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**Department of Education**  
REGION XI  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF TAGUM CITY**

Division Memorandum  
No. MP s. 2021

TO : **All Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
SBFP Coordinators**

FROM : The Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT: **2021 NUTRITION MONTH CELEBRATION**

DATE : July 7, 2021

The Department of Education ( DepEd) enjoins all learners, teaching and nonteaching personnel, officials and other stakeholders, including parents to participate in the 2021 Nutrition Month Celebration this July as stipulated in DepEd Memorandum No. 035,s.2021. This celebration is led by the National Nutrition Council(NNC), the country's highest policy-making body and coordinating agency in nutrition.

DepEd Tagum City Division Office encourages everyone to participate in the 47<sup>th</sup> Nutrition Month Campaign with the theme" **Malnutrisyon Patuloy na Labanan, First 1000 Days Tutukan**. This necessitates continuing efforts to combat malnutrition in the nation, which is likely to deteriorate because of the pandemic and limited resources of nutrition. It highlights the significance of adequate nutrition throughout the first 1000 days of child's life as a preventive strategy for stunting and obesity.


The objectives of the campaign are to:

- Increase the understanding on the importance of the First 1000 Days of Life and Philippine Plan of Action as the framework for action to address malnutrition.
- Foster collaboration among stakeholders to scale up interventions; and
- Generate interactions from the stakeholders that we target or the corresponding commitment and actions.

The division enjoins all Schools to participate this celebration through virtual activities, conduct advocacies on Health and Nutrition, sustain services in cases of emergency and health crisis.

All Schools Nutrition/SBFP Coordinators shall document their activities and submit accomplishment reports to the Division Health and Nutrition Section on or before July 30, 2021.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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