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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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PROJECTS AND GRANTS OF THE CULTURAL CENTER  
OF THE PHILIPPINES (CCP)

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. With reference to DM-CT-2023-363, the Cultural Center of the Philippines (CCP) will conduct several projects aimed at promoting various forms of art and culture in the Philippines to enrich the nation's cultural heritage.
2. In line with this, this Office informs the following projects and initiatives of the Cultural Center of the Philippines:


**CCP Game Development Grant** which is designed to foster the development of original PC-based and mobile-based games that incorporate elements of creativity, culture, and commercial viability. The content for these games is derived from the CCP Encyclopedia of Philippine Arts (EPA). Currently, there are three (3) games available from the project with two (2) more under development that are set to be completed by the end of 2023.

**CCP Animation and Comics Grant** which aims to enhance the skills of Filipino animators and artists through targeted training programs and funding support. These programs focus on effective storytelling, originality, cultural relevance, and the ability to connect with diverse audiences. The projects outcomes revolve around the theme of Philippine folktales, myths and legends where two (2) comics have been completed under this grant. Two (2) more comics are currently under development, while two (2) grantees are working on their animated projects, which are set to be released early next year.

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3. For information.




For the Regional Director:

  
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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

**MEMORANDUM**  
 DM-CT-2023-363

**FOR :** **SARA Z. DUTERTE**  
*Vice President of the Republic of the Philippines*  
*Secretary of the Department of Education*

**UNDERSECRETARIES**  
**ASSISTANT SECRETARIES**  
**REGIONAL DIRECTORS**

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**FROM :** **ALMA RUBY C. TORIO**  
 Assistant Secretary  
 Officer-In-Charge  
 Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Teaching

**SUBJECT :** **PROJECTS AND GRANTS OF THE CULTURAL CENTER OF THE PHILIPPINES (CCP)**

**DATE :** October 24, 2023

The Department of Education (DepEd) and Cultural Center of the Philippines (CCP) has a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed on September 23, 2016 outlining the collaboration to undertake training and relevant activities for Basic Education.

Consequently, the CPP has conducted several projects aimed at promoting various forms of art and culture in the Philippines – initiatives that can greatly benefit the education sector and contribute to the enrichment of our nation's cultural heritage.

In line with this, the CCP would like to request endorsement of these projects and initiatives:

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The above efforts aimed at showcasing the rich cultural heritage of the country will be a valuable resource for educators and learners alike.

The matter is being forwarded to the relevant Offices, with this Office interposing no objection to the request and recommending the same for favorable consideration.



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