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#### DRUG AWARENESS PROGRAM INCLUDING VALUES EDUCATION

The Friendship Builders, in cooperation with the Department of Education-National Employees' Union (DepEd-NEU), will conduct road show activities on the *Drug Awareness Program*, including *Values Education*, to support the anti-drug abuse awareness campaign and in adherence to Republic Act (RA) No. 9165 otherwise known as the *Comprehensive Dangerous Drugs Act of 2002*.

The activities are divided into three phases:

1. Phase 1 (Launching) –

With the theme *New Life Campaign Program for Students*, the road show will be launched nationwide to be participated in by school officials, parents, including community leaders, about the drug menace, its ill effects, its consequences and its danger to the individual and the society as a whole;

2. Phase 2 (Implementation) –

This will cover implementation of the program to include the organization of the School Anti-Drug Abuse Council (SADAC) with primary duties and responsibilities to provide preventive education to youth, including aftercare program; and

3. Phase 3 (Expansion) –

This aims to comprehensively expand the *Preventive Education and Aftercare Recovery Program* to all students including presentation of modules. Adverse effects of drug abuse to one's personality will also be discussed thoroughly.

The target participants are high school students from both public and private schools nationwide.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* 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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