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UP AGUMAN'S SINING 2026

The University of the Philippines (UP) Aguman, a socio-civic, non-profit, service-oriented organization of Kapampangan students based at UP Diliman in Quezon City, will conduct its annual arts and talents competition, Sining, on the following dates at the specified venues:

Dates	Venues
March 7, 2026	Brightwoods School, Angeles City (Day 1)
March 14, 2026	SM City Clark, Angeles City (Day 2)

With the theme, *Dásé: Pámanábal ning Makabayang Ténákan king Kalalangang Kapampágan*, the 42nd iteration of Sining is a culmination of the Kapampangan youth's excellence, brilliance, and promise, conveyed through the arts.

The competition consists of various categories across the fields of literature and visual arts, including spoken word poetry, solo dancing, songwriting, *komiks* making, creative photography, short film making, essay writing, and digital poster making.

High school learners from various schools in Pampanga are invited to participate in this event, which is geared toward cultivating cultural and artistic talents while promoting Kapampangan heritage.

Other details about the event can be found on UP Aguman's Facebook page.

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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