



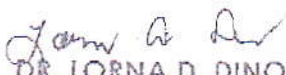
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*Assistant Secretary for Programs and Projects*

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS**  
 Schools Division Superintendents  
 Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools  
 All Others Concerned

**FROM :**   
**DR. LORNA D. DINO**  
 Assistant Secretary  
 For Programs and Projects

**DATE :** March 21, 2014

**SUBJECT: PARTICIPATION ON THE 72ND ARAW NG KAGITINGAN AND PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK**

The country is celebrating the 72nd Commemoration of the Araw ng Kagitingan and Philippine Veterans Week with the theme: "*Balik-Tanaw Sa Sakripisyo Ng Boterano, Gabay Sa Landas Ng Pagbabago*" The commemoration aims to promote, preserve and memorialize the principles, ideals and heroic deeds of the war veterans as a means to enhance patriotism and love of country, especially among the youth.

In line with this, we would like to announce the **NATIONWIDE CREATIVE PAINTING CONTEST** (Enclosure 1 and 1a) and **NATIONWIDE ESSAY WRITING CONTEST** (Enclosure 2 and 2a).

Travel expenses (transportation and per diem) of the winners, coaches, principals and regional coordinators shall be charged to local funds (such as but not limited to PTA/PTCA, local school board funds, regional/division funds) or maybe sourced from the municipal/city, provincial funds or from civic spirited associations, clubs, and organizations subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

For further details, please contact the Special Programs and Projects Office, Rm. 505, Bonifacio Bldg., DepEd CO., Meralco Ave., Pasig City, telephone nos.: (02) 637 58 32 and 637 58 34 or mobile nos.: 0919 516 4759; 0915 926 0500; and 0906 261 5255.

For immediate dissemination.

**72<sup>ND</sup> COMMEMORATION OF THE ARAW NG KAGITINGAN  
AND PHILIPPINE VETERANS WEEK**

**CONTEST MECHANICS  
NATIONWIDE CREATIVE PAINTING CONTEST**

1. This contest is open to all Grades 7, 8, 9 and 10 students enrolled in any public or private secondary schools nationwide. The school should be duly recognized by the Department of Education.
2. The theme of this year's competition is "*Balik-Tanaw Sa Sakripsyo Ng Beterano, Gabay Sa Landas Ng Pagbabago*". It aims to increase awareness of the Araw Ng Kagitingan as a shining moment of courage and commitment to freedom by our WWII veterans.
3. The painting should be in a 20" x 30" illustration board. A message must be type written (Filipino or English) in a separate paper. Any medium can be used.
4. The Philippine Flag should not be used as a background in the painting. If used as a part, it should be placed in a conspicuous place to show its importance to the art work. (Please refer to Sec. 39 – Prohibited Acts of RA 8491).
5. Criteria are as follows:
 

a.	Message	40%
b.	Visual Impact	30%
c.	Originality	30%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>
6. All entries must be submitted not later than **March 31, 2014 (Monday)**. Judging will begin promptly at 9:00 am on **April 2, 2014 (Wednesday)**. Each entry must be accompanied by the following requirements:
  - a. A certification from the principal that the contestant is enrolled in the current school year (SY 2013-2014);
  - b. Scanned image of the student and the principals, school ID or any valid ID; and
  - c. Accomplished entry form.

**(Note: Entries with incomplete requirements will not be entertained/honored.)**

7. Entries should be submitted to:

**MS. LUZVIMINDA F. DELA ROSA**  
 PDO III, and Officer-In-Charge  
 Special Programs and Projects Office  
 Room 505 Bonifacio Bldg., DepEd Central Office  
 DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City

8. Prizes are as follows:
 

a.	First Prize	Cash Prize + Medal + Certificate
b.	Second Prize	Cash Prize + Medal + Certificate
c.	Third Prize	Cash Prize + Medal + Certificate
9. The organizers (DND and DepEd) have the right to publish the entries and own the paintings.
10. Previous winners in the National Creative Painting Competition are not allowed to join this contest.
11. The decision of the Board of Judges is final and irrevocable.
12. Winners will be notified through call and they will be awarded at Mt. Samat Shrine, Bataan on April 9, 2014.

Enclosure No. 1a

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS OFFICE  
**72nd Araw ng Kagitingan and Philippine Veterans Week**  
 Theme: "Balik-Tanaw Sa Sakripisyo Ng Beterano, Gabay Sa Landas Ng Pagbabago".

**ENTRY FORM**  
**NATIONWIDE CREATIVE PAINTING COMPETITION**

Name of Student / Contestant (Surname, Given Name, M.I.)		Age	Gender	Date of Birth
Year and Section	School Name	School Address		
Tel & Cellphone No(s).		E-mail Address / Facebook Account		
Region / Division		Signature of the Contestant		
Name of Coach / Chaperone (Surname, Given Name, M.I.)		Designation		
Tel & Cellphone No(s).		Relation to the Candidate	Age	Gender
E-Mail Address(es) / Facebook Account		Signature of Coach / Chaperone		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Coach <input type="checkbox"/> Chaperone/Parent		

We certify that the above information is true and correct  
 to the best of our knowledge:

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**STUDENT/CONTESTANT**

Signature over printed name

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**COACH/ADVISER**

Signature over printed name

Endorsed by:

Enclosure No. 2

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3. The essay must be written in Filipino, type written in an A4 bond paper, single spaced, font 12, times New Roman, and with a minimum of 4 pages and a maximum of 5 pages.
4. Criteria are as follows:
 

a.	Substance and Originality	50%
b.	Style and Language	30%
c.	Organization	20%
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Enclosure No. 2a

## 72nd Araw ng Kagitingan and Philippine Veterans Week

Theme: "Balik-Tanaw Sa Sakripisyo Ng Beterano, Gabay Sa Landas Ng Pagbabago".

# ENTRY FORM

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Title of the Essay				
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Tel & Cellphone No(s).		Relation to the Candidate	Age	Gender
		<input type="checkbox"/> Coach		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Chaperone/Parent		
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PRINCIPAL

Memorandum

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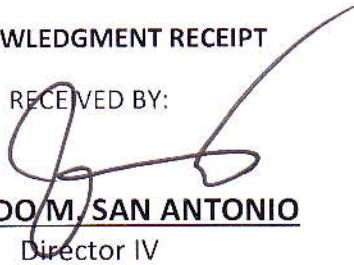
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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT RECEIPT**

RECEIVED BY:



**DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO**  
Director IV

\_\_\_\_\_  
Schools Division Superintendent  
Division of: \_\_\_\_\_

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District Supervisor  
District of: \_\_\_\_\_

**RECEIVED AND DISSEMINATED BY:**

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School Principal

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Name of School

District: \_\_\_\_\_

Division of: \_\_\_\_\_

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