



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 Region III  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF NUEVA ECIJA**  
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DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
 No. 213 s. 2016


**115<sup>TH</sup> FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY OF DEPED NUEVA ECIJA**

DEP-ED-NUEVA ECIJA  
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To: Division Unit Heads  
 Public Schools District Supervisors  
 Elementary and Secondary School Principals  
 Non-Teaching Personnel

1. This is to announce the celebration of 115<sup>th</sup> Founding Anniversary of DepEd Schools Division of Nueva Ecija with the theme "'DepEd NE @115: Celebrating K to 12 Community of Talents - Soaring in Greater Heights". on September 1, 2016, to wit:
 

I.	8:00 AM	Thanksgiving Mass	-Nueva Ecija High School
II.	10:00 AM	Opening Program	-SM City Cabanatuan
III.	10:30 AM	Talent Show	-SM City Cabanatuan
2. The activity aims to:
  - a. Commemorate the humble beginnings of DepEd Nueva Ecija and bring the participants to where it has travelled in its journey in molding the future especially the products of K to 12 Curriculum;
  - b. Improve its efficiency and effectiveness through recognition of outstanding accomplishments of schools and their stakeholders; and
  - c. Benchmark on its capacity in upholding solidarity among all members of DepEd community through a showcase of their talents.
3. Participants to this activity are the PSDSes, School Heads, Faculty Presidents of each school, and the contestants to the three competitions. Participants are required to wear maong jeans and white polo shirt during the event.
4. Enclosure No. 1 contains the contest mechanics while Enclosure No. 2 contains the Technical Working Group (TWG).
5. The activity is free of charge. Meals and snacks and other expenses to this shall be charged against the Division Inset Funds, while travelling allowance shall be charged against school funds/local funds/SEF and other funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. For your information and guidance.

  
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 Schools Division Superintendent






Enclosure No. 1 to Division Memorandum No. \_\_\_\_\_s, 2016

## 115<sup>th</sup> DepEd Nueva Ecija Founding Anniversary

### Contest Mechanics

#### General Contest Rules:

1. There are three contest categories namely; dance contest, duet singing competition and the search for "Talentadong DepEd personnel".
2. The contests are open to all **permanent** Deped personnel such as school heads, teachers, or non-teaching personnel; however, there will be no specific categories for each of them. There will only be separate categories in the elementary and secondary levels.
3. Top three winners from each category will be recognized in the elementary and top three winners in the secondary level respectively.
4. There will be one (1) representative/pair from each of the four Congressional Districts, and the representative from the non-teaching personnel.
5. All the four CDs will conduct their own elimination rounds to determine their contestants who will compete in the Division Level.
6. Each competition will have specific time allotment, and those who will exceed the required time will receive two-point deduction from their total scores for every excess minute or a fraction thereof. Time allotment will begin the moment the accompaniment/music started, or the moment they started their performance for the talent search.
7. No contestant is allowed to participate in two or more contests.
8. Costumes must be decent and appropriate for the competition.
9. It is the responsibility of the contestants to signify their intention of joining the contest by showing up an hour before the contest proper and make necessary arrangements with the sound system for their music/accompaniment.
10. Professional dancers/singers/performers are disqualified from joining the contests. Participants who are found to have performed as "professionals" will face outright disqualification. A professional dancer/singer/performer is someone who is financially compensated for his/her performance either in public or in private.
11. August 26, 2016-9:00 a.m. (Elimination Schedule).  
CD I-Nampicuan Central School  
CD II-Carranglan Central School  
CD III-Gabaldon Central School  
CD IV-Gen. Tinio Central School
12. The use of pyrotechnic gadgets, smoke or combustible and other dangerous materials as props is not allowed.
13. The decision of the board of judges is **final and irrevocable**.