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Department of Education



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YES FOR PEACE
Bayanihan Para sa Kapayapaan 2011

To : Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau Directors
Directors of Services/Centers and Heads of Units
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) has sustained its commitment and active participation in the **Yes for Peace – Bayanihan Para sa Kapayapaan Campaign** in all public and private elementary and secondary schools nationwide since 1996. Two Million Four Hundred Thirty Nine Thousand One Hundred Four (2,439,104) Filipinos participated from May 15 to September 16, 1997 while another Three Hundred Thirty Four Thousand Eight Hundred Seven (334,807) participated from October 10, 2008 to November 15, 2009 to the continuing peace education and advocacy campaign. To help establish people's support for the ongoing peace process, the DepEd distributed 10,000 copies of DepEd Memorandum No. 428, s. 2010 dated October 1, 2010. More or less Seven Hundred Twenty Thousand (720,000) responses were generated.
2. This campaign aims to encourage at least 10 Million peace-loving Filipinos, 10 years and older to speak as one to provide a democratic people's mandate for the comprehensive peace process particularly the permanent cessation of hostilities between the government and all rebel groups in 2012.
3. To inculcate the *Bayanihan* spirit and ensure that the target Ten (10) Million responses is attained from the Primary Target Audience (18 Million pupils and students from Grade IV to 4th Year), officers of Supreme Pupil Governments (SPGs), Supreme Student Governments (SSGs) in public and private elementary and secondary schools are encouraged to undertake the activities listed in the enclosure under the guidance of *Araling Panlipunan* (AP) and *Edukasyon sa Pagpapahalaga* (EP)/Values Education (VE) teachers and under the supervision of the school principals.
4. The following materials are enclosed for reference: (a) Enclosure No. 1- master copies of **Yes for Peace – Bayanihan Para sa Kapayapaan 2011** Questionnaires; (b) Enclosure No. 2-Homeroom Tabulation; and (c) Enclosure No. 3-School Summary Forms to be reproduced and used in the campaign.
5. Responses shall be mailed with free postage until the last week of January 2012. Results shall be delivered to the Office of the President during the celebration of the 26th Anniversary of the EDSA People Power Revolution. Schools are also encouraged to hold a simultaneous *Panunumpa ng mga Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan* on **February 22, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.** or preferably during recess.

6. The bureau directors (BDs), regional directors (RDs), schools division/city superintendents (SDSs) and district supervisors (DSs) shall oversee the participation of schools under their jurisdiction in the said activity. Participation in the **Yes for Peace 2011 Campaign** shall be included in the *Annual Reports for School Year 2011-2012*.

7. For more information, please contact any of the following:

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8. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC
Secretary

Encls.: As stated

Reference: DepEd Memorandum: No. 428, s. 2010

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

CAMPAIGN

CELEBRATIONS & FESTIVALS

SCHOOLS



Name: _____ Gender: _____ Civil Status: _____
Surname First Name Middle Name

Birthdate: _____ Birthplace: _____ Religion: _____

Home Address: _____
Number Street Subdivision/Barangay Municipality/City Province

School (if student) : _____

Municipality / City: _____ Province: _____

Zip Code: _____ Mobile #: _____ Occupation: _____

E-mail: _____ Facebook: _____ Twitter: _____

(Lagyan po ng ang sagot sa bawat tanong. Tig-isang YES FOR PEACE questionnaire lang po ang kailangang sagutan ng bawat Filipino 10 gulang pataas.)

