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PEACE SHORT FILM 2026 ENTRIES

The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs and External Partnerships, encourages schools and field offices to utilize the Powering, Empathy, Acceptance, and Connection Everyday (PEACE) Short Films developed by the DepEd Negros Island Region.

Aligned with the Department's efforts to promote peace education, values formation, and a culture of peace among learners, the films may be integrated into relevant learning activities, classroom discussions, guidance and counseling programs, and school-based initiatives that support peacebuilding, conflict-sensitive education, anti-bullying advocacy, learner well-being, and the promotion of safe and motivating learning environments, subject to the discretion of school heads and teachers.

The short films, along with their themes and brief descriptions, are listed below. Click each film title to watch the video.

Title	Theme
Biboy, Bat ka Galit? In a space where bullying is part of everyday life, a quiet student learns to survive by staying silent.	Impact of bullying
Ang Lima ka Tayho (Ang Limang Tikbalang) Five students are called to the guidance office for misbehavior, from pranks to tardiness. Under Ms. Reyes' strict authority, tensions rise, but their stories soon reveal deeper struggles.	Impact of bullying
The Weight of Silence Marco is a high-achieving student who navigates his school as a ghost, hiding the "white-knuckled" reality of extreme poverty and systemic bullying. While his teachers praise his top scores, Marco carries a crushing internal void, struggling against hunger and the predatory taunts of his classmates.	Importance of support system
Paghilom KR, feared by many, sows violence in the classroom. The school's promise of peace becomes meaningless and begins to resemble her home. One night, forgetting to cook reminds her that the vicious girl is actually being hurt at home.	Factors of bullying
Ranir Miguel, a shy 7th grader who helps his mother run a small school canteen, quietly carries a burden no one fully understands—he cannot read. In class, he struggles through simple words while his classmates laugh, leaving him embarrassed and withdrawn.	Importance of a support system; Multiple intelligences
Lapis In a quiet classroom, a pencil passes from hand to hand; light, ordinary, easily ignored. Yet within its silent journey, something unseen begins to surface.	Importance of a safe school
Himakas (Perseverance) A young person who survives a severe storm and flooding. In the midst of drowning, the voice of their mother becomes the saving force that helps them hold on to life.	Importance of having grit and a growth mindset

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