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16th MITSUBISHI ASIAN CHILDREN'S ENIKKI FESTA 2024–2025

The National Coordinating Body of Clubs for United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) in the Philippines Inc. (NCBCUP) will conduct the start of the 16th Mitsubishi Asian Children's Enikki Festa 2024–2025 in the Philippines from July 1 to October 31, 2024.

The Enikki Festa is designed to provide an opportunity for children worldwide to understand and appreciate Asian people's daily lives through illustrated diaries with the theme, My life that I want to share with anyone in Asia.

The Mitsubishi Public Affairs Committee, Asian Pacific Federation of UNESCO Clubs and Associations, and National Federation of UNESCO Associations in Japan are organizing this event with the goal of promoting literacy so that all people in the world can read and write. This is in line with UNESCO's initiative to further encourage cultural understanding and respect among children in Asia.

The schedule of activities is as follows:

Date	Activity	Details/Venue
July 1–	Entry Period	Submission of Entries to:
October 31, 2024	-	Ms. Geraldine Remo
		St. Bridget School
		1047 Aurora Blvd., Quezon
		City
November 2024	National Screening	Philippines
May 2025	International Screening	Japan
July-August	The International	Osaka, Japan
(tentative), 2025	Awarding Ceremony and a	
	cultural exchange program	

The target participants are learners aged 6 to 12 years old from public and private schools.

For detailed mechanics and entry forms, visit https://www.unescoclubsph.org/programs/competitions/16th-mitsubishi-asian-childrens-enikki-festa.

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. 003, s. 2024 titled Amendment to DepEd Order No. 022, s. 2023 (Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities for the School Year 2023–2024) 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.

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