

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

Region XII Schools Division Office of Tacurong City

June 27, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM SGOD No. <u>619</u>, s. 2025

2025 NUTRITION MONTH CELEBRATION

To: Asst. Schools Division Superintendent Chiefs, CID and SGOD Cluster Heads/School Heads All Others Concerned This Division

- 1. The Department of Education, Schools Division Office of Tacurong City joins the National Nutrition Council in the celebration of 51ST Nutrition Month this July. In support of the government's commitment to address hunger and malnutrition, the Department of Education calls on all learners, teaching and non-teaching personnel, school officials, parents, and stakeholders to actively participate in the 2025 Nutrition Month Celebration. This is pursuant to Section 7 of Presidential Decree No. 491, known as the Nutrition Act of the Philippines, which mandates the observance of Nutrition Month every July to create awareness on the importance of good nutrition.
- 2. The 2025 Nutrition Month theme "Food at Nutrition Security, Maging Priority! Sapat na Pagkain, Karapatan Natin!" emphasizes that food and nutrition security is not a privilege but a fundamental human right enshrined in the Philippine Constitution and supported by global commitments. The theme highlights the need for sustained, inclusive, and collaborative efforts to ensure access to nutritious, affordable, and safe food for all Filipinos.
- 3. Anent, all schools are highly encouraged to actively participate in this nationwide celebration by implementing localized activities that align with the objectives. Schools are also encouraged to leverage online and other media platforms, including but not limited to the following activities:
 - a. Hanging of streamers;
 - b. Launching Nutrition Month through ceremonies and flag-raising programs featuring the official theme;
 - c. Conducting nutrition education sessions, forums, and webinars on healthy diets and food security;
 - d. Holding poster-making, slogan-writing, and essay-writing contests;
 - e. Activities that highlight school gardening initiatives under the Gulayan sa Paaralan Program (GPP);
 - f. Hosting cooking demonstrations that emphasize food safety, nutrition, and affordability;





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- g. Conducting Nutrition Month quiz bees focusing on school gardening, food systems, and nutrition.
- 4. Materials related to the celebration may be accessed through the official website of the National Nutrition Council at www.nnc.gov.ph. Additional resources to be developed by the Central Office will soon be available for access and download at https://tinyurl.com/CO-2025-NMC
- Expenses that may incurred in this celebration may be charged against local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- Schools are requested to submit narrative report with pictures of their Nutrition Month Celebrations at School Health and Nutrition Unit on or before August 4, 2025 through this link https://tinyurl.com/ACCOMPLISHMENT-NUTRITIONMONTH
- 7. For more information, all concerned may contact Ms. Catherine Joy Q. Maratas,RN thru this number 09551027167.
- 8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

GILDO G. MOSQUEDA, CEO VI Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: None Reference: None Allotment: None

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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