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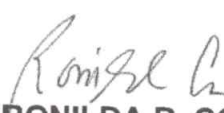


MEMORANDUM

No: DRRMS-11-17-2020-0003

FOR. : **REGION DIRECTORS OF REGIONS II, III, IV-A, VI, VIII, IX, XII AND NCR**

SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS OF MANILA CITY, ISABELA, ANGELES CITY, ANTIPOLO CITY, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, BACOLOD CITY, CATBALOGAN CITY, DIPOLOG CITY, NORTH COTABATO

FROM : 
RONILDA R. CO
Director IV
Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service

SUBJECT : **STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN THE THE BATTLE OF THE BRAIN CORALS – CLIMATE CHANGE EDITION ONLINE QUIZ SHOW**

DATE : 17 NOVEMBER 2020

The Department of Education (DepEd) through the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) has been hosting the annual National Climate Change Conference (NCCC) since 2017. For the **4th National Climate Change Conference, with the theme “Alpas: Channeling youth eco-anxiety to climate action”**, the DRRMS in partnership with Save Philippine Seas (SPS) and Philippine Reef and Rainforest Conservation Foundation Inc. (PRRCFI), is **organizing the Battle of the Brain Corals (BOBC) online quiz show on 21 November 2020, at 5:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.** as one of the learning sessions for the conference. We would like to inform your office that we **had selected two students from your respective divisions to participate** in the said activity.

With this, we would like to request for your kind assistance in the submission of the consent and confirmation form on or before 18 November 2020. Also, we hope that you can actively promote the 4th NCCC especially the BOBC.

Please refer to Annex A for the list of participating students. We have also attached the OUA Memo 00-1120-0154, 4th NCCC Schedule of Activities, poster and the consent and confirmation form.

For more information, you may contact Ms. Zherluck Shaen Rodriguez of DRRMS at drmo+ccam@deped.gov.ph. Thank you very much.

**ANNEX A. LIST OF STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN THE BATTLE OF THE BRAIN
CORALS ONLINE QUIZ SHOW**

No	Region	Division	School Name	Role	Name
1	NCR	SDO Manila	Ramon Magsaysay High School Manila	On-screen Participant	Sophia Marie Sorreda
				Off-Screen Participant	Zhyra Eneria
				Adviser	Christian George M. Eppie
2	Region II	SDO Isabela	Santiago City National High School	On-screen Participant	Ma. Yvonne Bless M. Fronda
				Off-Screen Participant	Alyssa Posilero
				Adviser	Charina Lozano-Madarang
3	Region III	SDO Angeles City	Angeles City Science High School	On-screen Participant	Ynarenza Pauline Bulatao
				Off-Screen Participant	Chito Arceo Jr.
				Adviser	Mr. Aaron Calma
4	Region IV-A	SDO Antipolo City	Muntindilaw National High School	On-screen Participant	James Rian Oquendo
				Off-Screen Participant	Ayesha Diamond J, Tenebroso
				Adviser	Joseph M. Buena
5	Region VI	SDO Negros Occidental	La Consolacion College Bacolod	On-screen Participant	Jude Lourence G. Segovia
				Off-Screen Participant	Erl Myca S. Lozada
				Adviser	Michael Joseph S. Cornel, LPT
6	Region VI	SDO Bacolod City	Colegio San Agustin - Bacolod	On-screen Participant	Edessa A. Coralde
				Off-Screen Participant	Eric Las
				Adviser	Mark Brayn S. Yaung
7	Region VIII	SDO Catbalogan City	Samar National School	On-screen Participant	Jairah C. Pagtabunan
				Off-Screen Participant	Karylle B. Bernate
				Adviser	Ermelinda C. Floretes
8	Region IX	SDO Dipolog City	Dipolog City National Highschool (Barra)	On-screen Participant	Rhea Jean B. Barquez
				Off-Screen Participant	Lea Carla Zamora
				Adviser	Mahal B. Rosel
9	Region XII	SDO North Cotabato	Kidapawan City National High School	On-screen Participant	Rickie Haze T. Sali
				Off-Screen Participant	Dalvin Carlo John C. Lomawon
				Adviser	Juanito D. Booc Jr.

NOTE:

1. Onscreen Participant will be the main participant and will be shown on the livestream.
2. Offscreen Participant will serve as the back-up participant in case the onscreen participant encounters technical and connection issues.
3. Both participants may consult each other for the answer to the questions.



