

# Loma Learning Communities

**A Journey through Freshman Year**  
Using journaling, scrap booking and stamping  
to document your first year at Point Loma  
(For 14 freshmen) Located in 1<sup>st</sup> South Klassen

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## Description

How do you want to remember your freshman year? Will you journal? Take pictures? Call home to Mom and Dad? We have a unique opportunity in Klassen Hall, a freshman/sophomore residence, for women to live together and create long lasting memories. We will use a variety of creative methods: scrap booking, photography, journaling, and stamping to document the feelings, challenges, struggles, relationships, fun times, hard times, and growth that come with college life. At the end of the year, you will walk away with an album with over 30 pages of your life changing experiences.

## Syllabus

Fall semester 2007

NSO August 17<sup>th</sup> (Friday) 7:00pm-9:00pm  
Introduction of program, and hall

We will meet **Weds. Nights** from 7:00pm-9:00pm the following dates:

### **August 29<sup>th</sup>**

Theme: Move In/1st week experience

Ideas: How did you feel that first day, what happened this week (good or bad)

### **Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>**

New Friends/Hall mates

Are your new friends also your hall mates? Have you met anyone really interesting?

### **Sept. 26<sup>th</sup>**

Strengths Quest

Describe your strengths and what you have learned about yourself

### **October 10<sup>th</sup>**

San Diego Tour (Field Trip)

How did you like San Diego? Where was your favorite place?

### **October 24<sup>th</sup>**

Poetry (Partnership with Poet)

Write your own poetry or pick out your favorites

### **November 7<sup>th</sup>**

God's Creation

Spend some time reflecting on God's beautiful creation

### **November 28<sup>th</sup>**

Homecoming/Holidays

What did you participate in for Homecoming?

Do you have any special traditions for the holidays?

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Spring Semester 2008

### **1<sup>st</sup> meeting**

Home Sweet Home/Dorm Sweet Dorm

Share your time away. What is so special about your floor/hall/PLNU?

### **2<sup>nd</sup> meeting**

Community Service

Give back to the community

### **3<sup>rd</sup> meeting**

Love

What does love mean to you? God's love?

### **4<sup>th</sup> meeting**

Scrap book experts

Learn some new and fun scrap book techniques

### **5<sup>th</sup> meeting**

Midterms

What stresses you out? What helps? Where do you go?

### **6<sup>th</sup> meeting**

What have I learned?

About myself? Life? Friends? Family?

### **7<sup>th</sup> meeting**

I can't believe it is almost over...

Share your thoughts and pictures about your 1<sup>st</sup> year adventure