



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VII - CENTRAL VISAYAS
DIVISION OF CITY SCHOOLS - TAGBILARAN CITY

**Office of the Schools Division
Superintendent**

October 6, 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 844 s. 2026

**2026 ANNUAL NATIONWIDE SEARCH FOR YOUNG ARTS SCHOLARS
OF THE PHILIPPINE HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief CID and SGOD
Public Elementary and Secondary School Principals
Public Elementary and Secondary School MAPEH Coordinators
All Others Concerned

1. This Office through the Curriculum Implementation Division hereby disseminates the communication from the Philippine High School for the Arts (PHSA), a government-run special secondary school for young artists, is conducting the 2026 Annual Nationwide Search for the Young Arts Scholars (ANSYAS) and is now accepting applications for full scholarships to a special K to 12 Secondary Education for School Year (SY) 2027-2028.
2. The ANSYAS is the annual screening of incoming Grade 7 applicants to the PHSA to identify and award scholarships to artistically talented children from across the country. Applicants go through an audition and examination process under the supervision of audition master's to determine their skills and talent as well as their scholastic standing.
3. To be eligible for the scholarship, an applicant must.
 - a. *be a Filipino citizen with no pending application for immigration to any foreign country;*
 - b. *possess outstanding ability in dance folk or ballet, music (instrument and voice), creative writing, theater arts, or visual arts;*
 - c. *be a Grade 6 pupil in SY 2026-2027 enrolled in a public or private school;*
 - d. *proficient in oral and written English and Filipino and*
 - e. *be in good health and be willing to study in a boarding school.*
4. Successful applicants will receive a full scholarship, including free tuition, board and lodging (except during weekends), a monthly stipend, individualized classes with master teachers, and the chance to represent the country in international competitions, arts festivals and exchange programs. The scholarship is renewable every year upon meeting both academic and non-academic requirements in the K to 12 Curriculum.



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5. Registration Fee of Six Hundred Pesos (Php. 600.00) for the meals and snacks for 2 Saturdays is charge per identified participants chargeable against School MOOE and other local funds. Subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations of the government.
6. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

WILFREDA D. BONGALOS PhD, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

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DepEd MEMORANDUM

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To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Elementary School Heads
Attached Agencies
All Others Concerned

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5. Interested applicants may submit their accomplished application forms and other requirements by mail or email to the ANSYAS Committee, Philippine High School for the Arts, Mt. Makiling, Los Baños, Laguna, at phsa.ansyas@gmail.com. The PHSA Scholarship Application Form is enclosed.
6. PHSA will announce the specific dates and schedules for **Regional Testing and Audition Centers** serving Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao through its official Facebook page (facebook.com/phsa.edu) and website (www.phsa.edu.ph).
7. For more information, all concerned may contact the **Office of the ANSYAS Committee**, Philippine High School for the Arts, through email at phsa.ansyas@gmail.com or via mobile at 0917-866-3097.
8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

By Authority of the Secretary:



ATTY. FATIMA LIPP D. PANONTONGAN
Undersecretary and Chief of Staff

Encl.:

As stated

Reference:

DepEd Memorandum No. 110, s. 2025

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SEARCH
SECONDARY EDUCATION



Philippine High School for the Arts

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**ANNUAL
NATIONWIDE
SEARCH FOR
YOUNG
ARTS
SCHOLARS**

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL (Please print in ink and write legibly)

Name : _____
Last Name Given Name Middle NameHome Address : _____
House No., Street, Barangay

City / Municipality Province

Birthday: _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____ Height: _____ Citizenship: _____

Contact No.: _____ Facebook Account: _____

Selected Schedule of Audition: (Kindly see our Facebook page for the venue and date of audition)

Venue: _____ Date: _____

CHOSEN ART FIELD TO AUDITION (Please check one (1) box only)

- ☐ Creative Writing ☐ Dance (Ballet) ☐ Dance (Folk Dance)
- ☐ Music (Voice) ☐ Theater Arts ☐ Visual Arts
- ☐ Music (Instrument) : ☐ Piano ☐ Flute ☐ Trumpet
☐ Violin ☐ Cello ☐ Other : _____
☐ Guitar ☐ Clarinet

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Name of School	Address	Grade Level	Year

School Contact No.: _____ School Email Add.: _____

School Principal: _____ Class Adviser: _____

TRAININGS AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

Name of Training	Place of Training	Date Attended	Name of Facilitator

Attach additional sheet if space above is insufficient. (Include copies of Certificates)

Do you have immediate relatives in Metro Manila, Laguna, Cavite, Bulacan, or Batangas?

- ☐ Yes ☐ None ☐ I Don't Know

Students are **required** to go on **home leave every weekend** or during school short breaks to their parents or designated legal guardians.

PARENT'S / GUARDIAN'S INFORMATION:

NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
CONTACT No.: _____	Email Add.: _____	

How did you know about us?

- ☐ Website ☐ School Teacher ☐ Local Barangay advertisement
- ☐ Facebook ☐ Friend/s ☐ Others (pls. specify): _____
- ☐ Tarpaulin Ad. ☐ Family - Friend/s _____

We allow the Annual Nationwide Search for Young Arts Scholar (ANSYAS) of Philippine High School for the Arts (PHSA) to collect, use, and process my child's personal data, as well as other documents submitted for his/her scholarship application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

(mm/dd/yyyy)

IMPORTANT

Please attach most recent 2x2 colored photo with white background here

CODE: (For PHSA-ANSYAS Personnel)AUDITION SCORE: (For Audition Master)

NOTE:

For inquiries:

Write or call the Annual Nationwide Search for Young Arts Scholars (ANSYAS).



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NOTE:

Reproducible Application Forms are available and free of charge from any of the following:

- Philippine High School for the Arts (PHSA)
National Arts Center, Mt. Makiling, College 4031, Los Baños, Laguna

- Website: www.phsa.edu.ph

