



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Region VI – Western Visayas  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CAPIZ**

February 15, 2023

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

**NO. 068 S. 2023**

**PROJECT MY PEER AGAINST DRUGS (Project MPAD)**

To: OIC, Office of the Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors  
Curriculum Implementation Division  
School Governance and Operations Division  
Public Schools District Supervisors/OIC of the Districts  
Heads of Public & Private Elementary, Secondary and  
Integrated Schools  
Barkada Kontra Droga (BKD) Officers &  
Teacher-Advisers  
All Others Concerned

1. DepEd Memorandum No. 200, s. 2016 titled: *Strengthening the National Drug Education Program in Schools* aims to strengthen the implementation of the National Drug Education Program (NDEP) through the establishment of Barkada Kontra Droga in schools.
2. Anent this, the Schools Division of Capiz will implement **Project MPAD or Project My Peer Against Drugs**. This aims to empower and encourage student leaders, teachers, PTA and stakeholders to participate in the war against illegal drugs and to create a more conducive and safe learning environment for our learners.
3. Attached is the approved project proposal of Project MPAD, for your guidance.
4. It is understood that in the conduct of this activity there shall be no discrimination on account of age, school, gender, civil status, disability, religion, or other similar factors, and personal circumstances that run counter to the principle of equal opportunity.
5. It is expected that in the conduct of this activity, all involved must adhere to minimum health and safety protocols set by the Inter-Agency Task Force on the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF) and the Department of Health (DOH).



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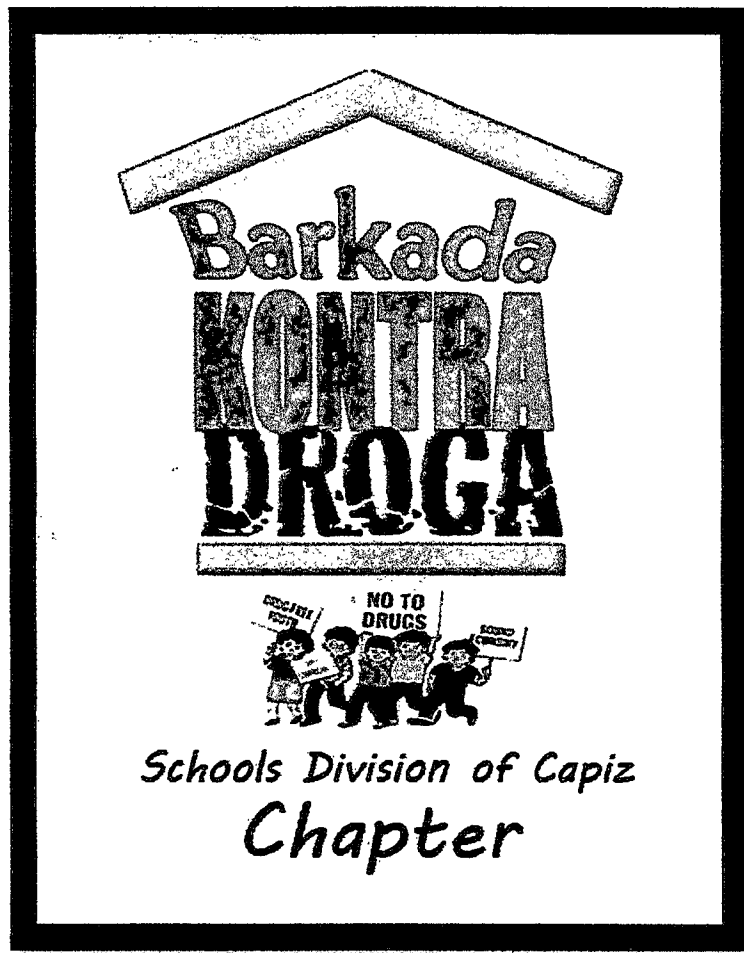
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6. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

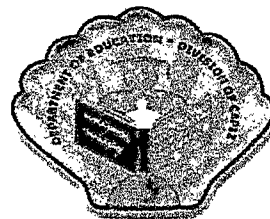
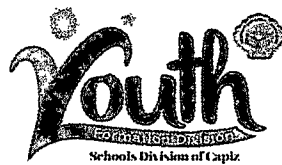
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# **Project My Peer Against Drugs (MPAD)**





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**PROJECT PROPOSAL**

<b>I. Project Title</b>	: Project "MPAD" or Project "My Peer Against Drugs"
<b>II. Proponent</b>	: Jhean Mae Grace Lingco & Yzarda Claudette D. Ballera
<b>III. Duration</b>	: Annually
<b>IV. Fund Requirements</b>	: Php 10,000.00
<b>V. Background</b>	<p>War against drugs is one of the major advocacies of our former president Rodrigo R. Duterte. This advocacy has brought both positive and negative impacts among Filipinos. In every project we cannot avoid the negative feedbacks among beneficiaries, some of our media like Daily News of Inquirer Philippines reported that data from the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency showed that Duterte's "drug war" left 6,215 people dead, but critics and human rights defenders said the figure is higher – possibly around 20,000.</p> <p>Positively, Oplan Tokhang have restored the normal lives of some of the drug surrenderers, some of them made testimonies about the positive impact of the project with them. We can never tell the accurate result of this Project since the statement or opinion may vary if you are pro Duterte or anti Duterte. Duterte's war on drugs is not the first Project that addresses the Drug Abuse concerns here in the Philippines. In the year 2007, the Dangerous Drugs Board issued Board Regulation No. 5, s. 2007 re: <i>Institutionalizing the Barkada Kontra Droga Program</i>. Under Section 3 of the said regulation, the Barkada Kontra Droga is designed as a preventive education and information program to counter the dangers and disastrous effects of drug abuse. It aims to empower the individual to be the catalyst with his/her peer groups in advocating healthy and drug-free lifestyle thru involvement in various wholesome activities. Under Section 6 of the said regulation, it mandates the DepEd and Ched to issue the corresponding memorandum circulars requiring the establishment of Barkada Centers in the secondary and tertiary schools.</p> <p>As response to the mandate, The Department of Education issued, DepEd Memorandum No. 200, s. 2016 re: <i>Strengthening the National Drug Education Program in Schools</i>. On paragraph 3 of the said memorandum states that the regional directors and schools division superintendents are instructed to strengthen the implementation of the NDEP, and one of the activities in strengthening is to established Barkada Kontra Droga Chapters in schools. One of the beauties of Barkada Kontra Droga is that its</p>