1. Dapat po bang itigil na ang giyera sa pagitan ng gobyerno at mga rebelde sa 2012? YES NO
2. Dapat po bang isaayos natin sa lalong madaling panahon ang mga nawasak ng mga giyera? YES NO
3. Dapat po bang gamutin na ngayon ang mga sugat puso ng Sambayanan at pagkasunduin na ang mga sangkot sa mga giyerang ipinaglalaman daw nila para sa kapakanan natin? YES NO
4. Dapat po bang palawakin ang hanay ng mga Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan na nag YES FOR PEACE at palakasin ang partisipasyon ng Sambayanang Filipino sa prosesong pangkapayapaan? YES NO
5. Dapat po ba nating baguhin ang mga umiiral na kalakarang panlipunan, pang-ekonomiya at pampulitikal para matigil na ang mga armadong pagtutunggali at kaguluhan sa lipunan? YES NO
6. Dapat po ba nating buuin ang batayan ng pagkakaisa para sa kapayapaan sa pamamagitan ng konsultasyon at partisipasyon ng Sambayanang Filipino? YES NO
7. Dapat po bang magkaroon na pangkalahatang kasunduang pangkapayapaan sa pagitan ng gobyerno at ng lahat ng rebeldeng grupo at epektibong maisakatuparan ang mga ito sa lalong madaling panahon? YES NO
8. Dapat po bang ipagpatuloy ang mga programa para makabalik sa lipunan ang mga rebelde at nang makapamuhay sila nang matiwasay sa kani-kanilang mga komunidad? YES NO
9. Dapat po ba nating protektahan ang mga hindi armado at bawasan ang pinsalang dulot ng mga giyerang para daw sa ating mga komunidad? YES NO
10. Kailangan bang bumuo ng kaayusan tungo sa kapayapaan sa pamamagitan ng pagtuturo at pagtataguyod ng kapayapaan at mga hakbang tungo sa pagtiwala sa pagitan ng gobyerno at mga rebelde? YES NO

SA MGA MAHAL KONG KAPWA BOSS NI PNOY:

Tulad ninyo, naniniwala rin po ako na magiging epektibo ang pagpapatupad ng lahat ng mga programa at proyekto laban sa karahasan at kahirapan kung aktibo ang mga mamamayan sa pagtukoy at pagpapatupad ng mga ito.

Bilang Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan, aktibo ko pong susuportahan ang pagsasakatuparan ng lahat ng mga mapagkakasunduan sa open and participatory peace talks sa pagitan ng gobyerno at mga armadong rebolusyonaryong mga grupo.

_____ (Lagda)

Karagdagang impormasyon:

Ang bilang ng mga nakatira sa tahanan namin ay _____.

Ang ibinabayad namin sa kuryente bawat buwan ay Php _____.

YES FOR PEACE BAYANIHAN PARA SA KAPAYAPAAN 2011



HOMEROOM LEVEL TABULATION OF RESPONSES

GRADE/YEAR: _____ SECTION: _____
SCHOOL: _____
Street: _____ Barangay: _____
Municipality: _____ Province: _____

	YES	NO
1. Dapat po bang itigil na ang giyera sa pagitan ng gobyerno at mga rebelde sa 2012?		
2. Dapat po bang isaayos natin sa lalong madaling panahon ang mga nawasak ng mga giyera?		
3. Dapat po bang gamutin na ngayon ang mga sugat puso ng Sambayanan at pagkasunduin na ang mga sangkot sa mga giyerang ipinaglalaman daw nila para sa kapakanan natin?		
4. Dapat po bang palawakin ang hanay ng mga Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan na nag YES FOR PEACE at palakasin ang partisipasyon ng Sambayanang Filipino sa prosesong pangkapayapaan?		
5. Dapat po ba nating baguhin ang mga umiiral na kalakarang panlipunan, pang-ekonomiya at pampulitikal para matigil na ang mga armadong pagtutunggali at kaguluhan sa lipunan?		
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7. Dapat po bang magkaroon na pangkalahatang kasunduang pangkapayapaan sa pagitan ng gobyerno at ng lahat ng rebeldeng grupo at epektibong maisakatuparan ang mga ito sa lalong madaling panahon?		
8. Dapat po bang ipagpatuloy ang mga programa para makabalik sa lipunan ang mga rebelde at nang makapamuhay sila nang matiwasay sa kani-kanilang mga komunidad?		
9. Dapat po ba nating protektahan ang mga hindi armado at bawasan ang pinsalang dulot ng mga giyerang para daw sa ating mga komunidad?		
10. Kailangan bang bumuo ng kaayusan tungo sa kapayapaan sa pamamagitan ng pagtuturo at pagtataguyod ng kapayapaan at mga hakbang tungo sa pagtitiwala sa pagitan ng gobyerno at mga rebelde?		

