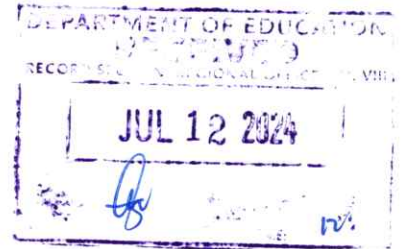




Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**

**OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING**



**MEMORANDUM**  
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**TO :** **UNDERSECRETARIES**  
**ASSISTANT SECRETARIES**  
**BUREAU AND SERVICE DIRECTORS**  
**REGIONAL DIRECTORS**  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS**  
**ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

**FROM :**   
**GINA O. GONONG**  
Undersecretary

**SUBJECT :** **OBSERVANCE OF THE 2024 NATIONAL DISABILITY RIGHTS WEEK**

**DATE :** **July 11, 2024**

In observance of the **National Disability Rights Week** on **July 17 to 23, 2024** as stipulated on the Proclamation 597 s. 2024 or "*Declaring the Period of 17 to 23 July of Every Year as National Disability Rights Week*", the Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Learning Delivery-Student Inclusion Division, encourages the different Offices within the department to conduct various activities and events which will support the advancement of the rights of persons with disabilities.


The following activities may be conducted:

- a. Orientation on the salient provisions of RA 11650 known as the "*Inclusive Education Act of 2021*";
- b. Disability Sensitivity and awareness;
- c. Training on Filipino Sign Language;
- d. Health and wellness activities for persons with disability;
- e. Showcase of Disability Inclusive Arts and Culture; and
- f. Orientation on RA 7277 known as the "*Magna Carta for Disabled Persons*" and its amendments.

DepEd personnel are also encouraged to participate in other activities that will be conducted by the National Council of Disability Affairs and other Government Agencies.

For more information, please contact the **Bureau of Learning Delivery - Student Inclusion Division (BLD-SID)**, through email at [bld.sid@deped.gov.ph](mailto:bld.sid@deped.gov.ph) or through telephone number (02) 8637-4347.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is requested.

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Undersecretary for Operations

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