

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region V - Bicol

SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF LIGAO CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**2026 NATIONAL TEACHERS' MONTH AND WORLD TEACHERS' DAY
CELEBRATIONS**

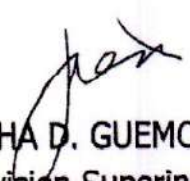
To: SDO Staff and Personnel
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 242 titled "Declaring the Period from September 5 to October 5 of Every Year as the National Teachers' Month," as well as RA No. 10743 titled, "An Act Declaring the 5th Day of October of Every Year as the National Teachers' Day and its Implementing Rules and Regulations and the Designation of the World Teachers' Day every 5th of October by the United Nations Education and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), DepEd – SDO Ligao City shall conduct its celebration on October 5, 2026 with the theme "Teacher, Ikaw Naman."

2. The celebration aims to :

- a. honor and celebrate those who are in the teaching profession;
- b. acknowledge and emphasize the crucial role, loyal service and dedicated commitment of teachers in developing globally-minded citizens, nurturing families, strengthening communities and building the nation;

- c. revitalize the image of and respect for teaching as a vocation by increasing public awareness of the value of teachers in the Philippine society;
 - d. take the occasion as an opportunity to build the image of teaching as an attractive and fulfilling profession;
 - e. generate widespread support and assistance for teachers and ;
 - f. express gratitude for the positive influence of teachers on Filipino learners.
- 4 All schools are encouraged to conduct school- based celebration activities in honor of teachers, highlighting their invaluable contributions to education and nation- building during the End- Of Term and/ or after class hours . The recitation of A Prayer for Teachers or Panalangin Para sa mga Guro shall be observed during the school- based activities.
- 5 . The culminating activity which will be on October 5, 2026 shall be managed by the Schools Division Office.
- 6 . All schools including the SDO are advised to hang streamers with the logo to ensure that the public is aware of the celebration.
7. Attached is the suggested design for the streamer and t-shirt.
- 8 . Expenses relative to the celebrations may be charged to local funds, school/ Division MOOE, SEF and other source of funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- 9 . For information, guidance and dissemination .


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