This is to certify that the students of Grade/Year _____ Section _____ of this school have solicited _____ responses to the YES for PEACE–Bayanihan Para sa Kapayapaan 2011 from their ranks, their parents, relatives and neighbors.

This certifies further that the above Homeroom Tabulation of Responses is true and correct based on responses submitted and tabulated to the undersigned.

Prepared by:
Homeroom/Section Secretary

Submitted by:
Homeroom President / Section Mayor

Noted by:
Values Education /
Araling Panlipunan Teacher

(Signature over printed name)

(Signature over printed name)

(Signature over printed name)

YES FOR PEACE BAYANIHAN PARA SA KAPAYAPAAN 2011



SCHOOL LEVEL SUMMARY OF RESPONSES

SCHOOL: _____
Street: _____ Barangay: _____
Municipality: _____ Province: _____

	YES	NO
1. Dapat po bang itigil na ang giyera sa pagitan ng gobyerno at mga rebelde sa 2012?		
2. Dapat po bang isaayos natin sa lalong madaling panahon ang mga nawasak ng mga giyera?		
3. Dapat po bang gamutin na ngayon ang mga sugat puso ng Sambayanan at pagkasunduin na ang mga sangkot sa mga giyerang ipinaglalaman daw nila para sa kapakanan natin?		
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This is to certify that the students of this school have solicited _____ responses to the YES for PEACE–Bayanihan Para sa Kapayapaan 2011 from their ranks, their parents, relatives and neighbors.

This certifies further that the above School Summary of Responses is true and correct based on responses submitted and tabulated to the undersigned.

Prepared by:
SSG / SPG Secretary

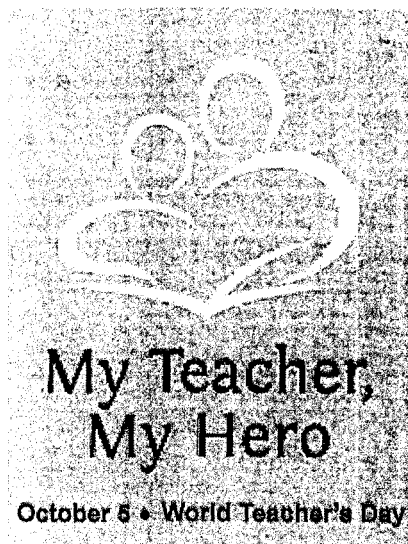
Submitted by:
SSG President / SPG Mayor

Noted by:
Principal

(Signature over printed name)

(Signature over printed name)

(Signature over printed name)



*"God invites to the abode of peace, and guides whomever He wills in a straight path."
- Al-Qur'an 10:25*

*"Blessed are the peacemakers, they shall be called children of God."
- Matthew 5:9*

*"There is deceit in the hearts of those who plot evil, but joy for those who promote peace."
- Proverbs 12:20*

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PHILIPPINES

**THE INTER-AGENCY TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP
YES FOR PEACE – Bayanihan para sa Kapayapaan**

c/o Office of Postmaster General
Philippine Postal Corporation
3rd Floor, Central Post Office
1000 MANILA



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Panawagan para sa mga Kabayani:

Please reproduce for the use of relatives, friends, neighbors and community - 10 years and older. Kindly donate questionnaires directly to public and private elementary and high school of your choice. To avoid duplication, please contact YES FOR PEACE Secretariat at yesforpeace@yahoo.com. Follow us on Twitter: [\[yesforpeace2011\]](https://twitter.com/yesforpeace2011), like us on Facebook: [\[yesforpeace2011\]](https://www.facebook.com/yesforpeace2011) and visit us at www.yesforpeace.info.



Schedule of Activities

I. Pre-implementation Phase

YES FOR PEACE 2011 Volunteer Coordinators (Regional Provincial/City and Municipal) shall:

A. Coordinate with DepED Regional Directors, Provincial/ City Schools Division Superintendents, Municipal District Supervisors to schedule meeting with Principals to set implementation strategy and schedule of implementation. *(note: Volunteers shall preferably be residents of the City or Municipality where the concerned DepED official holds office.)*

B. Request private sector, religious and civil society groups to sponsor the printing of **YES FOR PEACE** questionnaires, **Homeroom Tabulation** and **School Summary** forms.

