



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR
City of Naga



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2015-036

**CREATING AND IMPLEMENTING THE "PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER ON FOOT"
(PTF) PROGRAM IN THE CITY OF NAGA:**

Whereas, the City Government of Naga deems it imperative to enhance the city's programs particularly in education for children. One such innovation is the multi-awarded Naga City Early Education and Development (NEED) Program, more popularly known as Educare, a Montessori-approach type of learning adopted in all day-care centers in the City of Naga with the primary goal of providing equal opportunity for an excellent, quality basic education to Nagueño children regardless of social status;

Whereas, since its inception up to the present, Educare, with the full support of LGU NAGA, has been very consistent and successful in meeting the standards for a conducive learning environment for its pupils;

Whereas, however, the city government also recognizes the need to give equal learning opportunities to children of pre-school age (3-4 years old) who live in hardly accessible communities, by providing them with an alternative learning opportunity that best suits their peculiar situations and needs;

Whereas, every Nagueño child is an asset and treasure of the city, and being so, the city government has the primary obligation to provide an inclusive and universal quality pre-school education even outside the 4 corners of the Educare classroom in order to bring learning opportunity closer to the remote homes of pre-school children;

Whereas, in a few far flung areas in the city, where building an Educare center is either impracticable or not feasible due to some legal impediments, there is a need to bring the teacher to these remote places so that little children of tender age (3-4 years old) will be afforded the opportunity to grow the Educare way;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN G. BONGAT, Mayor of the City of Naga, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

Section 1. In order to further expand the reach of the Educare system, the Local Government of Naga shall pilot the **PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER ON FOOT** program initially to be implemented in Zone 6, Barangay Panicuason, Austria Village, Barangay Carolina, Sitio Pasto, Barangay Cararayan and Zone 1, Barangay San Isidro, and later on to be replicated in similar areas, as need arises. The **PRE-SCHOOL TEACHER ON FOOT (PTF)** program shall promote a reasonable arrangement for basic formative education thru deployment of highly trained and dedicated teachers who can easily immerse and completely involve themselves in communities and hold classes in makeshift structures or in any



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appropriate area or private property until such time that the local government finds a suitable location to build permanent structures in or near such communities.

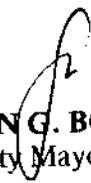
Section 2. The Educare Division Head of the CSWDO, under authority of Executive Order No. 2015-030 (September 14, 2015), shall identify areas in the City where services and deployment of "Pre-school Teachers on Foot" are needed, even in areas that may not necessarily be remote but experience high rate/incidence of pre-school non-participation or drop-out. They shall receive a monthly honorarium of Php 3,500.00 from the City Government, with additional hazard pay of Php 500.00 per month, or a total amount of Php 4,000.00, save for the Educare Teacher assigned at Austria Village, who shall retain the present honorarium received from the city. The PTF shall be entitled to a counterpart honorarium from the barangay equal to the honorarium received by the regular Educare teacher.

Section 3. The Educare Division Head of the CSWDO, in collaboration with the Naga City School Board, shall recommend to the City Mayor, within ten (10) days from effectivity of this Executive Order, the additional Educare Teacher/s who shall serve as Educare Teacher/s on Foot to afford 3-to 4-year old children in remote areas equal access/opportunity to pre-school education.

Section 4. Funding for this program may be charged against the budget allotted for Educare or against the Special Education Fund, subject to existing Commission on Audit (COA) rules and regulations.

Section 5. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Issued this 24th day of November 2015 in Naga City, Philippines.


JOHN G. BONGAT
City Mayor

Attested by:


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Department Head II and City Administrator