



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Cordillera Administrative Region
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BAGUIO CITY



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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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2021 INDIGENOUS PEOPLES (IP) MONTH CELEBRATION

To: OIC- Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
CID and SGOD Chief Education Supervisor
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public School Heads
All Schools Division Office Personnel
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 62, s. 2011 entitled “**Adopting the National Indigenous Peoples Education (IPEd) Policy Framework**” and in celebration of the **Indigenous Peoples Month** for the month of October, this office requests the observance of the said activity for both the schools and SDO.
2. The theme of the said activity is “**Karunungan ng mga Katutubong Pamayanan: Limang Daang Taon ng Pagtatanggol at Pagpapayabong, Ipagpatuloy sa Pangalawang Dekada ng Katutubong Edukasyon**”.
3. The objectives of this celebration are the following:
 - 3.1 ensure educational value in promoting inter-cultural understanding, where participants have sense of respect for the recognition of dignity of IP communities;
 - 3.2 showcase expression of rights-based education by ensuring culture-sensitivity and appropriateness;
 - 3.3 observe balance presence of ICCs we work with, that there is a collective sense of feeling of belongingness; and
 - 3.4 consider local dynamics among communities, elders and leaders (community and LGU).
4. This office suggests the following activities to be observed during the IP Month celebration:
 - 4.1 hybrid/virtual Knowledge Sharing , LAC sessions, and other similar activities for the implementation of IPEd programs, projects and activities;
 - 4.2 wearing of IP attire every Monday for the whole month of October; and
 - 4.3 showcase of indigenous practices of the different ICCs in CAR.
5. Participants in all activities need to strictly comply with protocols on social distancing and implement precautionary measures consistent with the IATF health protocols, DOH protection protocols, local quarantine rules and all other relevant protocols outlined in DepEd and DepEd Task Force COVID-19 issuances.
6. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum to all concern is desired.

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