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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

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**2016 DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND CONTROL (DAPC) WEEK**

To: School Heads Public Elementary and Secondary Schools  
School Drug Education Program Coordinators

1. Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No.124 declaring the Third Week of November of every year as **Drug Abuse Prevention and Control (DAPC) Week**, this year's celebration will be observed from November 14 to 18, 2016 with the theme "*Listening to Children and Youth is the First Step to Help Them Grow Healthy and Safe.*"
2. All Public and private elementary and secondary schools are enjoined to organize educational and social activities to celebrate the occasion.
3. Attached are the suggested activities for this event.
4. A brief narrative and pictorial report on the observance of DAPC Week shall be submitted to through to the **Bureau of Learner Support Services-School Health Division, 3rd Floor, Mabini Building, Department of Education (DepEd) Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City** or [sgod.deped.ac@gmail.com](mailto:sgod.deped.ac@gmail.com) not later than **December 12, 2016**.
5. Immediate and wide dissemination of strict compliance to this memorandum is desired.

  
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Attachment

**a. Preliminary Activities**

- i. Putting of bulletin displays depicting the theme in strategic places in the schools and in the community.
- ii. Radio broadcast announcing the DAPC Week Celebration; and
- iii. Coordination with the local government units (LGUs), such as municipal and barangay officials, parent-teachers associations (PTAs), and nongovernment organizations (NGOs) related to the week's activities.

**b. Activities during the Week**

- i. Holding of Interfaith services to mark the beginning of the week;
- ii. Conduct the following:
  - School Community Parade;
  - Literacy-musical program;
  - Intensive educational campaign against drug abuse, through symposia, seminars, film showing, community assemblies, school PTA meetings/conferences and print broadcast media; and
  - Contests, such as slogan and essay writing, poster making, painting/drawing/sketching, composition of jingle, rhymes, songs.
  - Integration of the drug abuse prevention messages/concepts in appropriate subject areas at the elementary and secondary levels and in the school paper/organ;
  - Holding of exhibits and shows to be participated in by all sectors in the community; and
  - Mobilization of all school organizations and scouts in the drug abuse prevention activities.