



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
 Caraga Region
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SURIGAO DEL SUR

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

26 AUGUST 2021

Office MEMORANDUM
 No. 415, s. 2021

WORLD TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

To : Division Office Personnel
 PSDSs/DICs

1. The Department of Education in coordination with the National Teachers' Day Coordinating Council (NTDC) and the National Teachers' Month Coordinating Council (NTMCC) will celebrate the National Teachers' Month from September 5 to October 5, 2021 with the theme, "My Teacher, My Frontline Hero". This is pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 242 declaring period from September 5 to October 5 as National Teachers' Month, as well as Republic Act No. 10743 titled an Act Declaring the 5th day of October of Every Year as the National Teachers' Day.
2. The celebrations aim to:
 - a. honor those who are in the teaching position;
 - b. acknowledge and give emphasis on the crucial role, loyal service and dedicated commitment of teachers in developing globally-minded citizens, nurturing families, strengthening communities, and building the nation;
 - c. revitalize the image of and respect for teaching as a vocation by increasing public awareness on the awareness on the value of teachers in the Philippine Society;
 - d. generate widespread support and assistance for teachers; and
 - e. express gratitude positive influences of teachers on Filipino learners.
3. Anent to this, this division will be holding the Teachers' Day Virtual Launching on September 6 at 8:30 in the morning. All schools are also directed to have NTMC Launching and submit reports for consolidation of the district. Reports relative to NTMC shall be uploaded to this link, <https://tinyurl.com/Teachers-Day-Reports>.
4. All schools, including school districts and schools division office are enjoined to follow synchronized programs and activities. (Refer to Enclosure A)
5. There will be awards to be given to districts with active NTMC implementation or those districts with unique Teacher Appreciation activities aside from the given activities in enclosure A. (Refer to Enclosure B)
6. Activities in the field shall be monitored through the uploading of documentation to this drive link, <https://tinyurl.com/Teachers-Day-Reports>.



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7. For immediate dissemination and guidance.

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Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: A. NTMC Activities, B. Mechanics of the Contested Events
Reference: DM 063, s. 2020, Presidential Proclamation No. 242

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ENCLOSURE A. Activities of the National Teachers' Month Celebration

Activities	Timeline	Persons Involved	Description
LAUNCHING PROGRAM ACTIVITIES			
Division/School Virtual Launching Program	September 6-10, 2021	Division Office Personnel PSDS/DICs School Heads Teachers	The Division will be holding the Launching Program on September 6 and all schools follow at their own schedule up to September 10.
Tinig ng Makabagong Bayani (Teachers' Singing Competition)	During the Division Launching Program	Teachers	Refer to Enclosure B for the mechanics
Virtual Raffle Draw	During the Division Launching Program	Division Office Personnel Teachers Stakeholders	This is a special segment during the virtual launching program where teachers will be given valuable items through a raffle draw.
Posting of Streamers	Whole duration of the Celebration	All districts/schools	District/schools shall hang streamers or post on their main bulletin boards about the celebration.
WHOLE MONTH CELEBRATION ACTIVITIES			
#ThankATeacher	Whole duration of the month-long Celebration	Students Teachers Alumni	Students/Alumni shall celebrate good memories with teachers by posting daily virtual cards, certificates, stickers, videos, tiktok series, poems, songs, etc.
#BlueForED	During the Launching & Culmination Program and to be worn every Monday	Teachers, School Heads, Non-teaching Personnel	Wear a touch of blue to recognize teachers on Social Media with hashtag BlueForED during launching and culmination and every Monday within the duration of the month-long celebration.
Establishment of Teacher Appreciation Online Page	Whole duration of the Celebration	Teachers, School Heads, Non-teaching Personnel, Students	A special online portal to post ideas and tools to thank teachers. This will be visible online from the



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			division office and all districts.
Stakeholders' Surprise Visit/Giving of Gift	Anytime of the duration of the celebration (Observe Health Protocol)	Alumni Stakeholders	Organize stakeholders to pay a surprise visit to teacher's home, showering them with freebies and gifts.
#TreatATeacher	Anytime of the duration of the celebration (Observe Health Protocol)	Division Office All districts	All districts shall mobilize the support of the community and establishments by encouraging them to treat teachers for discounts, special treats and promos.
My Teacher, My Frontline Hero Story	Daily posting in DepEd Tayo-Surigao del Sur Division Facebook Page	All districts	(Refer to Enclosure B for the mechanics)
Plant A Tree	Anytime of the duration of the celebration (Observe Health Protocol)	All districts/schools	All districts/schools shall schedule for a tree planting activity on spaces near the school. All have to observe health protocols.
NTMC CULMINATION PROGRAM			
Panalangin Para Sa Mga Guro	During the Division Culmination Program	Teachers, School Heads, Non-teaching Personnel, Students	The division shall facilitate a Holy Mass and a simultaneous prayer for the teachers to be streamed live via DepEd Tayo-Surigao del Sur Division FB Page.
MGA HUGOT NG GURO (Spoken Poetry Tiktok Competition)	During the Division Culmination Program	Teachers	(Refer to Enclosure B for the mechanics and Criteria)
LIKHANG MUSIKA (Jingle Competition)	During the Division Culmination Program	Teachers	(Refer to Enclosure B for the mechanics and Criteria)



