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SFP CALENDAR OF SCIENCE EDUCATION ACTIVITIES  
FOR SY 1981-1982

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Chiefs of Services and Heads of Units  
Schools Superintendents  
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities  
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities

1. For the information and guidance of the field, inclosed is the 1981-1982 Calendar of Activities of the Science Foundation of the Philippines (SFP). These activities are designed to promote and develop science consciousness among the youth and the general public through the organization and utilization of science clubs in schools and colleges of the country, in accordance with a mandate in the SFP charter, R.A. 770.

2. The Calendar starts with activities for the celebration of Science Club Month in September 1981, per Presidential Proclamation No. 1895, and also covers the science fair and quiz from the district up to the national level, science camps, environmental watching, and activities of the youth science clubs as well as those of the science club advisers association.

3. It is emphasized that these activities are intended to support the science and mathematics programs of the Ministry of Education and Culture and help as well in the development of personal and social values of the young. Therefore, the participation/involvement of the schools, pupils and students in these activities is basically voluntary in nature. The cooperation and support of all concerned is hereby requested to insure effective and successful conduct and implementation of these activities, but care should be exercised in undertaking them to avoid undue disruption of or interference with the regular school program.

4. Details of implementation of these activities should be worked out by the SFP representatives with the teachers and school officials concerned at their respective levels.

5. Expenses incident to participation and involvement in these activities, including membership in the science clubs, etc. are also voluntary. As a general policy, SFP shall provide the necessary funding for them as defined in the attached program of activities.

6. It is reiterated that regional and division supervisors and teachers of science and mathematics, science-math club advisers and members, and all others involved in the promotion of science and mathematics such as the non-formal education coordinators, school paper advisers and campus writers, and the students, extend cooperation to the SFP representatives and support, attend and actively participate in the activities as much as possible.

7. The contents of this Memorandum should be immediately disseminated to all concerned.

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Minister of Education and Culture

Incl.:  
As stated

Reference:  
MEC Memorandum: No. 88, s. 1980

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Republika ng Pilipinas  
TAKARANG AGHAM NG PILLIPINAS  
(Science Foundation of the Philippines)  
Nilikha sa Ilalim ng Batas ng Republika 770  
Bicutan, Taguig, Metro Manila

SFP-MEC SCIENCE EDUCATION CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

<u>Activities</u>	<u>Date</u>
1. <u>National Science Club Month</u>	September 1-30, 1981
a. Evaluation	July 26-December 2, 1981
b. Workshop on Rank Advancement Scheme	September 2-5, 1981
c. Sigham Awards (National)	
d. Workshop on Establishment of Science Energy and Environment Farm	September 2-5, 1981
e. SCAAP Symposium/Workshop	September 1-6, 1981
2. <u>Science Fair</u>	
a. School/Local Level	September 1981
b. Provincial/City	October 19-23, 1981
c. Regional	November 16-20, 1981
d. National	January 25-29, 1982
3. <u>Science Quiz</u>	
a. School/Local Level	September 1981
b. Provincial/City	October 21-22, 1981
c. Regional	November 18-19, 1981
d. National	January 27-28, 1982
4. <u>Science Camp</u>	
a. Local (Provincial/City/Division)	August-September, 1981
b. Regional	November-December, 1981
c. National	April-May, 1982
5. <u>Sigham Awards</u>	
a. City/Provincial	February, 1981
b. Regional	March, 1981
c. National	September 5, 1981

6. Research Projects for 1981
  - a. Preparation of Guidebook for the Selection of Science and Technology Careers August-December, 1981
  - b. Preparation of a Manual on Investigatory Projects for Science Clubs August-December, 1981
7. Science and Technology Museum Development
  - a. Science Exhibitions September 7-11, 1981
  - b. Feasibility Studies on the Science Exhibit Models September 7-11, 1981  
November, 1981
  - c. Regional Science Exhibitions (Science and Technology Exhibit Centers) Region I and XI Local Schedule
8. Workshop-Seminars on the Training and Development of Science Club Leaders and Advisers Local Schedule  
Science Journalism Workshops Local Schedule
9. Energy Related Project
  - a. Teacher's Exposition on Energy Resource (SEER)
    1. Provincial/City September 21-25, 1981
    2. Regional October 19-23, 1981
    3. National December 5-10, 1981