



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VI – WESTERN VISAYAS  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF AKLAN

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**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 264, s. 2020

**GULAYAN SA TAHANAN CHALLENGE**

To: Public Schools District Supervisors  
Heads, Public Elementary, Secondary and Integrated Schools  
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memo No. 95, s. 2018 “Sustaining the Implementation of the Gulayan sa Paaralan Program in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools Nationwide,” the Schools Governance and Operations Division – Youth Formation Section initiates the **Gulayan sa Tahanan Challenge**.
2. The activity aims to achieve the following objectives:
  - a. promote and enhance vegetable production in the home;
  - b. promote economic productivity, improved health and nutrition and wholesome environment;
  - c. increase knowledge, skill and appreciation among the learners on the importance of home/backyard gardening;
  - d. showcase small-scale food production models to promote family food security;
  - e. educate parents on how to improve the nutritional status of their children;  
and
  - f. transfer the pupil’s learning from school to home.
3. The Challenge is open to all public elementary, secondary, and integrated schools of DepEd – SDO Aklan. The Guidelines to this activity is found in the enclosure.

4. It is understood that in the conduct of this activity, as stated in the DO No. 66, s. 2017 (Implementing Guidelines on the conduct of Off-Campus Activities), all must observe the following:
  - a. ensure relevance and alignment with educational competencies of the K to 12 curriculum and Leadership Development Learners;
  - b. uphold child protection principles and that no learners shall be disadvantaged in any form; and
  - c. observe the safety and security protocols for all the participants before, during and after the activity.
5. Expenses incurred for the garden tools and vegetable seedlings of this activity shall be charged/sourced from Special Education Fund, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: as stated  
Reference: Regional Memorandum no. 160, s. 2020  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

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### **GULAYAN SA TAHANAN CHALLENGE**

1. All public schools both in elementary and secondary are invited to join the *Gulayan sa Tahanan* Challenge. Each school may only submit one entry. For Integrated Schools, there may be two entries, one in secondary and one in elementary.
2. The participant<sup>s</sup> to this activity are learners and shall be done at their respective home/backyard. There shall only be one learner for each entry (two or more learners in one video is allowed as long as they are siblings and are representing the same school).
3. The vlog (video blog) shall be in mp4 format with a minimum duration of three (3) minutes and maximum of five (5) minutes.
4. The video must be informative, instructional, and/or entertaining and must not contain any malicious and offensive content.
5. This is not a contest and on voluntary basis only. All participants who meet the given guidelines shall be entitled to five to eight packs of vegetable seeds and a shovel.
6. In celebration of National Day for Youth in Climate Action and Philippine Environment Month, all entries shall be submitted on or before November 25, 2020 via email: [aklanonyouthformation@gmail.com](mailto:aklanonyouthformation@gmail.com).

*Note:* This is a continuing project. It is advised that the participants continue to record the development of their *Gulayan sa Tahanan* for upcoming contest.