

Republic of the Philippines OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION



CHED MEMORANDUM ORDER (CMO)

No. 09 Series of 2001.

SUBJECT :

COLLEGIATE CALENDAR FOR ACADEMIC YEAR (AY) 2001 - 2002

In accordance with the pertinent provisions of Republic Act (RA) No. 7722, otherwise known as the "Higher Education Act of 1994," the Calendar for Academic Year (AY) 2001 - 2002 for the collegiate level is hereby promulgated, thus:

- A. As a general rule, the opening of classes for all Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) for AY 2001-2002 shall not be earlier than the first Monday of June 2001 nor later than the 4th Monday of the same month.
- B. Specifically, the following dates and periods shall apply, to wit:
- 1) The collegiate calendar for AY 2001-2002 will begin on Monday, 4 June 2001, and will end on 09 March 2002. Collegiate school days shall consist of not leas than eighteen (18) weeks per semester and six (6) weeks for summer classes, excluding Christmas, semestral and summer breaks. "The said school days shall include examination days and class days which may be suspended use to natural or man-made causes.
 - a. The first semester will start on 4 June 2001 and will end on 6 October 2001;
 - The second semester will start on 22 October 2001 and will end on 09 March 2002; and
 - c. Summer classes will start on 1 April 2002 and will end on 11 May 2002.
- The Christmas break will begin on 17 December 2001 and will end on 1 January 2002.
- C. In addition to the regular and special public holidays recognized by law (Sections 26 and 27, Chapter 7, Administrative Code of 1987), HEIs may observe school holidays, provided that the minimum collegiate school days within a semester or summer stated in B.1 hered are stiticly followed and provided, furthermore, that the minimum length of actual student contact time of seventien (17) hours, inclusive of examinations, shall be observed for every one-unit collegiate academic credit.

- D. HEIs, including those offering graduate degree programs, adopting the trimestral system may establish their own school calendars and opening days provided the concerned Higher Education Regional Office (HERO) is properly informed of their particular schedules, and provided further that the required minimum number of class hours and class days herein set forth are met.
- E. HEIs using alternative instruction delivery modes may establish their own school calendar and opening days provided the concerned Higher Education Regional Office is properly informed of their particular schedules and delivery schemes and/or modules, provided further, that such programs to be offered including delivery schemes have prior approval of the Commission en banc.
- F. The Collegiate Calendar for AY 2001-2002 and the distribution of class days by weeks/months per semester and summer are hereby enclosed for the guidance of all concerned.

Pasig City, Philippines, 6 March 2001

40.00

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Republic of the Philippiness Office of the President COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

COLLEGIATE CALENDAR FOR CY 2001-2002

June 4, 2001 - October 6, 2001

Second Semester, Oct. 22, 2001 - March 09, 2002

October 7-21,2001 = 14 Days

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