



K to 12 Graduates: Pursuing Dreams and Fostering Resilience in the Face of Adversity

Maligayang Pagtatapos!

Graduating from basic education is one of the most opportune achievements we all share. It is a celebration full of hope, and optimism that would carry everyone well into the future. Graduations give us options and possibilities. We can also look back to what we have to go through to make ourselves ready for the future and be able to share productively in nation building.

On behalf of the men and women at the Department of Education- National Capital Region, we would like to extend our felicitations and commendations to every graduate and their families- for doing your best even when the world is dynamically evolving, and you have incredibly matched the rigors of this pandemic.

Your determination to stand on your graduation pedestal is exceptional. Stand strong with the purpose, and never falter. You will become what you dreamed to be, with the guidance of your families and teachers.

The future is for your taking. Face it with every ounce of positivity. This will set off pace for new leaders who have the greatest concern for social development. You have in your hands the power to respond and resound with the best intention to lift your communities towards progress.

Finishing basic education is a great assurance that you have every opportunity to succeed in the future. In the future, we hope you would extend dedicated service, show deep passion and unshakable commitment in rebuilding our nation. This is a part where we dream with you.

Develop this keen sense of belongingness, you have friends for life now. You have your family standing with you proudly this moment. Let them bask in your happiness, more than anyone- they are the most ecstatic. And this community of educators will never forget that you have also become part of their families.

Thank you for giving your schools due credence, they have given you skills, knowledge and values to strive and thrive, you have greater chances for success, show them what you've got. This is also a prayer that you be the true leader for our country's progress. Have the courage to change our histories.

For bringing life into our mission and making your futures believably reachable.

Beyond the accolades, it is a call to persist.
Mabuhay!

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