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DepED MEMORANDUM
No. 253, s. 2005

THRUSTS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE STUDENT TECHNOLOGISTS
AND ENTREPRENEURS OF THE PHILIPPINES (STEP), SCHOOL YEAR 2005-2006

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools
TLE Regional and Division Supervisors

1. The Department of Education, (DepED) announces the Thrusts and the Synchronized Schedule of Activities for the Student Technologists and Entrepreneurs of the Philippines (STEP) for the School Year 2005-2006. These activities center on the theme "STEP: Sustaining Productivity and Competitiveness in Support of the Schools First Initiative."
2. For this School Year, STEP's thrusts focus on (a) expanding the organization's structure and program in all levels of membership (school, division, region and national); (b) continuing implementation of co-curricular skills development programs of Technology Livelihood Education participation in the One Province, One Product Program of the President; (c) upgrading teachers' capability in handling life skills development training of students; (d) implementing the awards program of the STEP; (e) encouraging the participation of the elementary level in the skills development and competitions in all levels; and (f) establishing linkages with other government agencies, private organizations and the community.
3. The STEP aims to develop its members to become active partners in nation-building and to achieve competitiveness and productivity through the different skills in agri-fishery, home economics, industrial arts and entrepreneurship.
4. All Regional Directors, Schools Division/City Superintendents, School Principals/Heads and teachers of *Edukasyong Pantahanan at Pangakabuhayan (EPP)* and Technology and Livelihood Education (TLE) are tasked to support the activities and intensify the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of EPP/TLE programs which are integrated in STEP activities.
5. At the national level, the Center for Students and Co-Curricular Affairs (CSCA) is in-charge of monitoring and coordinating the activities of the STEP. For more information, please get in touch with Mr. Joey G. Pelaez, CSCA Executive Director at

Rm. 111, Mabini Bldg., DepED Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, or telefax nos. (02) 631-8495 or (02) 636-3603.

6. Please see enclosure nos. 1 and 2 respectively for the Skills Development Program and the Synchronized Schedule of Activities.

7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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RAMON C. BACANI
Undersecretary
Officer-in-Charge

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As stated

Reference: DepED Memorandum: No. 328, s. 2004

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To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

PROJECTS
STUDENTS
TRAINING PROGRAMS

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STUDENT TECHNOLOGISTS AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP OF THE PHILIPPINES
Skills Development Program

ELEMENTARY LEVEL

1. Patching
2. Flower Arrangement (Fresh)
3. Book Binding (Overcast Stitch)
4. Marcotting

SECONDARY LEVEL

HOME ECONOMICS

1. Pattern Drafting and Ladies' Long Pants Construction
2. Creative Hairstyle and Facial Make- up
3. Table Setting (Includes Table Skirting, Flower Arrangement and Napkin Folding)
4. Cocktail Mixing
5. French Style Sardines Making (Bangus)
6. Pumpkin Pie Making
7. Wedding Cake Decorating

AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY

1. Asexual Propagation
2. Dish Gardening
3. Project Proposal for Layer Production
4. Bangus Deboning

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

1. Residential Wiring Installation
2. Construction and Upholstering a Stool
3. Preparation of a Houseplan
4. Mural Painting
5. AM Radio Assembly
6. Photographic Printing Screen Preparation and T- Shirt Printing
7. Flower Pot Stand (Any Design)
8. Starter Motor Assembly
9. Masonry (Plastering)
10. Plumbing (Installation of Shower Head and Valve, Faucet and Gate Valve)

ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS

TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION

1. Web Based Presentation
2. Electronic Spreadsheet
3. Homepage Development about Livelihood
4. Newsletter for a Livelihood Publication Using Desktop Publishing
5. Electronic Project Proposal

OTHER CONTEST/S

1. Parliamentary Procedure
2. STEP Bazaar (Showcase of Host and All Regional Delegations)
3. Mr. and Ms. STEP
4. STEP Techno Quiz

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SYNCHRONIZED SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

May	:	Regional/Division TLE Supervisors, Head Teachers and Moderators Conference
	:	Dissemination of Relevant STEP Memorandum and Orders
	:	Division Management Committee Meeting
	:	Regional Management Committee Meeting
June	:	Advocacy and Membership Campaigns
	:	Organization of School-Based STEP Organizations
July	:	Capability-Building for TLE
August	:	School-Based Skills Training and Competition
	:	STEP School Awards
September	:	Division Level STEP Skills Training and Competition
	:	STEP Division Awards
October	:	Regional Level STEP Skills Training and Competition
	:	STEP Regional Awards
November 19-24	:	STEP-National Skills Development and Competition (NSDC) <i>(Hosted by the City Government of General Santos and the Division of General Santos City)</i>
	:	STEP National Awards