**TOPIC:** Evaluation and promotion of local and oral history, museum, shrines, cultural performance, indigenous practices, religious rites, and rituals etc.

**Objective:**

* Manifest interest in local History and show concern in promoting and preserving the countries Historical and cultural heritage.
* Investigate and document a piece of local history or heritage (e.g., a historical site, tradition, folk story, cultural artifact, or event).
* Raise awareness of the importance of preserving historical and cultural heritage.
* Encourage community engagement and historical appreciation.

**Instructions:**

1. **Choose a Topic:**

Select a local historical site, cultural tradition, folk story, or person of historical significance in your town/barangay/province.

1. **Data Gathering:**

Interview local elders, community leaders, or cultural workers.

Take photos, videos, or sketches (with permission).

Collect stories, legends, or historical information.

1. **Each will produce one of the following:**
   * A short documentary/promotional video (3–5 minutes) (Must be done by group, max. of 5 members)
   * A creative illustrated storybook ((Must be done by group, max. of 5 members)
   * A photo essay with captions (Individual)
   * A digital or printed brochure or infographics promoting the site or tradition (Individual)
2. **Content:**

It should include the following.

* **Brief Introduction:** What is it and why is it important?
* **Historical Background:** When and how did it begin?
* **Cultural Significance:** Why does it matter to the community?
* **Fun Facts or Legends (optional):** Include interesting trivia or stories.
* **Call to Action:** Encourage readers to visit, support, or preserve the heritage.

**Design Guidelines for brochure/infographics:**

* Use a **brochure format** (tri-fold or bi-fold) or **infographic layout** (poster style).
* Include **images or illustrations** (drawn or printed).
* Use **short, clear texts** and **bulleted points** when possible.
* Highlight important parts using **bold fonts**, **headings**, or **icons**.
* Maintain a **neat and balanced layout** — don’t overcrowd your space.
* Use **colors and fonts** that match the theme of your topic.

**Guidelines for Photo essay:**

* Choose a Theme or Topic
* Capture Meaningful Photos
* Write Informative Captions
* Organize Your Essay- Arrange the photos in a logical, engaging sequence together with the captions.

**Documentary/ Promotional Video**

Create a short, engaging video (3–5 minutes) that promotes awareness and pride in local and oral history.

Define the Message and Audience

* What do you want your audience to learn or feel? (e.g., pride, curiosity, urgency to preserve history)

Write a Script or Outline

* Include narration or dialogue.
* Structure:
  + Introduction (What is local/oral history?)
  + Body (Stories, interviews, sites, practices)
  + Conclusion (Call to action, importance)

Collect Content

* Record videos of cultural activities, old landmarks, interviews with elders, or community events.

Edit and Enhance

* Use video-editing software (e.g., CapCut, iMovie, Canva Video, Filmora).
* Add titles, subtitles, transitions, and your logo or group name.

**CREATIVE STORYBOOK**

**Objective**: Create an illustrated storybook (digital or printed) inspired by real local stories or oral traditions, aimed at educating and engaging young readers.

Instructions:

1. Collect Stories
   * Interview elders or research local legends, folktales, or historical events.
   * Choose one story or combine elements into a single creative narrative.
2. Write the Story
   * Keep the language age-appropriate (if targeting children).
   * Use story elements: setting, characters, conflict, resolution.
   * Add historical or cultural context naturally in the plot.
3. Create Illustrations
   * Draw your own or use digital tools (Canva, Procreate, MS Paint).
   * You can also use real photos stylized to look like illustrations.
4. Design the Pages
   * Include a title page, 6–10 story pages with text and images, and a final reflection or moral of the story.
   * Use apps like Book Creator, Canva, or PowerPoint for layout.
5. Add Educational Value
   * Include a glossary of local terms or a "Did You Know?" section about the real history behind the story.
6. Print a copy