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FIRST GOLD FOUNDATION ESSAY WRITING CONTEST

The Gregorio Oca Leadership and Development (GOLD) Foundation, Inc. will hold its *First Essay Writing Contest* with the theme *The Seafarer, My Parent* from June 25, 2013 to August 31, 2013.

The Contest aims to:

1. honor the Filipino seafarer as a family-oriented individual;
2. promote the seafaring profession; and
3. strengthen the communications skills of the Filipino youth.

This contest is open to children of the seafarers age 10-12 years old (elementary level), 12-17 years old (secondary level) and 16-23 year old (college level) from both public and private schools, except the officers and employees of the GOLD Foundation and their relatives up to the third degree of consanguinity.

Deadline for submission of entries is on *August 31, 2013* at 5:00 p.m. (Philippine Standard Time).

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the no-disruption-of-classes policy as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

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