Notes:

- No. of **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaires needed = Enrollment (Grade IV to 4th Year) x three (3)
- No. of **YES FOR PEACE 2011** Homeroom Tabulation forms needed = No. of Homerooms x seven (7)
- No. of **YES FOR PEACE 2011** School Summary Forms needed = No. of Schools x seven (7)
- There are spaces in the **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaires for messages of coordinators and/or sponsors.
- Sponsors may provide and post as many **YES FOR PEACE 2011** posters and similar campaign materials in allowed public as well as private places (schools, stores, residences, public markets, etc.) and stickers (tricycles, jeepneys, buses, cars, books, notebooks, etc) as they may deem needed to maximize public awareness on the campaign.

Donations in kind shall be preferred. Cash Donations shall be discouraged.

C. Coordinate with the Postmaster of the nearest Post Office to ensure that filled-up campaign materials, e.g., **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaires, Homeroom Tabulation of Responses and School Summary of Responses shall be accepted as Official Business mail.

II. Campaign Proper in Public and Private Elementary and High Schools

- **Day 1** *(From October 2011 to last week of January 2012 -- as may be determined and agreed upon by DepED Schools Division Superintendents with Principals.)*

Values Education and/or Araling Panlipunan teachers shall discuss the urgent need for people's participation in the peace process using the ten (10) questions and guide students (Grade IV to VI and 1st to 4th year) – the Primary Target Audience – in answering / filling-up of one **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaire each during their Values Education and/or Araling Panlipunan period.

Students / pupils shall be assigned to bring home **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaires and get the responses of their parents, out-of-school siblings, housemates, other relatives and neighbors – Secondary Target Audience.

Notes:

o In the worst case that there are no available sponsors, participating schools shall:

- Enjoin pupils / students to copy and answer the **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaire in one whole sheet of intermediate paper.
- Photocopy required number of **YES FOR PEACE 2011 Homeroom Tabulation Forms** (7 pieces per homeroom) and **School Summary Forms** (7 pieces per school).

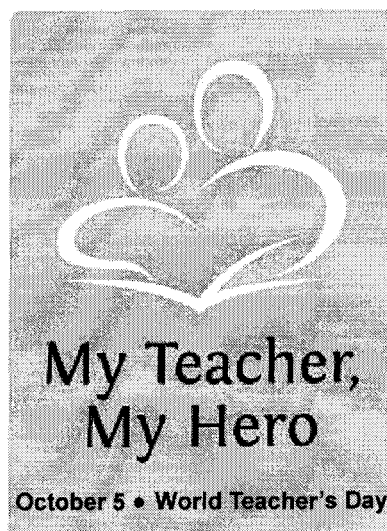
- **Day 2 & 3**

Students shall ask their parents and out-of-school siblings and housemates to each answer a **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaire.

- **Day 4** *(Flag Raising Day)*

The following activities shall be conducted in all public and private elementary and high schools.

- Ten (10) student leaders / officers of Student Governments shall read one



question each before students / pupils who shall answer each question en masse during flag ceremonies.

▪ The Mayor of the Supreme Pupil Government (SPG) / President of the Supreme Student Government (SSG) shall lead the recitation of the “**Panunumpa ng mga Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan.**”

▪ Homeroom officers shall collect responses solicited by classmates from their parents and housemates.

▪ Homeroom officers shall tabulate responses and prepare seven (7) copies of **Homeroom Tabulation Responses** under the supervision of Values Education and/or Araling Panlipunan teachers.

▪ Homeroom officers shall securely pack the filled-up **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaires for mailing and address these as shown:

Sender:	Official Business
_____	NO POSTAGE
_____	NECESSARY
_____	IF MAILED
	IN THE
	PHILIPPINES
THE INTER-AGENCY TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP	=====
YES FOR PEACE – Bayanihan para sa Kapayapaan	=====
c/o Office of Postmaster General	=====
Philippine Postal Corporation	=====
3 rd Floor, Central Post Office	=====
1000 MANILA	

The Homeroom officers shall submit packed responses, together with seven (7) certified **Homeroom Tabulation of Responses** to the Mayor of the SPG / President of the SSG.

