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- 1. Promote acceptance, inclusion, and respect for diversity;
- Emphasize the importance of family relationships and support systems;
- 3. Encourage values such as empathy, self-worth, and resilience; and
- 4. Align with the Department of Education's existing values formation and inclusive education initiatives.

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DepEd encourages the participation of public and private schools. However, DepEd emphasizes that the participation shall be purely voluntary and shall not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of the following DepEd Orders (DO):

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- DO 66, s. 2017 titled Implementing Guidelines on the Conduct of Off-Campus Activities.

In this regard, no penalty and any other adverse consequences will be imposed should any individual opt not to participate or watch the film.

Please be reminded that this activity is subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 4206, as amended, otherwise known as An Act Prohibiting the Collection of Contributions from School Children of Public Primary and Intermediate Schools.

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To: ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS

In view of this activity, this Office reiterates that the participation of public and private schools is voluntary and shall be subjected to the non-disruption-of-class 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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