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Department of Education  
Region V  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SORSOGON**  
Sorsogon



January 3, 2019

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**  
No. 02, s. 2019

**DIVISION SIMULTANEOUS CONDUCT OF TREE AND MANGROVE PLANTING  
ACTIVITIES**

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
CID & SGOD Chiefs  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Elementary & Secondary Schools Heads  
School National Greening Program Coordinators  
All Other Concerns

1. By virtue of the DepEd Order No. 5, s. 2014 on the Year-round Implementation of the Tree Planting, Gulayan sa Paaralan and Solid Waste Management, the Division of Sorsogon will conduct a Simultaneous Division-wide Tree and Mangrove Planting Activities on January 18, 2019.

2. This activity aims to:

- A. Enhance the development of values among the learners by integrating curricula concepts in planting fruit-bearing, agro-forest and mangrove trees;
- B. Raise awareness on the environmental protection and land conservation
- C. Coordinate with other agencies, NGOs, and private institutions relative to the program

3. School Leaders are expected participants, School Heads and NGP Coordinators shall take the lead in the implementation of this activity. For elementary, only Grades 5-6 will be involved, while Grades 7-12 for high school and senior high school will be allowed to participate. Students must present a parent's consent prior to the tree-planting activity.

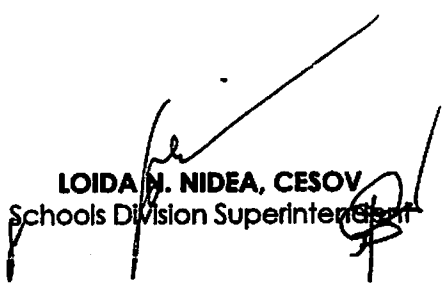
4. The schools may coordinate with the Barangay Officials or/and with the Municipal Field Officer in the preparation of the selected sites for planting and plantation establishment. For schools located at the coastal area and near sea side shall plant mangrove trees while schools located in an upland areas shall plant fruit-bearing and agro-forest trees.

5. Each school is required to plant a minimum of 50 forest trees/fruit-bearing saplings or mangrove trees. Schools shall request seedlings at the DENR and DA or may request from the Barangay.

6. Submission of accomplishment reports will be on January 25, 2018.

7. Funds for this purpose shall be obtained from the regular MOOE and other local funds subject to the usual accounting rules and regulations.

8. Wide dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are enjoined.

  
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