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In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013
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3rd TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL CONGRESS AND NATIONAL SKILLS OLYMPICS

The National Association of Public Secondary Schools of the Philippines (NAPSSPHIL) Inc. will hold the 3rd Technical-Vocational Congress and National Skills Olympics at the World Trade Center, Pasay City, on August 20–22, 2026.

With the theme, Empowering Filipino Youth through Technical-Vocational Excellence and Skills Innovation, the Congress aims to showcase technical proficiency, exchange best practices, and strengthen linkages that promote employability and workforce readiness. It will also serve as a venue for professional discussions, skills demonstrations, and competitions that highlight the importance of Technical-Vocational-Livelihood (TVL) education in achieving national development goals.

TVL coordinators, school heads, teachers, learners, and industry partners nationwide are invited to take part in this event.

Participation of learners and teachers from 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.

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