



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Region XI  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY**

**Office of the Schools Division Superintendent**

**May 27, 2025**

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

SGOD-2025-291

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Division Chiefs  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public School Heads  
Public School Teachers

Subject: **INVITATION FROM THE NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS (NCCA) – PHILIPPINE CULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAM (PCEP)**

This is in reference to the letter dated May 26, 2025, signed by Joseph J. Cristobal, Director, Philippine Cultural Education Program, the herein invitation from the Philippine Cultural Education Program (PCEP), in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd), pertains to the conduct of **PAGSASANAY SA EDUKASYONG PANGKULTURA (PEP)** scheduled on **July 11-13, 2025 (Fri-Sun)** in the **Jayne Offemaria-Abuid (JOA) Auditorium** at the **ASIAN INSTITUTE OF MARITIME STUDIES (AIMS), Arnaiz Avenue, Pasay City, NCR.**

Participation to this activity is at the discretion of the School Division Superintendent. It should be voluntary and prior arrangement of the concerned school heads and teachers shall be made in compliance with DepEd Order No. 9 s. 2005 re: "Instituting Measures, to Increase Engaged Time-on Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith" ensuring that no classes shall be disrupted and no DepEd funds shall be used.

Relevant details and information are provided in the enclosures.

Attendance/participation is on official time only.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

For and in the absence of the  
Schools Division Superintendent

  
**SOLLIE B. OLIVER, JD, MATE**

Chief Education Program Supervisor – SGOD  
Officer In-Charge

DepEd Schools Division of Digos City  
RECORDS SECTION

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DATE: MAY 28 2025 TIME: 2:20 PM

Enclosed: As stated.  
SGOD/JOA



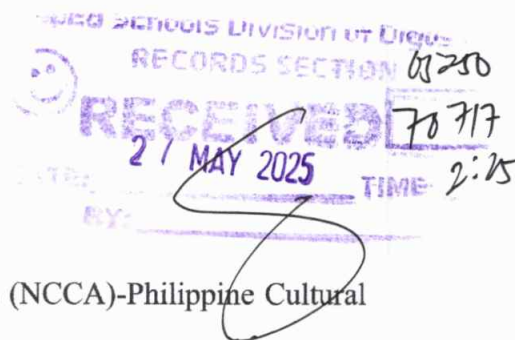
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PAMBANSANG KOMISYON PARA SA KULTURA AT MGA SINING

26 May 2025

**MELANIE P. ESTACIO**  
Schools Division Superintendent  
DepEd Digos City



Greetings from the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA)-Philippine Cultural Education Program (PCEP)!

The Philippine Cultural Education Program (PCEP), in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd), will conduct the **PAGSASANAY SA EDUKASYONG PANGKULTURA (PEP)**. It will be up for implementation from **JULY 11-13, 2025 (FRI-SUN)** in the **Jayne Offemaria-Abuid (JOA) Auditorium** at the **ASIAN INSTITUTE OF MARITIME STUDIES (AIMS), Arnaiz Avenue, Pasay City, NCR**.

In connection with this, we would like to request a **DepEd division memo/advisory** to formally announce the program to the heads of public & private elementary and secondary schools.

Interested Applicants may apply online using this link: <https://forms.gle/fuim2ocB7UZu2HMg9>

This activity is also a **REQUIREMENT** for all interested Graduate Diploma in Cultural Education (GDCE) and Graduate Diploma in Teaching Arts (GDTA) scholars.

The National Association of Cultural Educators & Scholars (NACES) officers will participate to:

1. Conduct a survey on cultural awareness, the culture-based approach, and cultural competencies.
2. Promote NACES Membership and
3. Assist during the 3-day activity

If you have further questions regarding the matter, please don't hesitate to email us at [pcep@ncca.gov.ph](mailto:pcep@ncca.gov.ph).

We are hoping for your favorable and immediate response. Thank you very much.

Truly Yours,

**JOSEPH J. CRISTOBAL**  
Director, Philippine Cultural Educational Program

Attachment(s):

1. [2025 PEP Poster](#)
2. [2025 PEP Program Design](#)
3. [PEP Nomination Form](#)
4. [2025 Directory of NACES Officers](#)
5. [NCCA-DepEd Memorandum of Agreement](#)