



SACEDA YOUTH LEAD
Empowering Leaders, Strengthening Communities

December 8, 2017

DIR. RAMON FIEL G. ABCEDE
Regional Director
DepEd Region 5

Attn: Elisa S. Suarez
EPS, CLMD

Dear Dir. Abcede:

Empowering and navigating the youth of today's world demand the ability to know various shifting objectives. Across the Philippines and the world, teachers and the youth face common challenges that require a wide range of advanced skills. The ability to make a difference is not solely confine at the classroom teaching but also needs collaboration with diverse experts and to form non-traditional alliances is essential. With the challenges in mass media, technology and internet, the youth of the today need greater accountability and transparency, they must adopt new analytical tools and techniques to gain a competitive edge.

To prepare the students and teachers to address these challenges, Saceda Youth Lead would like to offer its **International Programs 2018** which will give them the opportunity to build advanced skills in interpersonal communication, leadership, cross cultural and academic exchange. Our program hopes to open doors to your students and teachers for benchmarking.

We hope that this event will forge personal relationships that enable lifelong professional opportunities and friendships thereby promoting peace and mutual understanding for the development of the self, family, community, and the nation-the most valuable legacy of Saceda Youth Lead experience.

Hoping that we can have participants from your region.

Looking forward for your most favorable response. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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Strategic Planning and Development

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Department of Education
Region V

January 11, 2018

To: Schools Division Superintendents:

For information and guidance.

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Regional Director



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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
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SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES
Virac, Catanduanes



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January 15, 2018

TO: Elementary and Secondary School Heads

For information and guidance.

SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

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SIPA JAPAN PROGRAM

In partnership with the DFA ASPAC

April 25 (W)	Departure for Tokyo, Japan/ Arrival at Sakura Hotel Nipponi	
April 26 (TH)	STUDENT	TEACHER
0900-1100	Museum of Nature and Science in Ueno Exclusively for students, this institutional visit will give them a better opportunity to understand nature and Science. Situated in Ueno, Tokyo	INSTITUTIONAL VISIT: DIET OF JAPAN The National Diet (国会Kokkai) is Japan's bicameral legislature. It is composed of a lower house called the House of Representatives, and an upper house, called the House of Councillors. Both houses of the Diet are directly elected under parallel voting systems. In addition to passing laws, the Diet is formally responsible for selecting the Prime Minister. The Diet was first convened as the Imperial Diet in 1889 as a result of adopting the Meiji Constitution. The Diet took its current form in 1947 upon the adoption of the post-war constitution and is considered by the Constitution to be the highest organ of state power. The National Diet Building is located in Nagatachō, Chiyoda, Tokyo.
1300-1430	Ikebukuro Elementary School Visit As a partner institution of SYL, the school visit will allow our student participants how every elementary student is being empowered and taught at the school, they will observe classes, lunch time and how values are integrated into the educational system	<u>Kindergarten School Visit</u> This visitation aims to engage teacher participants on how kids are taught at the kindergarten school; they will interact with teachers and discuss about the challenges in early childhood education in Japan
1600-1800	Ikebukuro Life Safety Center This safety facility will inspire our student participants on disaster preparedness especially on earthquakes and tsunamis	Shibuya Station to visit Hachiko Drop Off Point of the Teacher Participants; Shibuya is a hub and the home of the famous United Nations University
April 27 (F)		
0900-1100	Robotics Engineering (TBA) University Visit: International Christian University (TBA) Waseda University (TBA)	<u>Hospital Visit in Ikebukuro</u> This visit is important to understand the issues on health to the ageing population in Japan; how are they coping with it and what are their interventions
1300-1430	Toyota Public Showroom (TBA)	<u>Life Safety Center</u> This safety facility will inspire our student participants on disaster preparedness especially on earthquakes and tsunamis
1600-1800	United Nations University / Shibuya	Courtesy Call; Philippine Embassy in Tokyo
April 28	MT FUJI EXPERIENCE (Grapes Picking @ 500 yen each on pax account), 5 th Station Mt. Fuji, Hakone)	
APRIL 29	FREE TIME	
APRIL 30	Departure for Manila	

Others: Odaiba/ Washi Making Origami Kalkan, Advertising Museum Tokyo, Watch sumo wrestling practice (asakeiko), Metropolitan Government Building

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SYL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Application Form

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NAME			
Address			
Date of Birth		Age:	
Passport Number		Date of Issue:	Date of Expiry:
Passport Place of Issue			
Contacts			
Email/ FB			
Dietary Restrictions			
Religion		Blood Type:	
In Case of Emergency Name of Contact			
Contact Numbers			

CODE OF CONDUCT

I hereby certify that my participation to the SYL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM IN ASIA is voluntary. I understand that the following are prohibited: the use of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs, discriminatory comments, violence and sexual misconduct. I understand that I, being a participant, am responsible for my conduct at all times and I must comply with the safety regulations, environmental protection, policies and behavior set forth by SYL and the host country. I understand that any violation of the above will be ground for expulsion without refund of the registration fee I paid. I further understand that the leadership exchange activities are exciting, character building and fun, however, I also understand that it will be strenuous, physically and emotionally challenging. I will cooperate with other members and the staff without complaints and murmur, and I will do my best to maintain a positive attitude. I agree to abide with the above and I am enthusiastic in participating in the program.

