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**91<sup>st</sup> NATIONAL BOOK WEEK 2025**

With reference to Advisory No 170 s. 2025 re: 91<sup>st</sup> National Book Week 2025, the Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI) is inviting all elementary and secondary school learners to the 91<sup>st</sup> National Book Week (NBW) 2025 with the theme "*Tulay ang Pagbasa sa Bukas na Puno ng Pag-asa (Reading is the Bridge to a Future Full of Hope)*", on November 23-26, 2025.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.



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The National Book Week is a long-standing initiative for over nine decades, promoting literacy, cultural identity, and love for reading. As it enters another year, NBW continues to provide platforms for literary exploration, critical thinking, and community dialogue.

The NBW 2025 aims to

- promote reading as a tool for personal growth, empathy, and civic engagement;
- provide platforms for creative and reflective literary expression;
- encourage youth participation in building a hopeful, knowledge-based future;
- build awareness of the role of reading in national healing and unity; and
- strengthen partnerships between schools, libraries, and communities in promoting literacy.

As part of this year's celebration, schools are invited to participate in the following lineup of contests and simultaneous activities:

- Digital Poster Making Contest
- Book Trailer Video Contest
- Magbasa para Magtagumpay Advocacy Video
- Local Witty Lines
- Book Face
- Book Tok

Participation of public and private schools shall be purely voluntary and will not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order (DO) No. 012, s. 2025 titled Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities and DO 9, s. 2005, titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith and the policy on off-campus activities stated in DO 66, s. 2017.

This is also subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 also known as An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law), issued in DO 19, s. 2008, and reiterated in DepEd Memorandum No. 041, s. 2024.

For more information, please contact the Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. through their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/nationalbookweek>.