



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education  
Region III  
Schools Division of Angeles City



April 8, 2021

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 082s. 2021

**SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES IN SUPPORT OF THE 2021 QUINCENTENNIAL COMMEMORATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES**

To: Heads of Public Elementary Schools  
Heads of Public Secondary Schools

1. This is to furnish all public schools a copy of the CSC Announcement No. 10 s. 2021 with the subject 2021 Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines, Memorandum from Executive Secretary Salvador C. Medialdea, Memorandum from NQC Executive Director Rene R. Escalante, and Executive Order 103, s. 2021.

2. In view hereof, all schools division offices and public elementary and secondary schools are enjoined to participate in the said celebration through the following suggested activities:

- a. conduct of simultaneous Flag Raising Ceremonies and Participation in the Activities on the Quincentennial D-Day at the National Celebration of the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Battle of Mactan on April 27, 2021 (OUP Memorandum 2021-0204);
- b. display of quincentennial banners in public spaces and edifices from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2022. For editable banner design, check this link <https://nqc.gov.ph/en/joinus/>; for standard dropdown banner designs, check the link <https://bit.ly/3cNTt8P>;
- c. play the quincentennial theme song "Bagani" along with other songs in the Limandaan album in public spaces and programs (access the files at <https://bit.ly/3oW54VF>). You may upload the lyric video of each and every song in the album, accessible at <https://bit.ly/3aH3mST>. It can also be played via Spotify Playlist (<https://spoti.fi/2N3nruE>);
- d. dedicate a school day for the period from April 20-27, 2021 to discuss the value of nationalism, sovereignty, magnanimity, science, natural resources, health and nutrition, and humanity using the materials the NQC have produced, provided special module is devised by the Department of Education and the Commission on Higher Education in collaboration with the National Historical Commission of the Philippines, Department of Science and Technology, Department of National Defense, Department of Health, and other relevant government offices and private institutions;
- e. Make relevant the 2021 QCP in our fight against the coronavirus 2019 pandemic;



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- f. Participate in the quincentennial D-Day of the national celebration of the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Victory at Mactan on 27 April 2021 by:
  - Sprucing up historical landmarks, monuments, and plazas in time for the simultaneous flag-raising ceremonies at 8:00 a.m;
  - Offering flowers and wreaths at the pedestals of local and national heroes and other illustrious figures in your localities;
  - Hanging and displaying of Philippine flags in public spaces for the period of April 20-27, 2021;
  - Performing live or in canned music the quincentennial theme song (<https://bit.ly/2LqfEq8>);
  - Illuminating in blue at 6:00 p.m the government edifices, monuments, and other public spaces to celebrate our maritime civilization and our ancient maritime ancestors;
  - Streaming the conduct of the public events online to mitigate the influx of people, strict observance of AITF guidelines in public gatherings is a must; and
  - Sharing the quincentennial features found on the official social media pages of NQC (<https://www.facebook.com/nqc2021>) and Presidential Communications Operations Office on or before the D-Day online on respective government social media pages.
3. Schools may conduct localized activities relative to the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Victory of Mactan. Documentation of the activities can be shared with the division office through the Araling Panlipunan supervisor.
4. Wide and immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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Announcement No. 10, s. 2021

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**FOR :** HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES, DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS, GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS, AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

**SUBJECT :** 2021 Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 55, s. 2018 as amended by Executive Order No. 103, s. 2020, the National Quincentennial Committee (NQC) will lead the commemoration of the 500th anniversary of the Victory at Mactan, the Philippine part in the first circumnavigation of the world, introduction of Christianity in the Philippines, and other related events, collectively known as the 2021 Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines (2021 QCP).

The 2021 QCP is a historical event that seeks to reinvigorate the sense of nationalism of every Filipino through the commemoration of our ancestors' heroism, humanity and significant contribution to the first circumnavigation of the world.

To promote public awareness in the observance of the event, all government agencies are enjoined to extend their full support through the activities listed on the 2021 QCP Recommended Strategies (document attached).

Attached are copies of the Memo from Executive Secretary Salvador C. Medialdea, Memo from NQC Executive Director Rene R. Escalante and Executive Order 103, s. 2020 for your reference and guidance.

For more information, agencies may coordinate with the **NQC Secretariat** at telephone number (+63) (2) 5335-1200 loc. 145 or through email at [secretariat@nqc.gov.ph](mailto:secretariat@nqc.gov.ph) or visit the NQC Website at [www.nqc.gov.ph](http://www.nqc.gov.ph).

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Chairperson

25 March 2021

Bawat Kawani, Lingkod Bayani



**National Quincentennial Committee**  
Committee on National Quincentennial Commemorations

**Enjoining Departments, Bureaus, Offices, and Agencies of The National Government, Including State Universities and Colleges (SUCs), Government-Owned and/or -Controlled Corporations (GOCCs), Government Financial Institution (GFIs), Local Government Units (LGUs), and All Others Concerned to Support the 2021 Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines**

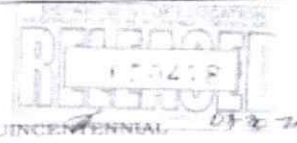




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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. 096, s. 2021



**SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES IN SUPPORT OF THE 2021 QUINCENTENNIAL  
COMMEMORATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES**

To: OIC-Assistant Regional Director  
Schools Division Superintendents  
School Heads

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2. In view hereof, all schools division offices and public elementary and secondary schools are enjoined to participate in the said celebration through the following suggested activities:

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- Display quincentennial banners in public spaces and edifices from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2022. For editable banner design, check this link <https://nqc.gov.ph/en/joinus/>; for standard dropdown banner designs, click here: <https://bit.ly/3cNTRWP>
- Play the quincentennial theme song "Bagani," along with other songs in the Limandaan album, in public spaces and programs (access the files here <https://bit.ly/3oWS4VF>). You may upload the lyric video of each and every song in the album, accessible here | <https://bit.ly/3aH3mST> |. It can also be played via Spotify (search "500 Years Philippines" Playlist or follow this link [<https://spoti.fi/2N3nrue>])
- Dedicate a school day for the period of 20-27 April 2021 to discuss the value of nationalism, sovereignty, magnanimity, science, natural resources, health and nutrition, and humanity using the materials the NQC have produced, provided special module is devised by the Department of Education and the Commission on Higher Education in collaboration with the National Historical Commission of the Philippines, Department of Science and Technology, Department of National Defense, Department of Health, and other relevant government offices and private institutions.



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3. For information and guidance.

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