

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

Region XI

SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 234, s. 2021

April 13, 2021

PARTICIPATION IN THE CELEBRATION OF EARTH DAY 2021

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chief Education Supervisors— (CID&SGOD) Public Schools District Supervisors Division DRRM Coordinator Division Youth Formation Coordinators All Public and Private School Heads School DRRM Coordinators School SPG/SSG Advisers School YES-O Coordinators

Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 1481, s. 2008 declaring April 22 of every year as the Philippines' Earth Day, the Department of Education (DepEd) reaffirms its commitment to strengthening the *makakalikasan* value of learners and personnel, especially in the light of climate change. In this connection, all public and private elementary and secondary schools and schools district offices, are encouraged to participate in the **online celebration of Earth Day with the theme: "PINASiglang Mundo (Restore the Earth)" on April 20-22, 2021**.

The activities led by the DepEd for Earth 2021 are as follows:

1. 20 April 20 2021, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

- a. Storytelling for Elementary Learners
- b. Makakalikasan Creative Activity on Sustainable Dining where selected participants may be awarded with prizes

2. 21 April 2021, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

a. Panel Discussion with selected learners, teachers, and personnel on Decreasing Single-Use Plastics in Schools

3. 22 April 2021, 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

- a. Messages from DepEd Officials
- b. Launch of the KaLikHasan! Likha at Lakas ng Kabataan para sa Kalikasan: A Creative Sourcebook on the Use of Theater for Climate Education and Action
- c. Re-launch of the Microsite on Curated Resources for Teaching Climate Change

In addition, DepEd supports the **program of the Climate Change Commission (CCC) on 22 April 2021, 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m**. Interested DepEd personnel and learners may submit their Earth Day Pledge at http://bit.ly/DepEd EarthDayPledge2021 **not later than 08 April 2021**. Kindly refer to Enclosure 3 for more information.

Also, learners and personnel are invited to the **ZOOMba session** at **7:30-7:45 a.m.** where they are encouraged to post their action photos with the following hashtags for monitoring purposes: #RestoreOurEarth,#WalangPlastikan,#PlasticFreePH,#EarthDay2021, and #DepEdClimateAction. The Department reminds learners and personnel to exercise due diligence in the use of social media.

There will be no registration fee, and pre-registration is not required. The activities will be streamed live at the DepEd Philippines FB page at https://www.facebook.com/DepartmentOfEducation.PH.

For DepEd-led activities, certificates will be given after program evaluation and a short quiz through a link which will be provided at the end of each session. For CCC-led activities, learners and personnel may send a screenshot of their attendance at http://bit.ly/EarthDay2021RequestforCerts.

Schools and offices may initiate activities in observance of Earth Day 2021. Activities conducted at a distance are recommended, in consideration of the ongoing pandemic. Health and safety protocols should be followed at all times.

Please refer to the enclosed documents for more information.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

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Schools Division Superintendent

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MEMORANDUM

To

Schools Division Superintendents

Subject:

CELEBRATION OF EARTH DAY 2021

Date :

March 30, 2021

Enclosed is the DepEd Memorandum (OUA- MEMO-0321-0180) dated March 18, 2021 from USEC. Alain Del B. Pascua, Undersecretary for Administration, Department of Education, entitled "Celebration of Earth Day 2021". This aims to reaffirms its commitment to strengthening the "Makakalikasan" value of learners and personnel specially in the light of climate change.

In this connection, it is hereby requested that the Regional Office, School Division Offices, Schools District Offices and all Private and Public Schools in elementary and secondary are encouraged to participate in the online celebration of Earth Day with the theme: "PINASiglang Mundo (Restore the Earth) on April 20-22, 2021.

The activities and schedules are the following:

Date	Time	Activity
April 20, 2021	9:00AM-11:00AM	 Storytclling for Learners. Makakalikasan Creative Activity on Sustainable Dining where selected participants may be awarded with prizes.
April 21, 2021	2:00PM - 4:00PM	 Panel Discussion with selected learners, teachers and personnel on Decreasing Single –Use Plastics in Schools.
April 22, 2021	8:30AM- 10;00AM	 Messages from DepEd Officials. Launch of the Kalikasan! Likha at Lakas ng Kabataan para sa Kalikasan: A creative Sourcebook on the Use of Theater for Climate Education and Action. Re-launch of the Microsie on Curated Resources for Teaching Climate Change.



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In addition, in support to the program of the Climate Change Commission (CCC) on April 22, 2021 at 7:30AM to 3:30PM. Interested DepEd personnel and learners may submit their Earth Day Pledge at http://bit.ly/DepEdEarthDayPledge2021 not later than April 8, 2021.

Further, learners and personnel are invited to the ZOOMba session at 7:30AM to 7:45AM where they are encouraged to post their action photos with following hastags for monitoring purposes: #RestoreOurEarth, #WalangPlastikan, #PiasticFreePH, #Earthday2021, and #DepEd Philippines Facebook Page at https://www.facebook.com/DepartmentOf Education PH.

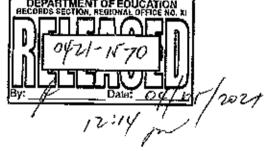
For questions or concerns, please contact the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Services (DRRMS) through the landline number (02) 8637-4933 or email at drmo+ceam@deped.gov.ph. Likewise, the Bureau of Learner Support Services — Youth Formation Division (BLSS-YFD) may be contacted through landline number (02) 8637-9814 or email at biss.yfd.@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Enclosed: As stated.

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