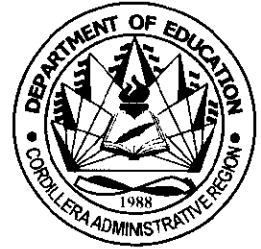




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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To : All Schools Division Superintendents

From : **SORAYA T. FACULO**
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 OIC- Assistant Regional Director

Date : September 28, 2016

Subject : **2016 ELDERLY FILIPINO WEEK CELEBRATION**

Presidential Proclamation No. 470, s. 1994 declared the first week of October of every year as *Linggo ng Katandaang Filipino* (Elderly Filipino Week). This year's theme is "**Pagmamahal at Respeto ng Nakababata, Nakapagpapaligaya sa Nakakatanda,**" which aims to recognize the vital role of the elderly in the society and their contribution to nation-building. It also highlights awareness and promotes advocacy on elder abuse prevention.

It was agreed during the Quarterly Regional Inter-Agency Committee on Senior Citizens (RIACSC) Meeting last September 19, 2016 that this event will be a month-long celebration instead of a week-long observance to promote more public awareness.

In view of this, all Schools Divisions are enjoined to extend full support by conducting advocacy through the teachers to spend at least 30-minute lecture in their classes on Psycho-Social Being of Senior Citizens.

The lecture will encourage the pupils and students to have more awareness, love, compassion understanding and respect for the elders. The teachers as well as the non-teaching personnel in schools should teach the school children to dispel misconceptions about senior citizens.

It is requested that a report on the conduct of the advocacy shall be submitted to the DepEd-CAR Regional Office on or before November 4, 2016.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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