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OUA MEMO 00-1120-0154

MEMORANDUM

11 November 2020

For: **Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors and BARM Education Minister
Schools Division Superintendents
School Heads
All Others Concerned**

Subject: **INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
4th NATIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE AND
NATIONAL DAY OF YOUTH FOR CLIMATE ACTION**

In celebration of the Global Warming and Climate Change Consciousness Week on 17-25 November and the National Day of Youth for Climate Action on 25 November, the Department of Education (DepEd) through the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) with the support of the Information and Communications Technology Service (ICTS), Public Affairs Service (PAS), and the Bureau of Learner Support Services Youth Formation Division (BLSS-YFD) will hold the **4th National Climate Change Conference (NCCC)** on **17-25 November 2020** through a series of online learning sessions with the theme **“Alpas: Channeling youth eco-anxiety to climate action”**.

The 4th NCCC aims to elevate the discussion of the impacts of climate change on mental health and the actions that we can do to make meaningful change. The Conference will provide a platform for learners to voice out their demands for climate action and feature their proactive response to the changing climate. The Conference will be **streamed live** through the **DepEd Philippines Facebook Page**, making it accessible to learners, DepEd personnel, and the public all over the country.

With this, we are **inviting DepEd learners and personnel to participate** in the 4th NCCC by tuning in to the **DepEd Philippines Facebook Page**. Filipino Sign Language interpretation will be provided. We **enjoin all DepEd offices to share the attached poster and information** through their social media pages, newsletters, or available channels to increase participation among learners, personnel, and the general public.



Office of the Undersecretary for Administration (OUA)

[Administrative Service (AS), Information and Communications Technology Service (ICTS), Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS), Bureau of Learner Support Services (BLSS), Baguio Teachers Camp (BTC), Central Security & Safety Office (CSSO)]

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In addition, all public and private elementary and secondary schools, including schools district offices, schools division offices (SDOs) and regional offices (ROs) are enjoined **to initiate activities in observance of the National Day for Youth in Climate Action and the ASEAN Youth in Climate Action and Disaster Resilience**. Online activities are encouraged. For face-to-face activities, it shall enforce physical distancing and adhere to the DepEd Required Health Standards and local health standards and protocols. The National Youth Commission (NYC) is encouraging the adoption of the online campaign toolkit and the use of hashtag #MyClimateActions for the observance of the National Day for Youth in Climate Action and the ASEAN Youth in Climate Action and Disaster Resilience. Learners and personnel may continue using the hashtag #DepEdClimateAction for monitoring of activities.

We believe that these activities are significant in advancing our Department's core value of "*Makakalikasan*" as we discuss the significance of youth eco-anxiety and process it to meaningful climate action.

Attached are the activities hosted by the Department that will be streamed at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines and #MyClimateActions Toolkit from the National Youth Commission.

For future correspondence and queries on the above subject, kindly contact Ms. Justine Beatrice C. Apolinario of the DRRMS via email justine.apolinario@deped.gov.ph or drmmo@deped.gov.ph.

For immediate and appropriate action.


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Undersecretary



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ANNEX 1. Schedule of Activities

4th National Climate Change Conference (NCCC)

“Alpas: Channeling youth eco-anxiety to climate action”

17-25 November 2020, Streamed at the DepEd Philippines Facebook Page

In celebration of the Global Warming and Climate Change Consciousness Week on 17-25 November and the National Day of Youth for Climate Action on 25 November

Title and Description of the Activity	Date and Time	Participation
<p>Opening Ceremony</p> <p>The opening ceremony will feature a keynote address from Ms. Anouchka Grose, a British-Australian psychoanalyst and author of <i>A Guide to Eco-Anxiety: How to Protect the Planet and Your Mental Health</i>. It will be followed by presentations from five learners on their inspiring and proactive climate action stories.</p>	<p>19 November 2020 4:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines</p> <p>Answer the completion and evaluation form to get a Certificate of Participation.*</p> <p>(The link to the completion and evaluation form will be announced during the event itself.)</p>
<p>Streaming of the Climate Action Advocacy Show</p> <p>Last year, 72 learners from the division of Malabon City, Navotas City, and Pasig City co-created and performed the Climate Action Advocacy Show with the theme, “A Future Threatened by Climate Change: Voices and Visions of the Youth,” at the Cultural Center of the Philippines (CCP) in Pasay City. For this year’s Climate Change Consciousness Week, the recording of their live performance will be streamed, followed by a talkback with selected learners and the directors.</p> <p>More information about the 2019 Climate Action Advocacy Show can be found here.</p>	<p>20 November 2020 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines</p> <p>Answer the completion and evaluation form to get a Certificate of Participation.*</p> <p>(The link to the completion and evaluation form will be announced during the event itself.)</p>

