



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education  
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF MUNTINLUPA CITY

Office of the Schools Division  
Superintendent

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**MEMORANDUM**

**INVITATION TO PHILIPPINE RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisor, Curriculum Implementation Division  
OIC-Chief Education Supervisor, School Governance and Operations Division  
Public Elementary and Secondary School Principals / OICs  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is a letter from Dr. Roberto R. Dacles, Chapter Administrator, Philippine Red Cross Rizal Chapter, dated March 7, 2025, on the above-captioned title, the contents of which are self-explanatory, for the information and guidance of all concerned.
2. All schools are encouraged to support the Philippine Red Cross Membership Program.
3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**VIOLETA M. GONZALES**

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Officer-In-Charge  
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated  
References: As stated  
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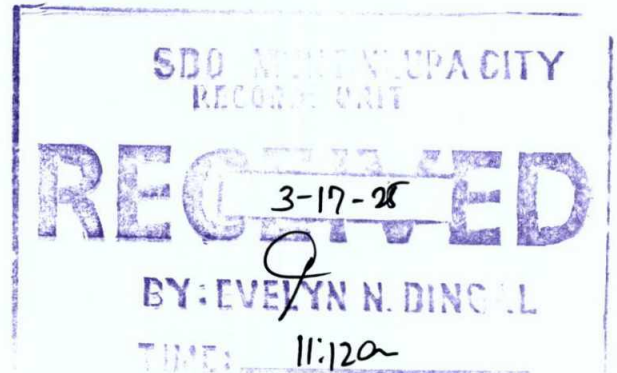
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7 March 2025

Dr. Violeta M. Gonzales, CESO VI  
Officer-in-Charge  
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent  
Division of Muntinlupa City



Dear Dr. Gonzales,

Greetings!

The Philippine Red Cross (PRC) maintains its commitment to the humanitarian principles and the ideals of the movement along with the state’s recognition of its role in supporting education and other fields. It is also mandated to make every citizen or resident of the Republic to become members of the Philippine Red Cross as embodied in Republic Act 10072 and supported by the Regional Memo No. 756 s. 2024 “Invitation to Philippine Red Cross Membership Program”.

It is in this spirit that the PRC have further nurtured a partnership agreement with the Department of Education to help build resilience in education through the establishment of Red Cross Youth Councils and Red Cross 143 teams in schools and communities through DepEd Memo No. 172 s. 2009. With this, we aim to inspire meaningful involvement of children and adult volunteers in community development, resilience building and lifesaving through different capability building programs and activities.

We seek for your full support in the establishment of Red Cross Youth Councils in all primary and secondary schools consistent with DepEd Memo No. 102 s. 2011 on the upcoming 2025-2026 school year. We believe that through this, we will be able to further assist in the formation and holistic development of young people towards nation building and in caring for humanity.

We thank you for your support to the organization and its programs.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Roberto R. Dacles  
Chapter Administrator

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**= ALWAYS FIRST, ALWAYS READY, ALWAYS THERE**



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

June 22, 2024

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. 756, s. 2024

**To:** Schools Division Superintendents

**INVITATION TO PHILIPPINE RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM**

1. This is with reference to the attached Memorandum DM-OUHROD-2024-1108 from **WILFREDO E. CABRAL**, Regional Director, Officer in Charge, Office of the Undersecretary for Human Resource and Organizational Development and **ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**, Undersecretary for Operations dated June 6, 2024, titled "Invitation to Philippine Red Cross Membership Program" which is self-explanatory, for information, guidance and for appropriate action for all those concerned.
2. For any inquiries, may contact Ms. Maria Gracia A. Chua, Philippine Red Cross Manager for Membership Fund Drive Unit or Maria Rizza Genil, Membership Coordinator on mobile number 09175106343 or through email address: [maabrecruitment@redcross.org.ph](mailto:maabrecruitment@redcross.org.ph).
3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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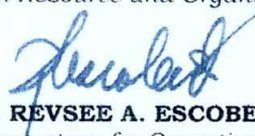
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**Department of Education**

**OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY**  
HUMAN RESOURCE AND ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

**MEMORANDUM**  
**DM-OUHROD-2024-1108**

FOR : **Undersecretaries**  
**Assistant Secretaries**  
**Bureau/Service Directors**  
**Regional Directors**  
**Schools Division Superintendents**  
**All Others Concerned**

FROM :   
**WILFREDO E. CABRAL**  
*Regional Director*  
*Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Undersecretary for*  
*Human Resource and Organizational Development*

