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DECS MEMORANDUM
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1999 WORLD FOOD DAY

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Superintendents

1. World Food Day is observed on October 16 of every year in all countries throughout the world to give emphasis on the importance of food for human survival and sustenance of life. In the Philippines, World Food Day will be observed this year on October 15, 1999 with the theme, "Youth Against Hunger" to highlight the role of the young generation in the quest for food security, particularly for their families.

2. In order to create greater awareness among the school populace on the significance of World Food Day, the following activities are being suggested to be undertaken in the schools on October 15.

- Bulletin board displays and/or streamers in strategic places depicting the theme;
- Conduct of symposia, fora/community assemblies;
- Integration of food concepts/messages in appropriate subject areas in the elementary and secondary school curricula;
- Poster and slogan making, poem/tula, jingle writing depicting the theme (contest or plain activity)

3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Secretary

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