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Enclosure B. Mechanics and Criteria of Contested Events

1. BEST TEACHER APPRECIATION ONLINE PAGE

- ❖ Each district shall create an online page to post creative ways to appreciate and honor teachers;
- ❖ Each district is free to create a name of the online page;
- ❖ All schools shall participate on the posting of teacher appreciation notes, poems, songs, tiktok series, cards, video presentations, etc.;
- ❖ Each district shall show a variety of ways to appreciate teachers by making the online page interactive.

CRITERIA:

PRIZES

Online Page Content	50%	1st Place	- 10,000php with Paque
Adherence to the Theme	25%	2nd Place	- 7,000php with Plaque
Visual Impact	25%	3rd Place	- 5,000php with Plaque

2. TINIG NG MAKABAGONG BAYANI (Teachers' Singing Competition)

- ❖ Open to all teaching personnel of this division
- ❖ Each district shall have one (1) contestant
- ❖ The contestant may cover any inspirational song that would relate to the heroism of teachers (Filipino/English) and shall submit entry form to the Screening Committee to avoid duplication of contest piece.
- ❖ The contestant may use minus one or any recorded accompaniment.
- ❖ The contestant's video shoot must be done with green screen background, in whole body to half body/focused transition. Isyudyo Madayaw shall provide a common background as virtual stage.
- ❖ Each contestant shall submit their entry in video format with the following specifications: 1920 x 1080p, 24 fps, MP4 format. The video must contain the lyrics of the song as subtitle.
- ❖ Deadline of the submission of entry shall be on

CRITERIA:

Voice Quality	- 40%
Diction/ Enunciation	- 15%
Showmanship and expression	- 30%
Relevance to the theme	- 10%
Video Quality	- 5%

PRIZES:

1st Prize - Php. 5,000.00 with Plaque



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- 2nd Prize - Php. 3,000.00 with Certificate
3rd Prize - Php. 2,000.00 with Certificate

3. MGA HUGOT NG GURO (Spoken Poetry Tiktok Competition)

MECHANICS:

- ❖ Open to all teaching personnel of this division
- ❖ Each district shall have one (1) contestant
- ❖ Content must be original, but contestants may use any appropriate song or music background.
- ❖ Video entry must contain the official Tiktok watermark to prove that it has been uploaded to the platform. This is to ensure fairness as to video quality.
- ❖ Deadline of the submission of entry shall be disseminated in a separate issuance.

CRITERIA:

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| Originality | - 20% |
| Content/ Message
(appropriateness, relevance to the theme
clarity and Poetics) | - 40% |
| Delivery
(enunciation, diction, articulation,
expression) | - 40% |

PRIZES:

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| 1 st Prize | - Php. 5,000.00 with Plaque |
| 2 nd Prize | - Php. 3,000.00 with Certificate |
| 3 rd Prize | - Php. 2,000.00 with Certificate |

4. LIKHANG MUSIKA (Jingle Competition)

MECHANICS:

- ❖ Open to all teaching personnel of this division
- ❖ Each district shall have one (1) entry composed of not more than 6 performers.
- ❖ The jingle must be written in Filipino language. It must be an original composition of a teacher and not been used in any competition before.
- ❖ Any musical instrument can be used
- ❖ Deadline of the submission of entry shall be disseminated in a separate issuance.



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CRITERIA

Originality	- 20%
Musicality (tone, melody, accompaniment, arrangement)	- 40%
Lyrical Creativity (simple, appropriate lyrics, creative use literary devices)	- 20%
Interpretation (Appropriate delivery of the Song)	- 20%

5. MY TEACHER, MY FRONTLINE HERO STORY

- ❖ This is for daily posting in DepEd-Tayo Surigao del Sur Division FB Page;
- ❖ Each district shall submit One-page layout featuring photos and unique story of a certain teacher being the frontline hero in distance learning;
- ❖ Submission shall be on September 1 to start the daily posting.

Note: ***Any inconformity to the mechanics set herein shall become basis for disqualification.***



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