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OUA MEMO 00-1120-0154 MEMORANDUM

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For:

Bureau and Service Directors

Regional Directors and BARMM 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.





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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 drrmo@deped.gov.ph.

For immediate and appropriate action.

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