchange/non-degree students)	
Results of Course Registration Available on Loyola	. April 18 (Sun.) - 19 (Mon.)
Self-evaluation period (seniors)	. April 18 (Sun.) - 21 (Wed.)
Course Adjustment	. April 20 (Tue.) - 21 (Wed.)
Final Confirmation of Course Registration Available on Loyola.	. April 23 (Fri.)
Cancellation Period	. April 23 (Fri.) - 28 (Wed.)
Tuition Bill Sent	. April 30 (Fri.)
Tuition Payment Deadline	. May 21 (Fri.)
Leave of Absence Application Deadline	. May 31 (Mon.)
Withdrawal Period	. June 11 (Fri.) - 16 (Wed.)
Sophomore Guidance	. June 17 (Thu.)
Final Exam Schedule Available on Loyola	. July 9 (Fri.)
Final Examinations	. July 23 (Fri.) – July 30 (Fri.)
Deadline for Request for Make-up Exam	. to be announced later
Make-up Exams	. late August-early September
Summer Session	C J 1
Course Registration	. June 21 (Mon.) - 25 (Fri.)
Orientation	` ' ' ' '
Classes	. July 29 (Thu.) - August 17 (Tue.)
Final Examination.	
Summer Vacation	• ,
Grades available on Loyola (for senior graduating students)	
Deadline for Request for Grade Confirmation	2 , ,
(for senior graduating students)	. August 31 (Tue.) - September 1 (Wed.)
Announcement of Graduating Students	
Grades available on Loyola (juniors)	
(sophomores)	
(freshmen)	. ,
Graduation Ceremony	
Deadline for Request for Grade Confirmation	
(for 2010 Spring Courses)	September 30 (Thu.)
(201 2010 Spring Courses)	. September 50 (Thu.)

AUTUMN SEMESTER 2010 (September 21 - March 31, 2011)

Entrance Ceremony for New Degree Students	September 21 (Tue.)
Orientation for New Degree Students	
Guidance for Transfer Students	September 22 (Wed.)
Orientation for New Exchange Students	
Orientation for New Non-Degree Students	
New Student Placement Tests/Interview	
English	September 21 (Tue.)
Japanese	September 22 (Wed.)
Other Languages	September 22 (Wed.)
Orientation Camp for New Degree Students	September 26 (Sun.) - 27 (Mon.)
Advising for All Students	September 28 (Tue.)
Pre-Registration	September 25 (Sat.) - 28 (Tue.)
Results of Pre Registration Available on Loyola	
Classes	October 1 (Fri.) - December 22 (Wed.)
	January 5 (Wed.) - January 26 (Wed.)
Virtual Monday*	January 12 (Wed.)
Days for Make-up Classes	January 8 (Sat.), 15 (Sat.) & 22 (Sat.)
Course Registration (juniors, seniors)	October 1 (Fri.) - 7 (Thu.)
Course Registration (freshmen, sophomores,	
exchange/non-degree students)	October 2 (Sat.) - 7 (Thu.)
Results of Course Registration Available	October 8 (Fri.) - 9 (Sat.)
Self-evaluation period (seniors)	October 8 (Fri.) - 11 (Mon.)
Course Adjustment	October 10 (Sun.) - 11 (Mon.)
Final Confirmation of Course Registration Available on Loyola	October 13 (Wed.)
Cancellation Period	October 13 (Wed.) - 18 (Mon.)
Tuition Bill Sent	October 22 (Fri.)
Tuition Payment Deadline	November 12 (Fri.)
Leave of Absence Application Deadline	November 30 (Tue.)
Sophomore Guidance	December 2 (Thu.)
Withdrawal Period	December 10 (Fri.) - 15 (Wed.)
Winter Recess	December 23 (Thu.) - January 4 (Tue.)
Final Exam Schedule Available on Loyola	January 13 (Thu.)
Final Examinations	January 27 (Thu.) - February 3 (Thu.)
Deadline for Request for Make-up Exam	
Spring Vacation	February 4 (Fri.) - March 31 (Thu.)
Grades available on Loyola (for senior graduating students)	
Deadline for Request for Grade Confirmation	
(for senior graduating students)	March 1 (Tue.) - 2 (Wed.)
Announcement of Graduating Students	March 15 (Tue.) 10:00-
Grades available on Loyola (for juniors)	March 16 (Wed.)
(for sophomores)	March 17 (Thu.)
(for freshmen)	
Graduation Ceremony	March 23 (Wed.)
Deadline for Request for Grade Confirmation	4 T T

^{*}To ensure that each course is held a sufficient number of hours to fulfill the regulations set by the Ministry of Education and Science (MEXT), a make-up class day for Monday holiday is scheduled at the end of the term prior to the examination period.

HOLIDAYS AND NO-CLASS DAYS

Spring Semester:

April 29 (Thu.) Day of Showa (National Holiday)

May 3 (Mon.) Constitution Memorial Day (National Holiday)

May 4 (Tue.) Greenery Day (National Holiday)
May 5 (Wed.) Children's Day (National Holiday)
*Although July 19 (Mon.) is Marine Day, classes will be held.

Autumn Semester:

November 1 (Mon.)
November 2 (Tue.)
November 3 (Wed.)
December 3 (Fri.)
Foundation Day (School Holiday)
Memorial Service (No-Class Day)
Culture Day (National Holiday)
St. Xavier's Day (School Holiday)

December 23 (Thu.) The Emperor's Birthday (National Holiday)

January 10 (Mon.) Adults' Day (National Holiday)

*Although October 11 (Mon.) and November 23 (Tue.) are public holidays, classes will be held.

Any additional no-class days will be announced on the Loyola bulletin board.

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