



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 REGION VI - WESTERN VISAYAS  
 SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SAGAY CITY

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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 109, s. 2025

**2025 NATIONAL ARTS MONTH CELEBRATION**

To: OIC-Asst. Schools Division Superintendent  
 CID and SGOD Chiefs  
 Education Program Supervisors  
 Public Schools District Supervisors  
 Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
 All Others Concerned

1. The month of February each year is declared as the National Arts Month (NAM) as promulgated by then President Corazon Aquino in 1991 through Presidential Proclamation No. 683 to celebrate artistic excellence and pay tribute to the uniqueness and diversity of the Filipino Heritage and culture.
2. Spearheaded by the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA), the National Arts Month Celebration will center on the theme: "Ani ng Sining: Diwa at Damdamin (Harvest of the Arts: Soul and Passion) aptly captures the flourishing state of Philippine art. This month's celebration reminds us of the essential role art plays in shaping our identity and collective memory. Pausing to engage in artistic activities — whether attending exhibits, watching performances, or simply creating something ourselves — nurtures not just our individual creativity but also our shared sense of humanity.
3. All MAPEH teachers in coordination with the school head shall lead in initiating activities to promote awareness among learners and the community on the importance of arts by conducting activities that will showcase art outputs of the learners.
4. A lecture on the Importance of Arts in Education by Solomon Locsin in partnership with DepEd Sagay to be attended by the 21 MAPEH Teachers from 21 Secondary Schools will be held on February 28, 2025, 1-5 PM, at Sagay City Government Center SP Session Hall.
5. School Heads are encouraged to arrange the class schedule of those teachers to avoid disruption of classes and to strictly adhere to DepEd Order No. 09, s. 2005 on Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.
6. Enclosed is Regional Memorandum No. 104, s. 2025 re: 2025 National Arts Month Celebration.
7. Expenses relative to the celebration of the National Arts Month including the travelling expenses of the learners and teachers shall be charged to school MOOE or other local and allowable sources subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
8. It is understood that in the conduct of this activity there shall be no discrimination in the provision of such partnership on account of age, school, gender, civil status, disability, religion or other similar factors/personal circumstances that run counter to the principles of equal opportunity.
9. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

**DANNIE CLARK M. UGUIL, CESE**  
 OIC- Schools Division Superintendent



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. 104, s. 2025

**2025 NATIONAL ARTS MONTH CELEBRATION**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
All Others Concerned

1. In relation to the advocacy of the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA), this Office supports the celebration of the 2025 National Arts Month in February with the theme "Ani ng Sining: Diwa at Damdamin" (Harvest of the Arts: Soul and Passion).
2. This year's National Arts Month Celebration aims to highlight learners' talents through engaging exhibits and artistic performances. The goal is to further students' confidence and refine their art skills, emphasizing the integral role of the arts in the community and its significant contribution to fostering national pride.
3. In view of this, the suggested activities may be undertaken by the Schools Division Offices such as:
  - a. organization of creative activities related to this year's theme; and
  - b. display of National Arts Month promotional materials in the division offices and school premises (materials are posted on the NCCA website).
4. The conduct of these activities shall adhere to DepEd Order No. 09, 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged-Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.
5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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Regional Director

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