  
**ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**  
*Undersecretary for Operations*

SUBJECT : **INVITATION TO PHILIPPINE RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM**

DATE : 06 June 2024

1. The Philippine Red Cross (PRC) is an independent non-government organization that is totally reliant on donations to fund its rescue, relief, and recovery interventions. It pursues several initiatives to secure the funding it needs. One of these is Membership. Pursuant to R.A. 10072, of which mandates as follows:

“Section 6. *Membership* - Membership in the Philippine Red Cross shall be open to the entire population in the Philippines regardless of citizenship. Any contribution to the Philippine Red Cross Annual Fund Campaign shall entitle the contributor to membership for one (1) year and the said contribution shall be deductible in full for taxation purposes.”

2. Accordingly, the PRC invites DepEd employees to join in the roster of PRC members.



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3. The bonafide member of PRC can gain the following personal accident assistance benefits with minimum annual membership fee of **Sixty Pesos (P60.00)**:

<b>Benefit</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Accidental Death, Disablement and Disbursement	P 12,000.00
Unprovoked Murder and Assault	P 12,000.00
Accidental Medical Reimbursement	P 5,000
Accidental Burial Assistance	P 5,000
Daily Hospital Allowance	P 150.00/day

4. Other benefits of membership include access to blood and ambulance service.
5. In this regard, all DepEd employees, regardless of employment status, are encouraged to become members. It promotes humanitarian values, enhance their skills in crisis management and community outreach, and instills a sense of responsibility towards helping others in time of need which allows them to engage directly with communities in need and demonstrate their commitment to public welfare.
6. Membership **may also be extended to learners on a voluntary basis** subject to the provisions stated in DepEd Order No. 19, s. 2008 "Implementation of No Collection Policy in All Public Elementary and Secondary Schools", DepEd Order No. 41, s. 2012 "Revised Guidelines on the Opening of Classes", and DepEd Order No. 66, s. 2012 "Amendments in DepEd Order No. 41, s. 2012, and other related policies and guidelines for the strict implementation of the "No Collection Policy".
7. For more information, all concerned may contact **Ms. Maria Gracia A. Chua**, PRC Manager for Membership Fund Drive Unit or **Ms. Ma. Rizza Genil**, Membership Coordinator via the following details: mobile phone no. 09175106343 / 09178446025 or send a message through email address: [maabrecruitment@redcross.org.ph](mailto:maabrecruitment@redcross.org.ph) or visit website at: [www.redcross.org.ph](http://www.redcross.org.ph)
8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



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**HON. SARA Z. DUTERTE**

Vice President of the Philippines  
Secretary

**Department of Education**

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Dear Vice President Duterte:

As the foremost humanitarian organization in the country, we are pleased to inform you that the Philippine Red Cross exists to alleviate the plight of our countrymen suffering from natural and man-made calamities. Being an independent non-government organization, PRC is totally reliant on donations to fund its rescue, relief, and recovery interventions. It pursues several initiatives to secure the funding it needs. The Membership Program is one of these, taking advantage of R.A. 10672, Section 6 of which mandates as follows:

**Section 6. Membership.** Membership in the Philippine Red Cross shall be open to the entire population in the Philippines regardless of citizenship. Any contribution to the Philippine Red Cross Annual Fund Campaign shall entitle the contributor to membership for one (1) year and the said contribution shall be deductible in full for taxation purposes.

**In line with this program, we extend this invitation for you, your employees and affiliates to join the roster of PRC members. As a member, you become part of PRC's national network of volunteers and take part in PRC's humanitarian activities. Other benefits of membership include insurance coverage and access to blood and ambulance service. We would appreciate your endorsement of this program to your offices nationwide.**

Should you have questions, you may contact the following:

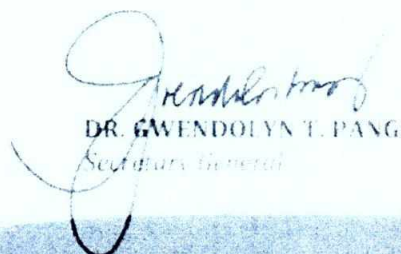
Ms. Maria Gracia A. Chua, PRC Manager for Membership Fund Drive Unit or Ms. Ma. Rizza Genil, Membership Coordinator via the following details below:

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Looking forward to a strategic and fruitful partnership between our organizations!

