TEACHERS ARE INDEED HEROES

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The main duty of a teacher is to ensure that they can teach their students the knowledge they will need. Yet, in the system of teaching they encounter, talking in front of the class is not the only job they do. They are also mandated to do a task that is needed to aid the government. Some of these tasks are mass immunization activities, feeding programs, population census-taking, anti-illegal drug efforts, janitorial services, paper works, and elections. Also, these teachers also have families that they have to take care of which make it more stressful for teachers to do their jobs (Tomacruz, 2018). These are some of the challenges they face back in the day as modern heroes. Unfortunately, now in the time of crisis, another problem is inevitably approaching.

In today's time where the Coronavirus disease or mainly known COVID-19 creates chaos, teachers are definitely going to need to add another thing to their tasks. One is to transition from traditional teaching to online teaching. Also, they also have to give and create modules needed for home learning. These are other challenges they must add to some of the challenges they already face. Teachers indeed need a little bit of understanding.

On a conducted study by the Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS), the quality of education was shown to be disturbed by the workload given to teachers. Sad to think that this happened back when social distancing was still not prohibited. Now some articles and topics on social media tend to tackle how teachers seem to also have a hard time today.
Hopefully, the government as well as the whole nation will join hands together to fight this inevitable crisis in order to restore the things we once did in our lives. The good thing about teachers is that they didn't give up and are ready to fight even in times of pandemic.

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