



Republic of the Philippines  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
REGION VI- WESTERN VISAYAS



**SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF KABANKALAN CITY**

Division Memorandum No. 240 s, 2018

To: Chief of Curriculum Implementation Division  
Chief of School Governance and Operations Division  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Public and Private Elementary & Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

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From: MA. LORLINIE M. ORTILLO, CESO VI  
Schools Division Superintendent

Date: October 29, 2018

Subject: 26<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL CHILDREN'S MONTH CELEBRATION

1. Pursuant to Republic Act 10661 s. 2015 or the National Children's Month Act, the Schools Division Office of Kabankalan City joins the Council for the Welfare of Children (CWC) in celebrating the 26<sup>th</sup> National Children's Month with the theme: **"ISULONG: TAMANG PAG-AARUGA PARA SA LAHAT NG BATA"**. This year's theme focuses on the imperative commitment of every Filipino to provide a safe and nurturing environment for children.
2. This year's celebration highlights the concept of upholding the importance of the safety and wellbeing of children and young people and empowering families, children, young people and community to participate in maintaining a culture of child safety. This year's celebration marks the launch of the Philippine Plan of Action to End Violence Against Children (PPAEVAC), a multi sectoral road map to progressively reduce violence against children as part of government's commitment to build an enabling environment that respects, protects, and fulfills child rights and address specific Sustainable Development Goals.



3. In view of the National Children's Month Celebration and this year's theme, the Schools Division Office and all public and private elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to undertake the following activities from November 1 to 30, 2018:
  - a. Hoisting of streamer or banner of the 26<sup>th</sup> National Children's Month depicting this year's theme, within the school and office premises;
  - b. Recitation of the enclosed *Panatang Makabata* in the Flag Raising Ceremonies;
  - c. Conduct of in- school discussions, fora, and/or Learning Action Cells on Positive Discipline using the Positive Discipline in Everyday Teaching. A Primer for Filipino Teachers reference. The Primer provides guidance on how to respond to common classroom situations using Positive Discipline. It can be downloaded through the link: <https://tinyurl.com/PDETforTeachers>;
  - d. Conduct of orientation, fora and learning sessions on Positive Discipline with the members of the Parent-Teachers Association;
  - e. In- class discussions on current issues, such as bullying in the appropriate learning areas; and
  - f. Conduct of child-friendly activities such as contests, poster and slogan making competitions, children's fair, and/or exhibits in relation to the NCM.
4. In furtherance of the commitment of the Schools Division Office of Kabankalan City, the following activities will be observed:
  - a. Participation of all Division Personnel and School Heads to the **Flag Raising Ceremony on November 6, 2018, 7:30AM at Kabankalan City Hall ground** and to be followed by a Caravan which will drift around the main thorough fares of the City;
  - b. **Walk for a cause "Lakad para sa mapagkalingang pamayanan tungo sa maayos at maunlad na Kinabukasan ng Kabataan"** on November 29, 2018 at 7:00AM. Assembly area will be at Kabankalan City Public Plaza going to Fellowship Baptist College Gymnasium. All School heads, Division personnel and selected pupils/students from nearby schools are hereby enjoined to participate in this undertaking; and
  - c. Culmination program which will showcase the different talents of our learners on November 29, 2018 at Fellowship Baptist College Gymnasium right after the above-mentioned walk for a cause. Each District and participating private school shall be represented by two different presentations in this **Festival of Talents**.
5. Expenses incurred related to the conduct of this activity shall be charged to Local Funds/ School MOOE subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. For more information, please direct your concerns to **DR. SATURNINO T. PABALINAS, JR.-HRTD- EPS, # 0919 9211 889** or **EDUARD Q. VILLAVICENCIO, NURSE II/Youth Formation Coordinator-Designate # 0928 9412 341** or **DEXYLL GARL DE JESUS, Youth Formation Coordinator-Designate # 0977 8167 632**.
7. For immediate dissemination and compliance.





# Panatang Makabatà



Ako, si \_\_\_\_\_, bilang mamamayang Filipino, ay kinikilala ang kahalagahan ng mga bata sa lipunan.

Dahil dito, ako ay nangangakong isulong, protektahan, igalang, at pangalagaan ang karapatan ng bawat bata, anuman ang kaniyang kulay, kasarian, lahi, relihiyon, kultura, estado sa buhay, may kapansanan man o wala.

#BataProtektahan  
#KarapatanWalaan

Upang matiyak ang kasiyahan ng mga bata, naniniwala akong nararapat na matamasa nila ang mga ito:

- Maisilang at magkaroon ng pangalan at nasyonalidad;
- May tahanan at pamilyang nag-aaruga nang tama;
- Naninirahan sa payapa at tahimik na lugar;
- May sapat na pagkain at malusog at aktibong pangangatawan;
- Mahubog at mapalago ang mga kakayahan sa pamamagitan ng edukasyon at pakikilahok;
- May mga oportunidad na maipahayag ang isip, pananaw, at damdamin;
- May proteksiyon laban sa pang-aabuso, panganib, at karahasan; at
- Maipagtatanggol at matutulungan ng pamahalaan sa lahat ng panahon.

Sa tulong ng Poong Maykapal, ito ay aking isasapuso at isasagawa ang lahat ng ito dahil ang mga bata ang pag-asa at siyang magpapaunlad sa ating bayan.

