



# What can your team achieve?

Utilize Loyola's challenge course to recharge and develop together outside of the classroom or workplace.

The challenge course at Loyola University's Retreat and Ecology Campus was built in 2011 and provides an ideal setting for challenge, reflection, and learning. One of the largest courses of its kind in Illinois, Loyola's course includes a three-sided climbing tower, two high-rope courses, a zipline, and 15 low-rope elements. A customized team-building program can be developed for all group types including Loyola faculty/staff departments, athletic groups, student organizations, club sport teams, ministry groups, orientation leaders, and sororities/fraternities. We will partner with your group to develop a program tailored to the desired goals of your team. Customized program possibilities can include goal setting, effective communication, problem solving, leadership, and cooperation – all skills that can be applied to your responsibilities within Loyola University Chicago and everyday life.

## PROGRAM OPTIONS

### Low Ropes (2–4 hours)

Customized progression of group initiatives and low rope elements including reflections for learning objectives.

### Low and High Ropes (5–6 hours)

Customized progression of group initiatives, low rope elements, and high ropes including reflections for learning objectives.

*\* Physical challenges are tailored to each group's desires.*

## LEARNING OUTCOMES FROM PROGRAMS

- Effective communication and listening
- Problem solving
- Goal setting
- Leadership development
- Group cooperation
- Inspiring creativity
- Building trust
- Risk taking

## PROGRAMS HAVE BEEN BENEFICIAL FOR GROUPS THAT ARE:

- Preparing for a new project or event
- Meeting together as a team for the first time
- Interested in team bonding and fun interactions together
- In need of growth opportunities together
- Looking to overcome obstacles
- Wanting to reconnect with each other

## PRICING: LOYOLA RATES

Program options	Faculty/ Staff	Student
Low Ropes (2–4 hours)	\$25	*\$22
Low & High Ropes (5–6 hours)	\$35	*\$32
Housing/ meal plan		
Dorm: double occupancy	\$60	*\$50
Hotel: double occupancy	\$70	*\$50
Dorm: single occupancy	\$70	*\$50
Hotel: single occupancy	\$80	*\$50

*All pricing is based per person.*

*Challenge course is available for groups of 12-100+.*

*\*The Division of Student Development values the experiences offered through the challenge course and provides a subsidy in order to keep prices affordable for Loyola students. Once approved for the DSD subsidy, groups will receive a \$12 per person reimbursement after the program for the challenge course and \$25 for housing.*

*\*Note: Hotel-style rooms are based on availability at the time of your booking.*

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