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### November 22, 2023 FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### **GDOE Schools and Central Office Closed Day After Thanksgiving**

Tiyan, Guam - In accordance with Executive Order No. 2023-14 issued by Governor Lou Leon Guerrero, the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) informs the public that all public schools and the central office will not operate on Black Friday, November 24th, 2023. This is a non-working holiday for all GDOE employees and students. The GDOE appreciates the public's understanding and cooperation in this matter.

Following the Thanksgiving break, all GDOE schools and the central office will resume regular hours on Monday, November 27th, 2023. We look forward to welcoming back our students and staff after the holiday. Please continue to follow the health and safety guidelines to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Thank you for your cooperation and support.

Superintendent Swanson, on behalf of the GDOE staff and management, expresses his gratitude to the island community for their support. "This Thanksgiving Day, I hope you all feel the love in your heart. I am so grateful for the opportunity to work with such amazing people every day. They inspire me with their dedication and passion for our mission," he said.

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In accordance with **Executive Order No 2023-14** 

# GDOE Schools and Central Office will be

CLOSED on Friday, November 24, 2023

Regular hours of operations will **resume** on **Monday, November 27, 2023** 

