



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
NEGROS ISLAND REGION

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 501 s. 2025

OCT 16 2025

**FARM SCHOOL DAY 2025: NURTURING MINDS & HEARTS, INSPIRING
GROWTH, AND PROMOTING COMMUNITY RESILIENCE
THROUGH FARM EDUCATION**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. To celebrate the success and progress achieved on the implementation of RA 10618 (An Act Establishing Rural Farm Schools as Alternative Delivery Mode of Secondary Education), all farm schools in the Region shall celebrate the Farm School Day on November 15, 2025.
2. Enclosed is the list of suggested activities to reflect this year's theme.
3. The recently approved Farm School implementers from the Negros Oriental and Siquijor areas may conduct benchmarking activities to the existing Farm Schools during the event.
4. All implementing Farm Schools shall submit a five-minute video presentation, observing the following standards:
 - a. the minimum video specification is at least 1920x1080 @30 FPS;
 - b. if DSLR/professional camera is not available, videos may be taken using a phone observing the aforementioned minimum specifications;
 - c. a brief introduction of the farm school must be included;
 - d. the narrators (student and teacher) are encouraged to be in their Farm School-inspired attire, discussing briefly the important activity details;
 - e. the activity highlights, in action video or pictures, must be featured;
 - f. an appropriate background music, in good volume, must be selected; and
 - g. health and safety protocols during the video shoots must be observed.
5. The video must be submitted on or before December 3, 2025, through: <https://rb.gy/img0vj>.
6. Since the activity falls on a weekend, teachers are entitled to Service Credits for their services but not to exceed 15 days in accordance with DepEd Order No. 13, s. 2024 titled Revised Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits for Teachers. On the other hand, non-teaching personnel shall be provided with Compensatory Time Off (CTO) per Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004 on Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered.



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7. For queries, contact Dr. Roger D. Raymundo, OIC CLMD EPS and RO Farm School Focal Person, at 09274923571.
8. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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Regional Director

Encl.: As stated
Reference: None
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION CELEBRATIONS AND FESTIVALS PROGRAMS

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LIST OF SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES

Nurturing Minds & Hearts *Focus: Learning, Creativity, and Awareness-building*

- Storytime Under the Trees
- Nature Journaling
- Plant Identification Walk
- Quiz Bee
- Forum
- Talk Show
- Nature Art Installation
- Miniature Crop Simulation
- Farm Story Walk
- Farm-themed Games
- Farm Crafts
- Interactive Composting

Inspiring Growth *Focus: Innovation, Expression, and Leadership*

- Farm-to-Table Cooking Fest (Parent, Teacher, Learner categories)
- Eco-friendly Fashion Show
- Dance Contest using the Farm School Jingle
- Mister and Miss Farm School
- Exhibit
- Trade Fair
- Nature Walk
- Farm Market
- Seeds Exchange

Promoting Community Resilience *Focus: Sustainability, Skills Development, and Community Engagement*

- Partner Appreciation Day
- Home Garden Visits
- Farm Machinery Demonstrations
- Animal Care Workshop
- Planting and Harvesting
- Farm Tour-Guiding Contest
- Nature Scavenger Hunt



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