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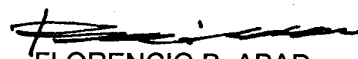
DepED MEMORANDUM

No. 62, s. 2005

19<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE EDSA PEOPLE POWER REVOLUTION

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Department of Education (DepED) joins the whole nation in celebrating the 19<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the EDSA People Power Revolution on February 25, 2005 with the theme "*Beat the Odds, Sugpuin Ang Korupsyon*". The celebration shall highlight President Gloria Macapagal Arroyo's ten point program and the fight against graft and corruption as the pillars of a strong republic.
2. The celebration shall consist of the following:
  - Flag raising ceremony on February 22, 2005;
  - Recitation of a Prayer for the Nation and Pledge of Commitment to keep the Filipino People Power alive;
  - Discussion of values, with emphasis on the evils of graft and corruption;
  - And other activities consistent with the celebration such as the following:
    - Tree planting;
    - Classroom and campus beautification;
    - Essay and poem writing contests; and
    - Art or drawing competition.
3. All school heads are expected to take the lead in the conduct of the activities to celebrate the event. It is however, understood that the conduct of the aforementioned activities should not disrupt regular classes nor diminish teachers' time on tasks.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
FLORENCIO B. ABAD  
Secretary

Reference: DepED Memorandum: No. 86, s. 2004

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