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**Department of Education**

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**OBSERVANCE OF NOVEMBER AS LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES MONTH**

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

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) will join the nation in the observance of the **Library and Information Services Month** in November, in line with Presidential Proclamation No. 837, s. 1991. In connection with this, November 24 to 30 is designated as National Book Week, in accordance to Presidential Proclamation No. 109 dated November 10, 1936.
2. The celebration aims to raise public awareness to the invaluable service that libraries and information centers render for research and pleasure reading.
3. In view of this, all public schools are encouraged to visit their respective school libraries, library hubs and learning resource centers to conduct reading activities. The locations of Library Hubs and public school libraries nationwide can be determined through the Library Locator Map at DepEd website [www.deped.gov.ph](http://www.deped.gov.ph).
4. The Division Library Hub Project Teams are encouraged to initiate information advocacy campaigns and other relevant library activities to maximize the utilization of reading books, reference materials and other learning resources in the Library Hubs.
5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Secretary

Reference:  
None

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