Title and Description of the Activity	Date and Time	Participation
<p>Streaming of The Green Beat Initiative Virtual Completion Ceremony</p> <p>For 6 weeks, a total of 100 campus journalists and school publication advisers participated in the Green Beat Initiative: An Online Environmental Journalism Training where young writers and their advisers were equipped with the necessary skills, knowledge, and expertise in writing and reporting stories on climate change and environmental issues.</p>	<p>21 November 2020 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines and the Association of Young Environmental Journalists (AYEJ).</p> <p>(There will be no Certificate of Participation, but all are encouraged to watch for more information about environmental journalism.)</p>
<p>Battle of the Brain Corals – Climate Change Edition</p> <p>Battle of the Brain Corals – Climate Change Edition is an online quiz show on climate change that will be participated by selected high school learners. They will answer questions on the Earth’s subsystems, climate science, climate change mitigation and adaptation, and interconnectedness of climate change and wildlife.</p>	<p>21 November 2020 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines</p> <p>(There will be no Certificate of Participation, but all are encouraged to watch for more information on climate change.)</p>
<p>Handa Isip, Handa Bukas Press Briefing**</p> <p>The Department reaffirms its commitment on climate change education and action through the inclusion of the said topic in the regular press briefing of the Secretary. Learn more about the initiatives and plans of the Department by watching the press briefing.</p>	<p>23 November 2020 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines</p> <p>(There will be no Certificate of Participation, but all are encouraged to watch to be aware of the Department’s initiatives and plans on climate change education and action.)</p>

Title and Description of the Activity	Date and Time	Participation
<p>Climate Science Master Class for Secondary School Teachers</p> <p>The Climate Science Master Class for Secondary School Teachers is organized with the Climate Change Commission (CCC). It will feature lectures and discussion by the National Panel of Technical Experts. Attendees will also be oriented on the knowledge materials that DepEd DRRMS and its partners are developing to help teachers effectively unpack learning competencies on climate change and promote climate action.</p> <p><i>*Tentative</i></p>	<p>24 November 2020 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 pm</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines</p> <p>(A Certificate of Participation will be given to those who attended the meeting room through the teleconferencing platform.)</p> <p>(The registration details will be announced in another memorandum.)</p>
<p>Closing Ceremony</p> <p>The closing ceremony shall feature key DepEd projects on climate change adaptation and mitigation such as the School Waste Management, Gulayan sa Paaralan, Tree-Caring and Growing in the New Normal. It will also feature the experience of learners as they study in a sustainable and eco-friendly school and lead climate action initiatives. Lastly, an overview of accomplishments and plans for climate change education and action will be given.</p>	<p>25 November 2020 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p>Watch the live stream at the Facebook page of DepEd Philippines</p> <p>Answer the completion and evaluation form to get a Certificate of Participation.*</p> <p>(The link to the completion and evaluation form will be announced during the event itself.)</p>

**The Certificate of Participation will be released through the registered e-mail address on or before the third week of December.*

***Tentative*

4TH NATIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE

11-18-2020 / #GCCF
Date / Starting Time
ANJO ANDRIEN V. ESCOBAR 10:00 AM

In celebration of the
Climate Change Consciousness Week and the
National Day of Youth for Climate Action

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Channeling Youth Eco-anxiety to Climate Action

19-25 NOVEMBER 2020

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FSL interpretation will be provided

OPENING CEREMONY

19 NOVEMBER 2020
4:00 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.

STREAMING OF THE CLIMATE ACTION ADVOCACY SHOW

20 NOVEMBER 2020
5:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

THE GREEN BEAT INITIATIVE VIRTUAL COMPLETION CEREMONY

21 NOVEMBER 2020
1:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

BATTLE OF THE BRAIN CORALS ONLINE QUIZ SHOW

21 NOVEMBER 2020
5:30 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

HANDA ISIP, HANDA BUKAS PRESS BRIEFING

23 NOVEMBER 2020
11:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

CLIMATE SCIENCE MASTER CLASS FOR SECONDARY TEACHERS

24 NOVEMBER 2020
8:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
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CLOSING CEREMONY

25 NOVEMBER 2020
8:30 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.



For more information, visit bit.ly/4thNCCC

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