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Department of Education
REGION III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF PAMPANGA

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
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2026 SDO PAMPANGA WORLD TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. As mandated by Presidential Proclamation No. 242 entitled Declaring the Period of September 5 to October 5 of Every Year as National Teachers' Month, as well as Republic Act No. 10743 entitled An Act Declaring the Fifth Day of October of Every Year as the National Teachers' Day, and the designation of the World Teachers' Day every 5th of October by the United Nations Education and Cultural Organizations (UNESCO), the Division of Pampanga will celebrate the World Teachers' Day (WTD) as part of its culminating activity on the following schedule:

Activity	Date and Time
2026 SDO Pampanga World Teachers' Day Virtual Celebration *(SDO Pampanga DepEd Tayo Page)*	October 1, 2026 (9:00am-11:00am)
School/District/Cluster-based World Teachers' Day Celebration	October 5, 2026

2. This year's Celebration will focus on the theme: "Standing with teachers: 60 years of protecting the profession, advancing its status and shaping our futures".

3. The activities aim to:

   a. acknowledge and give emphasis on the crucial role, loyal service, and dedicated commitment of teachers in developing globally-minded citizen, nurturing families, strengthening communities, and building the nation;
   b. revitalize the image of and respect for teaching as a vocation by increasing public awareness on the value of teachers in the Philippine society;
   c. take the occasion as an opportunity in building the image of teaching as an attractive and fulfilling profession;
   d. generate widespread support and assistance for teachers; and
   e. express gratitude for the positive influences of teachers on Filipino learners.

4. All public and private elementary and secondary schools are enjoined to participate in the National Teachers' Day/World Teachers' Day virtual celebration.

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Likewise, schools/districts/clusters are advised to document and post their celebration to different social media platform using the hashtags: #FORWARDPampanga #WTD2026SDOPampanga.

5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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