

## REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

## KAGAWARAN NG EDUKASYON, KULTURA AT ISPORTS DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORTS

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## 2000 FAMILY WEEK CELEBRATION

Undersecretaries To: Assistant Secretaries **Bureau Directors** Regional Directors Schools Division/City Superintendents Private Elementary and Secondary Schools Principals

- The Family Week Celebration, embodied in Presidential Proclamation No. 60 dated September 28, 1992 and Executive Order No. 241 is chaired by the Secretary of the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) with the Secretary of the Department of Education, Culture and Sports (DECS) as member. This year's week-long celebration is scheduled on September 18-24, 2000.
- The theme of the celebration is "Ang Nagkakaisang Pamilya: Kabalikat ng Bayan sa Kapayapaan, Katatagan at Kaunlaran". It aims to strengthen the Filipino family as the basic unit of society by:
  - upholding and demonstrating Filipino values in its way of life; 8
  - inspiring and motivating the Filipino family to work towards a better b. quality of family and consequently a community life; and
  - encouraging familial participation and involvement in socio-economic C. activities.
- All public and private elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to conduct activities that will commemorate the celebration. Such activities may include on-the-spot essaywriting competition, poster-making contest, quiz bee, and conduct of family fora. The theme of the celebration can also be written on the blackboard to enable students to memorize and understand it by heart.
- Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is expected.

Secretary

Reference: 1949 DECS Memorandum:: No. 378, s. 2000

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