Truly yours,

  
**DR. GWENDOLYN T. PANG**  
Secretary General



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Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**



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DepED MEMORANDUM  
No. **172**, s. 2009

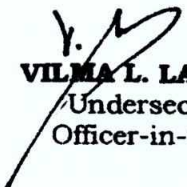
DEPED-PNRC RED CROSS 143 PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

To: Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau Directors  
Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. In support to the Memorandum of Agreement signed between the Department of Education (DepED) and the Philippine National Red Cross (PNRC) dated February 14, 2008, the PNRC hosted regional meetings with DepED local officials to introduce Red Cross 143 Program as a partnership activity between these two (2) agencies which aims to educate the communities with humanitarian actions, principles and values.
2. Red Cross 143 is a program conceptualized by the Philippine National Red Cross that teaches people to look after and care for their respective communities. It ensures every community in the country to be prepared and responsive in case of emergency. This Office seeks for the support and participation of all concerned to this undertaking.
3. This program aims to create a minimum of 44 volunteers in every barangay, 1 Team Leader and 43 members, which shall be trained in: a) disaster preparedness and response; b) health and welfare; and c) voluntary blood donation and advocacy.
4. The partnership concept is to appoint every Barangay Elementary School Principal as the Community Team Leader who will create the Red Cross 143 Team in their respective barangay composed of teachers, PTCA officers and community leaders.
5. Red Cross 143 Program envisions a network of volunteers in every community nationwide that would provide essential information and be mobilized in the field in times of emergencies or disasters. This program upholds and encourages the spirit of volunteerism in the community, thereby delivering timely, effective and compassionate humanitarian assistance.

6. For further information and/or inquiries, please contact Mr. Mark Manansala at tel. nos.: (02) 666-5038; (02) 527-0862 or mobile no.: 0915-3615-883.

7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**VILMA L. LABRADOR**  
Undersecretary  
Officer-in-Charge

Reference:

None

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No. **102**, s. 2011

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**ESTABLISHMENT OF THE RED CROSS YOUTH COUNCILS AND TRAINING OF TEACHERS IN THE DIFFERENT RED CROSS SERVICES**

To: Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Bureau Directors  
Directors of Services, Centers and Heads of Units  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division/City Superintendents  
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Philippine National Red Cross (PNRC) is the foremost humanitarian organization in the country. Its mission is to bring timely, effective and compassionate humanitarian assistance to the most vulnerable without consideration of nationality, race, creed, gender, social status or political belief. One of its major services is the Red Cross Youth (RCY), which caters to children and youth aged 7 to 25 years old, by providing opportunities for directing and harnessing their energies and idealism into worthwhile humanitarian activities.
2. The RCY aims to :
  - a. inculcate humanitarian values;
  - b. instill the practice of healthy lifestyle;
  - c. enhance youth leadership skills through service delivery; and
  - d. advocate national/international friendship.
3. The major activities of the RCY are the following:
  - a. conduct of youth developmental trainings which inculcate humanitarian principles and values of Red Cross, i.e. promotion of youth volunteerism, formation of effective humanitarian leaders and fostering positive group efforts and activities;
  - b. promotion and practice of healthy lifestyle through HIV/AIDS and substance abuse prevention education, voluntary blood donation and road safety;
  - c. active participation of the youth in the protection of life through first aid/basic life support trainings, disaster risk reduction efforts and junior first aiders' program, and community health activities;



- d. upholding the culture of excellence, peace, non-violence and non-discrimination among children and youth through the different RCY camps, RCY olympics, national/international exchange programs and gatherings and other friendship activities;
  - e. RCY advisers' development and participation in harnessing the humanitarian skills and values of the children and youth through the council management trainings and formation of local and national RCY Advisers' League; and
  - f. youth and volunteers' active involvement in Red Cross decision making process in the different levels of organization.
4. A Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Philippine National Red Cross (PNRC) and the Department of Education (DepEd) was signed on February 14, 2008, when it was agreed that all public elementary and secondary schools must have an organized Red Cross Youth Council (RCYC) with at least one (1) adviser and forty three (43) youth members.
5. In this connection, all schools are encouraged to organize RCY Councils following their organization process and requirements and to appoint their teachers as RCYC Advisers who will undergo training under the PNRC.
6. These teachers are encouraged to be trained on the different Red Cross trainings such as First Aid, Basic Life Support (or Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation), and Disaster Management.
7. For more information, please visit Mr. Carlos Benigno S. Gallardo, Manager, Red Cross Youth at the PNRC National Headquarters located at the Bonifacio Drive, Port Area, Manila or contact him at telephone no.: (02) 524-2101 or at mobile phone no.: (0918) 942-4272.
8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC**  
Secretary

Reference: None

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