





## Republic of the Philippines

# Department of Education

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM ORD No. 1 0 9 6 , s. 2023

TO

Schools Division Superintendents

FROM

wilfredo E. Cabral, ceso III

Regional Director

SUBJECT

Observance of the National Week for Overcoming Extreme

Poverty

DATE

October 19, 2023

- In reference to the attached Memorandum OUOPS No. 2023-08-9410c dated October 13, 2023 from Atty. Revsee A. Escobedo, Undersecretary for Operations, the Schools Divisions are hereby informed of the observance of the National Week for Overcoming Extreme Poverty (NWOEP) on October 17-23, 2023 with the theme "Decent Work and Social Protection: Putting Dignity in Practice for All".
- In this connection, the Division Offices are encouraged to support the NWOEP
  events of the National Anti-Poverty Commission (NAPC) and carry out similar
  activities subject to existing laws and applicable policies of the Department.
- 3. Attached is a copy of letter dated September 25, 2023 of Mr. Lope B. Santos III, Lead Convenor, NAPC, for reference.
- 4. For queries, please contact NAPC Policy and Planning Service at telephone number 8-423-4128 or email pps@napc.gov.ph.
- 5. For compliance and immediate dissemination.

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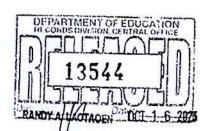


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ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO

Undersecretary for Operations

SUBJECT

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Poverty

DATE

October 13, 2023

This is in reference to the attached letter addressed to Vice President and Secretary Sara Z. Duterte from Lope B. Santos III, Lead Convenor, National Anti-Poverty Commission (NAPC), dated September 25, 2023, which was received by this Office on October 13, 2023, regarding the observance of the National Week for Overcoming Extreme Poverty (NWOEP) on October 17-23, 2023 with the theme, "Decent Work and Social Protection: Putting Dignity in Practice for All."

The aforementioned celebration is pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 717, s. 2004, and is in congruence to the United Nation's International Day for the Eradication of Poverty, which has been observed every year since 1993 to honor the victims of extreme poverty and exclusion.

In line with the aforementioned, this Office encourages the Regional and Division Offices to support the NWOEP events of the NAPC and carry out similar activities, subject to existing laws and applicable policies of the Department.

For more information, kindly contact the NAPC-Policy and Planning Service via telephone number 8423-4128 or through email at <a href="mailto:pps@napc.gov.ph">pps@napc.gov.ph</a>.

For information and dissemination.

Tel. No.: (02) 8633-5313; (02) 8631-8492

Thank you very much.

2023



# Office of the President of the Philippines NATIONAL ANTI-POVERTY COMMISSION



25 September 2023

HON. SARA Z. DUTERTE
Vice President and Secretary
Department of Education
DEPED Building, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City

#### Dear VP and Secretary Duterte:

The National Anti-Poverty Commission (NAPC) will be leading once again the observance of the "National Week for Overcoming Extreme Poverty (NWOEP)" from October 17-23, 2023. This is pursuant to the Presidential Proclamation No. 717, series of 2004, which tags the week and tasks the National Anti-Poverty Commission (NAPC) to lead the commemoration of the event. The NWOEP aims to gather support from, and unify support of all sectors of society and aims to pay homage to the struggles of the poor and make poverty eradication a truly multi-stakeholder effort.

In view of this, we would like to invite you or your representative to join us in the program and deliver a message and response coming from the DEPED in relation to this year's theme, and participate in the wreath-laying activity at the commemorative stone on 17 October 2023 at the Chess Plaza, Rizal Park, Manila. The sald event will be participated by Around 700 individuals including the NAPC member-agencies, Local Government Units, Basic Sector Councils, partner institutions, and partner-communities of the ATD Fourth World-Philippines and other community groups in Manila.

The NAPC together with the All Together in Dignity Fourth World (ATD4W)-Philippine, an International NGO and is the proponent of the United Nation's "International Day for the Eradication of Poverty" marked every 17th of October. The International Day for the Eradication of Poverty has been observed every year since 1993 to honor the victims of Extreme Poverty and Exclusion and to renew our commitment to overcoming extreme poverty. It is also an opportunity to recognize the efforts and struggles of people living in poverty, a chance for them to voice their concerns, and a time to acknowledge that poor people are on the front lines of the fight against poverty.

This year's theme is "Decent Work and Social Protection: Putting Dignity in Practice for All". The theme is focusing on dignity in practice and is emphasizing decent work and access to social protection, which both anchors for the common good that enable everyone to live in dignity.

We are also requesting your agency to contribute to this year's observation of the NWOEP by undertaking the following:

- Printing, hanging or uploading of the NWOEP website banner in your website (design and specification is downloadable from NAPC website: https://bit.ly/NAPC-IDOEP in your office most prominent space/s
- Forming 10-20 persons, fully supported delegation that will represent your agency in the National Programme in the morning of October 17 at Rizal Park, Manila;



- Issuing a directive to local offices, whenever applicable, to support the events and carry out activities like we have in the national offices; and
- Uploading of your activities that will mark the event, as well as photo and/or video documentation of their execution, in your website.

Attached is the provisional programme for your reference.

For queries and clarifications, you may get in touch with Ms. Mayette P. Eledia or Ms. Ma. Marites D. Baldonadi of the Policy and Planning Service at telephone number 8423-4128; mobile numbers: +53)0918-5367183; 0921-6286761 and email address: pps@napc.gov.ph/pps.napc@gmail.com

Your continued support, positive response and favorable consideration will be much appreciated and greatly contribute to the success of this undertaking.

Very truly yours,

LOPE & SANTOS III



# 10/12/23, 9:08 AM

### Invitation to the Commemoration of National Week for Overcoming Extreme Poverty (NWOEP) 2023

Policy and Planning Service <pps.napc@gmail.com>

Wed 10/11/2023 5:00 PM

To:Office of the Secretary <osec@deped.gov.ph>

Cc:Mayette Eledia <meledia@yalioo.com>;Marites Baldonadi <tessbaldonadi@gmail.com>;Policy and Planning Service <pps.napc@gmail.com>;Elizabeth Milo <Milo.elizabethf@gmail.com>;Phillip Montes <montesphillip06@gmail.com>;NAPC Ronimateo <mnimateo@napc.gov.ph>

2 attachments (394 KB)

Letter to member & partner MGAs (DEPED).pdf; Provisional Programme for NWOEP 3.doc;

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