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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

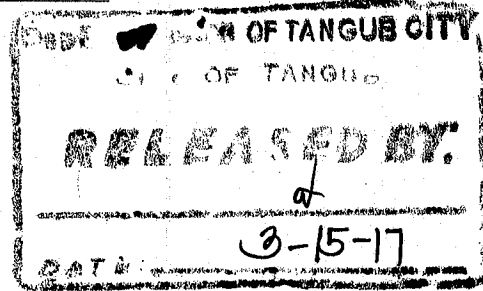
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To : Elementary School Administrators  
Head Teachers, TICs, OICs  
Public and Private

From : **VICTORIA V. GAZO, Ph. D., CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent

Subject : DIVISION SEARCH for the TOP THREE BEST HONOR PUPILS' ADDRESSES DURING  
GRADUATION/CLOSING EXERCISES in PUBLIC and PRIVATE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Date : March 15, 2017



1. To recognize the potentials and learning abilities of Grade 6 top honor graduates (with highest honors/with high honors/with honors) in their respective classes in the elementary schools in this Division, a search for the top three Best Honor Pupils' Addresses/Speeches will be conducted during the Graduation/Closing Exercises scheduled on April 2- 8, 2017.
2. This search is now on its 6<sup>th</sup> year of implementation in the Division as part of the Tangub REWARDS program through the initiative and sponsorship of the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Tangub City.
3. All Grade 6 top honor graduates of Tangub City Division both in public and private elementary schools are qualified to join in the competition.
4. Coordinating Principals in the four districts are given the sole control to pick out school heads to compose the three-men team as District/Cluster Search Committee who will act as panel of judges and will identify the top three honor pupils' addresses in each district/cluster during the Graduation/Closing Exercises to compete for the Division Level Search to be scheduled later this month of April:
5. The Honor Pupil's address or speech shall be based on this year's graduation theme "Sabay-sabay na Hakbang Tungo sa Maunlad na Kinabukasan".
6. Attached are the contest guidelines/criteria for the search:
7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

  
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Schools Division Superintendent

**Contest Guidelines:**

1. The search is open to all Grade 6 top honor graduates (either with highest honors, with high honors or with honors) in this Division both public and private elementary schools for the SY 2016-2017.
2. The masterpiece should be delivered in English and shall depict the theme of this year's Graduation Rites/Closing Exercises **"Sabay-saby na Hakbang Tungo sa Maunlad na Kinabukasan"**.
3. The time limit for delivery should be a minimum of three (3) minutes and a maximum of five (5) minutes only. A one point deduction shall be given for every minute excess of time.
4. The top three contestants for each of the four clusters/districts will qualify for the Division Level Search. Private elementary schools who will qualify for the search shall belong to the nearest Cluster/District where their schools are located.
5. During the Division level competition, only the top five (5) winners shall be awarded.
6. It is a must that all Division level qualifiers shall submit three (3) hard copies of their contest piece to be placed in long folders at the Division Office three days before the conduct of the Division Contest. Non-compliance on this particular guideline will mean disqualification from joining the actual Division level contest.
7. During the actual delivery, the contestants (top honor graduates) will be rated based on the following criteria:

Masterpiece Relevant to the Theme	30%
Organization of Speech (coherence, emphasis and unity of ideas)	30%
Voice Quality and Enunciation	20%
Delivery (Confidence, Convincing, Stage Presence)	<u>20%</u>
Total	100%

8. The decision of the Search Committee is final and irrevocable.