



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF TACLOBAN CITY

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**TO: ASSISTANT SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT
CID & SGOD CHIEFS
EDUCATION PROGRAM SUPERVISORS
PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT SUPERVISORS
ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUBLIC SCHOOL HEADS
SCHOOL PROJECT W.A.T.C.H. COORDINATORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

SUBJECT: DECLARING THE MONTH OF JUNE AS W.A.T.C.H. MONTH

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 410, s. 2009 titled "Guidelines on the establishment of a W.A.T.C.H. School and Presidential Proclamation No. 1782 dated May 21, 2009 titled "Declaring the Month of June as W.A.T.C.H. Month and Enjoining all Schools, Colleges, Universities, and Local Government Units (LGUs) to undertake Programs of Activities Relating Thereto Every Second Week of June," this Office through the Social Mobilization and Networking Unit announces to the field the declaration of the month of June as W.A.T.C.H. month.
2. Its main goal is to push forward the recognition of punctuality and honesty as two core values in promoting national renewal and development. To attain this goal, school heads are encouraged to organize W.A.T.C.H. Clubs and to establish W.A.T.C.H. Schools divisionwide that will serve as center of excellence in the renewal commitment towards consciousness on punctuality and honesty.
3. In view thereof, all schools are enjoined to facilitate conduct of activities relative to the month-long celebration. Suggested activities below may be conducted or the school may have an option to initiate any contextualized school activities:
 - a. Launching and Culminating WATCH Activities
 - b. School INSET on Project WATCH;
 - c. Project WATCH Orientation involving School PTA, SPGO and other Community Stakeholders; and
 - d. Recognition of Pupils and School Personnel exemplifying the values of Honesty and Punctuality.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Division Memorandum and compliance thereto are highly desired.

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