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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 420, s. 2023

REITERATING THE CONDUCT OF FLAG RAISING AND FLAG LOWERING CEREMONIES IN THE OFFICE AND SCHOOLS

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief ES- Curriculum Implementation Division
Chief ES- Schools Governance and Operations Division
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
Private School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Section 18 of Republic Act (RA) No. 8491, otherwise known as the Flag and Heraldic Code of the Philippines, DepEd Order No. 20, s. 2015 "Observance/Conduct of Flag Raising and Lowering Ceremonies and Proper Sequence in Official DepEd Programs Involving the Singing of the Philippine Anthem and Civil Service Commission Memorandum Circular 19, 2012, and DepEd Order 9, 2021, Institutionalization of a Quality Management System in the Department of Education, this Office hereby release this Memorandum for information and guidance of all public and private schools in this Division.
2. Relative to this issuance all Division Office Personnel and educational institutions are required to participate in the Observance/Conduct of Flag Raising Ceremonies every Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock and Flag Lowering Ceremonies every Friday at 4:45 o'clock in the afternoon. The Ceremony shall be simple and dignified and shall include playing or singing of the Lupang Hinirang.
3. Public and Private schools shall have their Flag Raising Ceremonies earlier before the start of the first-class period. Flag Lowering Ceremony shall be conducted depending on the last period of their class not earlier than 4:30 PM
4. Other provisions of RA 8491, DepEd Order 50, s.2015 and DepEd Order 009, S. 2021 shall remain in place.



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5. Immediate and widest dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.

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Schools Division Superintendent

References:

DepEd Order Nos. 15, s. 1995 and 9, s. 2003

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