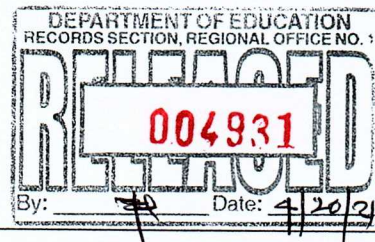




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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 336, s. 2021

NATIONAL HERITAGE MONTH

To: **Schools Division Superintendents**

1. The Department of Education joins the celebration of the National Heritage Month (NHM) in consonance with Presidential Proclamation No.439, s. 2003, recognizing the month of May as the month of traditional festivities and people's participation in the preservation of tangible and intangible heritage.
2. The month-long celebration intends to create among the Filipino people consciousness, respect and love for the legacies of the nation's cultural history.
3. This year's theme shall be: "Victory and Humanity: Upholding Filipino Heritage and Identity", in solidarity with the commemorations of the 500th anniversary of the Victory at Mactan (April 27, 2021) and the 500th anniversary of the Philippines' part in the first circumnavigation of the world (16 March- 29 October 2021).
4. Relative to this, all Schools Division Offices are encouraged to conduct heritage-related activities including forums, online workshops, lectures, virtual exhibits and with strong recommendation on featuring DepEd Gabaldon School Buildings to the Official Facebook Page or to other social media platforms. Such activities are requested to be e-mailed at *clmd.region1@deped.gov.ph* for consolidation and potent materials for inclusion in the official 2021 NHM Calendar of Activities for better promotion.
4. Herewith is Memorandum OUF-2021-0222 for more leading details.
5. For information and guidance.


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