



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Region VIII  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CALBAYOG CITY

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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

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**GUIDANCE ON THE UNIFORM MATERIALS FOR LUPANG HINIRANG,  
BAGONG PILIPINAS HYMN, AND DEPED PRAYER  
IN OFFICIAL DEPED EVENTS**

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
SGOD and CID Chiefs  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
Unit/Section Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. In line with the Memorandum issued by Atty. Fatima Lipp D. Panontongan, DepEd Undersecretary and Chief of Staff, on December 2, 2024, this Office provides clear guidance on the consistent use of officially approved materials for the National Anthem (Lupang Hinirang), the Bagong Pilipinas Hymn, and the official DepEd Prayer.
2. As such, all Schools Division Office (SDO) functional divisions and public elementary and secondary schools are directed to consistently use these official materials during flag-raising ceremonies, flag retreats, and other formal DepEd-related events.
3. The official audio-visual materials can be accessed via [bit.ly/4g9kXD7](https://bit.ly/4g9kXD7).
4. Immediate dissemination and strict compliance with this Memorandum are expected

  
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Enclosure: None

Reference: As stated

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**MEMORANDUM**

FOR : **ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS  
ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL HEADS  
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

FROM : **ATTY. FATIMA LIPP D. PANONTONGAN** *FL*  
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SUBJECT : **GUIDANCE ON THE UNIFORM MATERIALS FOR LUPANG  
HINIRANG, BAGONG PILIPINAS, AND DEPED PRAYER IN  
OFFICIAL DEPED EVENTS**

DATE : December 2, 2024

The Department of Education – Central Office issues this memorandum to **provide clear guidance** on the consistent use of the officially sanctioned materials for the national anthem **Lupang Hinirang**, the **Bagong Pilipinas** hymn, and the official DepEd prayer. These materials must be used during all official ceremonies, including flag-raising ceremonies, flag retreats, and other formal DepEd-related events.

The official audio-visual materials are accessible through <https://bit.ly/4g9kXD7>, and it is the responsibility of all regional and school division offices to disseminate these properly to all schools and units under their jurisdiction.

Should you have any clarifications or concerns, your office may coordinate with Manuelito L. Santos of the Public Affairs Service – Creative Media Unit through his mobile 0905-115-1968 or direct line 8633-2120.

For strict compliance and wide dissemination. Thank you.

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