In consideration of the right to attend and participate, the participant hereby:

1. That my participation to the program is final and voluntary.
2. That I will pay Ten Thousand (P10,00.00) pesos upon signing up. This fee is intended for initial application and this fee is non-refundable.
3. That I will pay the remaining amount a month before the scheduled travel.
4. That in the event I will withdraw from the program for personal and other reasons, the ten thousand cannot be refunded.
5. Authorize SYL or any of its agents to provide, obtain, or authorize any reasonable incidental and emergency medical treatment for the participants in the event of illness, injury or incapacity and hereby accepts all responsibilities.
6. Acknowledges that there is an element of risk involve in any activity like travel outside owns home and community; certifies that the participant is physically, mentally and emotionally capable of attending and participating in the activities; assumes all risks of financial responsibility for any loss or injury to the participant that may occur as a result of participant's negligence or misconduct and indemnifies and holds SYL harmless from against any and all cost of the suit and actual attorney's fees in court and suffered by SYL as a result of or arising out of the participant's negligence and misconduct.
7. This consent and acknowledgement of risk shall not be amended, supplemented, or abrogate without the written consent of SYL and that the participant and his/her parents have read this consent form and understood its contents.
8. The participant (and if the participant is a minor), his or her parents or guardians has read this form and understands its contents.

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT: _____ Date: _____

If participant is a minor, signature of his/her parents or legal guardian is required.

Name of Parent	Signature
Contact Number	Email

Please send this form with your passport biopage at sacedatravels@gmail.com

SYL 2018 INTENRATIONAL PROGRAMS

PROGRAM	DATES	REGISTRATION	REMARKS
SIPA Beijing	Feb 25-March 2	P35,000	With Visa Application Process With Emphasis on Chinese Foreign Policy, Leadership and Diplomacy, Culture and Heritage
<i>The greatness of Imperial China can be manifested in a lot of ways- from politics, culture, heritage, and values system. This 6 day program is designed to study about the Big Red China; how it has maintained its competence as a nation and as one people. The program will get into diplomacy and delegates will interact with leaders from the academe, government and the private sectors.</i>			
Award Travel for Inspiring Teachers of the Philippines	April 9-12	P15,000 MIT P25,000 Non MIT	With Emphasis on Education and Balance
<i>This program is exclusive for MIT of SYL. This 4 day intensive program aims to understand what is Balance and how to achieve it. Brunei is a balanced state and its religion and education play a major role on the lives of people.</i>			
SIPA Japan	April 25-30	P40,000	With Visa Application Process With Emphasis on Japanese Values and Culture, Education and Diplomacy
<i>The program in Japan is coordinated with the DFA Asia Pacific Division and in partnership with the Ministry of Education, International Christian University and the LGU Ikebukuro City. The Japan program will explore on Japanese Values System and its educational system. The program will visit kindergarten, elementary and high school and universities in Tokyo Area. It will also assess the importance of history and culture in Japan's greater economic development.</i>			
SIPA Israel	April 28-May 5	P80,000	Personal Journey Within Forgiveness, Reconciliation and Healing
<i>The inaugural program in Israel is coordinated with the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. In this travel, we walk how Jesus Christ walked and led his life in Jerusalem; this episode is a personal journey within with the hope of achieving surrender of one's life to Christ. Our program is about re-awakening and re-fulfilling of a mission in our lives as Christians; it is about forgiveness and reconciliation.</i>			
SIPA SG/KL SIPA BKK/CAM	May 10-14	P35,000	With Emphasis on Leadership, Culture and History
<i>How Singapore made it? This is the key question of this program every delegate will have to know after the end of the program. It takes you to the contributions of a visionary leader Lee Kuan Yew to his little city called Singapore known to be a highly industrialized country in the world today, 2nd safest and least corrupt country in the world. We look at its education, empowerment of youth, institutions, culture and geography.</i>			
<p>All interested participants must have a passport. All minor participants must seek a DSWD Clearance to Travel Abroad; Participants to our programs with visa requirements must obtain the necessary documents needed by the Embassy for visas to be approved.</p>			

The Japan Program aims to expose participants on values formation integrated into the educational system in Japan. This intensive program exposes participants to leadership, diplomacy, education, culture and heritage.

Registration fee is P40,000 (Forty Thousand Pesos) covers International Airfare, hostel accommodation (3 pax in 1 room Tatami), daily breakfast, allowance for train rides and one day Mt. Fuji Program.

Documents Needed: Passport/ Visa Needed to Enter Japan
Please submit the following for visa procedures:

TEACHER PARTICIPANTS	STUDENT PARTICIPANTS
Passport Signed Application Forms (please download at embassy's website in sets of 3, 1 set is duly filled out and 2 sets for SYL Team to fill out with signatures) Prescribed pictures Letter of Employment Bank Certificates (Minimum Dep of P100,000)	Passport Signed Application Forms (please download at embassy's website in sets of 3, 1 set is duly filled out and 2 sets for SYL Team to fill out with signatures) Prescribed pictures Certificate of Enrollment Bank Cert of parents (Minimum Dep of P100K) DSWD Clearance

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PAYMENTS

All payments to the SYL International Program in Asia (SIPA 2018) will be made directly to the following:

Bank of the Philippine Islands
Account Name: Saceda Youth Lead Consulting/ DBA Dave Saceda
Account Numbers: 1086 1635 89 (Savings)
1085 2423 57 (Checking)

Development Bank of the Philippines
Account Name: Saceda Youth Lead Consulting/ DBA Dave Saceda
Account Number: 005 285 067 404

We require an initial deposit of P10,000 for all our programs especially for Japan and Beijing because we need to process visas.

Please fill out an application form. Thank you!

CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondence, please send them to:

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SYL Center PurokLikodBrgy. Candauay
6200 Dumaguete City, Philippines
Contact: +63 915 633 9546/ Ms. Liane Aventurado (Focal Person) +63 997 330 2509 (Globe)

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