

51st Commencement Exercises
GRADUATION GUIDELINES

REHEARSALS • SOUVENIR PROGRAM AND ADMISSION TICKETS

Rehearsing the graduation rites is necessary to ensure smooth flow of ceremonies including academic procession, proper time to stand and sit, transfer of tassel, symbolic diploma acceptance, and recessional. Each candidate for graduation is given three (3) admission tickets (one (1) for the candidate and two (2) for the companions and one souvenir program. These will be distributed at the Ugnayang La Salle after each rehearsal. Therefore, all candidates for graduation are required to attend the rehearsals at the Ugnayang La Salle according to the following schedule:

July 28, 2026	9:00 AM	CBAA, CTHM
	2:00 PM	CCJE, CICS, COS
July 29, 2026	9:00 AM	CEAT
	1:00 PM	CPGS/SGPSCL, COED, CLAC

BACCALAUREATE MASS, HOODING CEREMONY AND HONORS' ASSEMBLY

GRADUATE PROGRAMS		
July 30, 2026	7:00 AM	Entry to the Ugnayang La Salle
	8:00 AM	Baccalaureate Mass
	9:00 AM	Break
	9:30 AM	Honors' Assembly and Hooding Ceremony
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS		
July 30, 2026	12:00 NN	Entry to the Ugnayang La Salle
	1:00 PM	Baccalaureate Mass
	2:00 PM	Break
	2:30 PM	Honors' Assembly

- The **Baccalaureate Mass** serves as a prelude to the graduation proper and the University's way to bless your path towards another beginning in your life. All candidates for graduation must attend this mass.
- **Appropriate attire.** All graduates must wear their toga over semi-formal clothes with the following specifications:
 - **For Graduate Programs** (Doctor's and Master's): Only wear your cap and toga over semi-formal clothes upon entry to the ULS. Have one of your companions carry your hood on his/her left arm upon going up the stage for the Hooding and Awarding Ceremony,

- **For Undergraduate Programs** (Bachelor's): Please wear the complete graduation attire (toga, cap, and hood) from entry to the ULS until the end of the ceremonies. Clothes under your toga must be semi-formal.
- **Two (2) guests (friends or relatives)** are requested to accompany you on stage the recipients of academic/special awards and/or Hooding Ceremony.
- **Seat Numbers** are given to awardees, candidates for the Hooding Ceremony, and guests. The seat numbers correspond to the sequence of going up on stage.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES (GRADUATION PROPER)

The Commencement Exercises (graduation proper) will be held at **THE THEATRE AT SOLAIRE** (1 Asean Avenue, Entertainment City, Tambo, Paranaque City 1701) according to the following schedule:

Batch 1: August 4 – CBAA, CTHM • 8:00 AM – Call Time Open house for companions and assembly of graduates • 9:15 AM – Academic procession
Batch 2: August 4 – CCJE, CICS, COS • 2:00 PM – Call Time Open house for companions and assembly of graduates • 3:15 PM – Academic Procession
Batch 3: August 5 – CEAT-Engineering Department • 8:00 AM – Call Time Open house for companions and assembly of graduates • 9:15 AM – Academic procession
Batch 4: August 5 – CPGS/SGPSCL, COED, CLAC • 1:00 PM – Call Time Open house for companions and assembly of graduates • 2:15 PM – Academic Procession
Batch 5: August 5 (6PM) – CEAT-Architecture Department and Multimedia Department • 5:00 PM – Call Time Open house for companions and assembly of graduates • 6:15 PM – Academic Procession