



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region X
DIVISION OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL
Velez St., Cagayan de Oro City



June 8, 2016

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 233, s. 2016

To: **Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors/In Charge
Elementary and Secondary School Heads**

From: **CHERRY MAE L. LIMBACO, Ph.D., CESO V**
Schools Division Superintendent

Re: **Monitoring of First Day of Classes of Senior High School
for SY 2016-2017 by the Chiefs of Operational Divisions of the
Regional Office**

1. This Memorandum is in corollary to DepEd Memorandum dated June 2, 2016 with the subject: **BALIK ESKWELA 2016 CAMPAIGN: TAYO – HANDANG MAGSIMULA PARA SA KABATAANG FILIPINO.**
2. The Department of Education, Region X, Northern Mindanao will witness the First day of classes of selected Senior High Schools in this region on June 13, 2016. This is to monitor the smooth opening and help students get motivated to attend and finish senior high school through this memorable and meaningful first day of school experience.
3. School Heads of Senior High Schools is expected to plan and strategized for a brief but fitting ceremony to welcome and mark in the history of the school, the first batch of Grade 11 students. The involvement of stakeholders is also strongly encouraged in the conduct of the said activity.
4. It is further suggested that the ceremonial welcome which is in **FESTIVE MOOD** be done before or during the flag ceremony so that students can attend to their scheduled classes after the said activity.
5. Hereunder are identified schools under the Division of Misamis Oriental that will be visited by the Chiefs of Operational Divisions of the Regional Office.

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| RD ALLAN G. FARNAZO | LAGUINDINGAN NHS |
| ARD SHIRLEY O. CHATTO | LAGUINDINGAN NHS |
| MARY ANN D. NERI – Finance Chief | OPOL NATIONAL TECHNICAL HS |

6. For guidance and compliance.



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**TO: ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
CHIEFS OF THE OPERATIONAL DIVISIONS OF THE REGION**

FROM: ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Regional Director

**SUBJECT: MONITORING OF FIRST DAY OF CLASSES OF SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOR
SY 2016-2017**

DATE: JUNE 6, 2016

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The Schools Division Superintendents through the School Heads of Senior High Schools is expected to plan and strategized for a brief but fitting ceremony to welcome and mark in the history of the school, the first batch of Grade 11 students. The involvement of all stakeholders is also strongly encouraged in the conduct of the said activity.

It is further suggested that the ceremonial welcome which is in festive mood be done before or during the flag ceremony so that students can attend to their scheduled classes after the said activity.

Hereunder are the identified schools that will be visited by the Chiefs of Operational Divisions of the Regional Office.

MONITORING ASSIGNMENTS:

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| 1.RD ALLAN G. FARNAZO | Laguindingan National HS | Div. of Misamis Oriental |
| 2.ARD SHIRLEY O. CHATTO | | Div. of Misamis Oriental |
| 3. ALLAN MANZALADEZ- PPRD Chief | Cagayan de Oro NHS | Div. of Cag. de Oro City |
| 4.MARY ANN D. NERI- FINANCE Chief | Opol National Trade HS | Div. of Misamis Oriental |
| 5.GONZALA D.AGUIRRE- ADMIN-OIC Chief | Gingoog City National HS | Div. of Gingoog City |
| 6.EDITH L. ORTEGA – FTAD Chief | Lala National HS | Div. of Lanao del Norte |
| 7.ROGELIO EVANGELISTA- QAD Chief | Iligan City National HS | Div. of Iligan City |
| 8.RAYMOND ANTOLO- PPRD Chief | Valencia City National HS | Div. of Valencia City |
| 9.SHAMBAEH A. USMAN- CLMD Chief | Bukidnon National HS | Div. of Malaybalay City |
| 10.NOE D. SIMENE- ESSD Chief | Buk. Nat'l Sch. Of Home Industries | Div. of Bukidnon |



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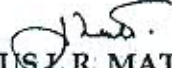
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TO: Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads
All Others Concerned

FROM: 
JESUS L.R. MATEO
Assistant Secretary

SUBJECT: BALIK ESKWELA 2016 CAMPAIGN: TAYO - HANDANG
MAGSIMULA PARA SA KABATAANG PILIPINO

DATE: June 2, 2016

1. Our much awaited nationwide Balik Eskwela is on June 13! As we prepare and anticipate the annual school opening, we also remember the uniqueness and historical relevance of this year's occasion. This is the year that we as a country celebrate the official beginning of Senior High School, the last mile of our K to 12 Basic Education Program reform. As with anything new and with most changes, this beginning is met with some feeling of uncertainty, especially by some of our beloved students and parents. As public educators and administrators, beyond doing our utmost best to prepare our facilities, staff, and materials, it is crucial that we also prepare and welcome our learners back to their second homes: our schools. As we have done each year, it is crucial that we are able make every student, and every member of our schools' communities feel excitement and hope for this new beginning.
2. It is with this that we launch the #TayoParaSaEdukasyon and #BestSchoolOpeningEver Internal Campaign. With the theme, TAYO - Handang Magsimula para sa Kabataang Pilipino, this year's Balik Eskwela aims for School Year 2016 - 2017 to start strong by showcasing a most Filipino and heartfelt welcome back to our students and other members of our learning communities.
3. Schools are asked to take the extra step to ensure smooth operations and create a fiesta-like atmosphere during the first week of school by welcoming students

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with a simple ceremony, while capturing and showcasing their stories through social media. We encourage all schools and field personnel to capture images, videos, and stories of how we are making this year's Balik Eskwela orderly, exciting, and truly historic. As we unify our communication efforts through the #TayoParaSaEdukasyon and #BestSchoolOpeningEver hashtags, we mark the first time that the entire DepEd system, from Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao, will simultaneously engage the public and virtually welcome them to our schools on opening day. Field personnel also have the option to send their stories and materials via email to communications@deped.gov.ph.

4. Outstanding stories and posts from schools will be handpicked and published in our official national DepEd communication channels. Moreover, these will be the stories and materials that the Department of Education will submit to various media partners and outlets.
5. Please be reminded that the preparations do not have to be extravagant for them to be meaningful. Central to welcoming our learners is ensuring that school opening is first and foremost orderly and systematic. It is important that our learners and other members of our learning community see and feel that steps were taken to make them feel more welcome back in our schools and ready for the new beginning of education in the Philippines.
6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.