



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education  
Region VII, Central Visayas  
TAGBILARAN CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION  
City of Tagbilaran

November 25, 2019

Division Memorandum

No. 689 s. 2019

**COMMEMORATION OF THE 156<sup>th</sup> BIRTH ANNIVERSARY  
OF ANDRES BONIFACIO**

To: Public and Private Elementary & Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to the Philippine Legislature Act No. 2946, enacted on February 16, 1921, making November 30 of each year a legal holiday to commemorate the birth of Andres Bonifacio, the Department of Education (DepEd) shall celebrate the **156<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Andres Bonifacio on November 30, 2019.**
2. In view of this, all public and private elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to undertake activities that highlight the qualities, achievements and contributions of Andres Bonifacio, the founder of the Katipunan and leader of the Philippine Revolution for Independence in 1896.
3. Each school is also encouraged to carry out activities integrated into related subject areas, such as Sibika at Kultura, Heograpiya, Kasaysayan at Sibika (HEKASI), Araling Panlipunan, Edukasyon sa Pagpapakatao (EsP), Music, Arts, Physical Education and Health (MAPEH), Filipino and English, during classroom discussions to make this year's celebration more meaningful.
3. Attached is DepEd Memo OU-LAPP No. 620, s.2019 for details.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

*for the SDS:*

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MEMORANDUM  
OU-LAPP No. 620, s.2019

TO : **Regional Directors**  
**Schools Division/ City Superintendents**  
**Regional and Division Special Events Coordinators**  
**Heads, Public and Private Elementary & Secondary Schools**  
**All Others Concerned**

FROM : **TONISITO M.C. UMALI, Esq.**  
Undersecretary

SUBJECT : **COMMEMORATION OF THE 156<sup>TH</sup> BIRTH ANNIVERSARY**  
**OF ANDRES BONIFACIO**

DATE : 08 October 2019

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Relative to this, a commemoration ceremony shall transpire on the above mentioned date, 8:00 a.m., on different sites and venues (see Annex A). DepEd is enjoined to give full support to the commemoration of the said event. The Wreath-Laying ceremonies shall also be replicated in different cities and municipalities nationwide to be spearheaded by their respective local government units (LGUs).

Moreover, all public and private elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to undertake activities that highlight the qualities, achievements and contributions of Andres Bonifacio, the founder of the *Katipunan* and leader of the Philippine Revolution for Independence in 1896.

We also enjoin and encourage that every Region/Division/Schools carry out activities integrated into related subject areas, such as *Sibika at Kultura*, *Heograpiya*, *Kasaysayan at Sibika (HEKASI)*, *Araling Panlipunan*, *Edukasyon sa Pagpapakatao (ESP)* *Music, Arts, Physical Education and Health (MAPEH)*, *Filipino and English*, during classroom discussions to make this year's celebration more meaningful.

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Annex A

List of Proposed Programs of the following sites and venues:

- Andres Bonifacio National Monument, Caloocan City;
- Museo ng Paglilitis ni Andres Bonifacio, Maragondon, Cavite;
- Andres Bonifacio Shrine, Manila;
- Andres Bonifacio Monument, Tutuban Center, Tondo, Manila;
- Andres Bonifacio Monument, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig; and
- Andres Bonifacio Monument, Cloverleaf, Quezon City.

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Travel and other incidental expenses to the abovementioned activities shall be charged to local funds, regional/division/school PTCA, School Board Funds and other sources grants, while the travel allowances and per diem of the DepEd Central Office-Technical Working Group (TWG) members shall be charged to the 2019 Building Partnerships & Linkages Program (BPLP) Funds, (AC-19-EPS-SEU-BPLP-024) subject to its availability, and to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

For more information, all concerned may contact the following.

- **EPS/Special Events Unit**  
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- **Historic Sites and Education Division (HSED)**  
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