context is "barkadahan" which means fellowship. In this year, the Schools Division of Capiz will implement Project "MPAD" or Project "My Peer Against Drugs" this project plans to reactivate the Barkada Kontra Droga Chapters in schools after a several years that the implementation of the program has been cancelled.

**VI. Objective**

Generally, Project M.P.A.D aims to empower and encourage the Student Leaders, PTA Officers, Teachers, and School Heads to participate in war against drugs of the state by leading the symposium, activities and contests prepared for the learners. We believe that the voice of the Youth possesses natural attraction, that once has been heard, you cannot turn your back on.

**VII. Project Description**

The Schools Division of Capiz will implement Project M.P.A.D in the Division and School level.

DIVISION ACTIVITY		
ACTIVITY	DATE	Description
My Peer Against Drugs (MPAD) Poster and Slogan Making Contest in line with the celebration of National Arts Month.	Every Month of February	The Barkada Kontra Drogra Division Federation Officers will facilitate the conduct of Poster and Slogan Making Contest in the Division level.
My Peer Against Drugs (MPAD) World No Tobacco Day	May 31 <sup>st</sup> of the year	The Barkada Kontra Drogra Division Federation Officers will conduct virtual peer session regarding the negative impact of tobacco towards our body. The officers will prepare a pre-recorded video to be posted in the Official Page of Youth Formation DepEd Capiz. The open forum of this session is lead by the officers as well.
International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking	Every June 26 <sup>th</sup> of the Year	The Youth Formation Section in partnership with the Philippine National Police will conduct a Symposium regarding substance/drug abuse.
Song writing and singing contest	Last week of July	The Barkada Kontra Drogra Division Federation Officers will conduct song writing and singing contest as part of the recreational activity for the learners.
Issuance of Division	Every Month	The Division will issue memorandum as regards to

Memorandum regarding the composition of BKD Officers	of Novemb er	the composition of BKD Officers in schools.
<b>SCHOOL ACTIVITY</b>		
<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
My Peer Against Drugs (MPAD) Poster and Slogan Making Contest in line with the celebration of National Arts Month	Every Month of February	The Barkada Kontra Drogra Officers in school will conduct Poster and Slogan Making Contest. The winner of the said contest will compete on the Division Level of the said contest.
Conduct of Symposium on Drugs Abuse and its contribution to the increasing number of crimes committed here in the Philippines, in line with the celebration of National Crime Prevention Week.	Every 1st week of September	The Barkada Kontra Drogra Officers in schools will conduct symposium as regards to Drug Abuse and its relation to the hideous crimes committed here in the Philippines which contributes to the increasing number of crimes committed per day. The officers may tap the Philippine National Police or other organizations that can lead the said topic.
Conduct of my parents my peer session in line with the celebration of Suicide Prevention Day and Family Week	Month of September	The Parents and Teachers Association (PTA) Officers together with the Barkada Kontra Drogra Officers in schools will conduct Two-Day peer sessions addressing the suicide prevention among learners. The peer session is an informal discussion wherein the learners can freely share their feelings, experiences, and most especially the things they cannot discuss at home. The participant of this session can choose freely in whoever they want to share, it can be a parent or a student leader depending on participant's choice.
Barkada Kontra Drogra Election	Every Month	The school Youth Commission on Elections and Appointments (COMEYA)

		of October	will conduct school election on Barkada Kontra Drogra.	
	My Peer Against Drugs (MPAD) Sport Fest	Every Decemb er of the year	The Barkada Kontra Droga Officers of the Schools will conduct Sport Fest in school as part of the recreational activity for the learners as our way of preventing them engaging with dangerous drugs.	
<b>VIII. Budgetary Requirements</b>	The total budget of Ten thousand pesos ( <b>Php 10,000.00</b> ) is allocated for the implementation of the following:			
	QUAN TITY	UNIT	PRICE	TOTAL
Special Paper	15	Pax	Php 80.00	Php 1,200.00
Certificate Holder	15	Pcs	Php 60.00	Php 900.00
Trophies	11	Pcs	Php 500.00	Php 5,500.00
Medals	10	Pcs	Php 100.00	Php 1,000.00
Tarpaulin (5x8)	1	Pc	Php 1,000.00	Php 1,000.00
Photo Paper	5	Pax	Php 80.00	Php 400.00
Total Proposed Budget				<b>Php 10,000.00</b>
<b>IX. Recommendation</b>	Recommending for the approval of our project proposal and possible intervention that will contribute to the success of the implementation.			

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 Schools Division Superintendent

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