▪ Officers of the SPG / SSG shall summarize the results as reflected in the **Homeroom Tabulation of Responses**.

▪ The President and the Secretary of the SPG / SSG shall prepare / certify seven (7) sets of the **School Summary of Responses** with one copy each of all **Homeroom Tabulation of Responses** under the Supervision of the School Principal.

▪ The President and the Secretary of the SPG / SSG shall fold and secure **School Summary of Responses** with **Homeroom Tabulation(s) Responses** for mailing / hand delivery to:

1. Office of the Secretary, Department of Education
2. Inter-Agency Technical Working Group c/o the Postmaster General
3. Schools Division Superintendent
4. Schools District Supervisor
5. School Principal
6. Homeroom Teacher
7. Student Government file

• **Day 5**

Officers of the SPG/SSG shall mail packed responses together with one (1) set of **School Summary of Responses** and **Homeroom Tabulation(s) of Responses** at the nearest Post Office in the presence, where possible, of Local Government Officials.

POSTAGE IS FREE!



• **Day 6**

Postmasters shall dispatch filled-up **YES FOR PEACE 2011** questionnaires TOGETHER with one (1) set of **School Summary of Responses** and **Homeroom Tabulation(s) of Responses** securely in M-Bags as addressed above.

NOTE: The above activities shall be conducted starting **September 2011** until the last week of **January 2012**.

III. Online Gathering of Responses

Online responses (Tertiary Target Audience) shall be generated through various social media networks (Facebook, Twitter, etc.).

An inter-active website – www.yesforpeace.info – shall be established and maintained to provide updates on the campaign.

IV. Data-Processing, Processing and Evaluation of Responses

Results shall be summarized and evaluated as these are received by the **YES FOR PEACE 2011** Inter-Agency Technical Working Group.

V. Delivery of Results

Results at hand shall officially be submitted by the DepED Secretary, the Postmaster General and representatives of partner institutions to H.E. President Benigno S. Aquino III during the celebration of the **26th Anniversary of the EDSA People Power Revolution**.

All armed revolutionary groups shall be kept informed of the progress of the campaign through mass media, including online social networking sites.



YES FOR PEACE BAYANIHAN PARA SA KAPAYAPAAN **2011**

Panunumpa ng mga Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan

Tayo ay mga Filipino na taos-puso ang pagmamahal sa ating Inang Bayan.

Nananalig tayo na ang tunay na kapayapaan ang pundasyon ng sustenableng kaunlaran para sa ating lahat.

Dahil dito, pananatiliin nating mulat ang bawat-isa ukol sa mga Peace Talks tungo sa makatarungan, komprehensibo at matagalang kapayapaan.

Dudulog tayo sa gobyerno at sa mga armadong rebolusyonaryong grupo na igalang at isakatuparan nila ang lahat ng mga pinirmahan nilang mga kasunduan tungo sa hangad nating kapayapaan.

Isusulong at ipagtatanggol natin ang mga karapatang pantao at ang International Humanitarian Law. Kokondenahin natin ang mga paglabag dito ninuman.

Hihikayatin natin ang gobyerno at lahat ng mga armadong rebolusyonaryong grupo na itigil na nila ang mga giyerang isinusulong nila sa ngalan ng Sambayanang Filipino bago matapos ang 2012.

Ipaglalaban natin ang karapatan ng Sambayanang Filipino na malaman ang lahat ng mga pag-uusapan sa mga magaganap na mga Peace Talks at maging aktibong kabahagi ng peace process.

Magkakapit-bisig tayo para palakasin ang partisipasyon ng Sambayanang Filipino sa peace process.

Magba-Bayanihan para sa Kapayapaan tayo para sa epektibong pagpapatupad ng lahat ng mga mapagkakasunduang programa at proyekto sa open and participatory peace talks na gaganapin dito sa ating Bayan.

Tayo ay mga Kabayani para sa Kapayapaan na sumusumpang isasabuhay ang mga ito para sa kapakanan natin at ng susunod pang mga henerasyon.