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## PSA IFUGAO STARTS STEP 2 REGISTRATION OF 1-4 YEARS OLD INTO PHILSYS



By Information Officer I Christine Mae Cariño

In adherence to Republic Act 11055, the Philippine Identification System Act of 2018, the Philippine Statistics Authority Provincial Statistical Office-PSA Ifugao announces the commencement of PhilSys registration for children aged 1-4 years, effective February 15, 2024.

Parents or guardians accompanying the child must be registered under PhilSys with a PhilSys Card Number (PCN) to facilitate data linkage.

Requirements for registration include the PSA/LCR Birth Certificate and the presence of the guardian with their PhilID/ePhilID card.

PhilSys registration teams are stationed in various locations to raise awareness and guide interested parties. Guidelines for registration include:

- Eligibility for children aged 1 to 4 years.
- Accompaniment by a registered parent or guardian.
- Submission of supporting documents containing full name, date and place of birth, and names of parents.
- Collection of demographic information and a front-facing photograph of the child.
- Authentication by scanning the biometric details of the accompanying parent or guardian.
- Renewal at age five to update demographic and complete biometric information.
- Accompaniment by a guardian if the parent is absent, with proof of relationship required.

Upon registration, an ePhilID can be generated for various transactions, including opening a bank account and passport applications.

As of March 31, 2024, 321 registrations have been recorded in Ifugao for children aged 1 to 4. Additionally, PSA-Ifugao has registered 148,109 individuals for Step 2 registration since its inception in 2021, with 83,402 PhilIDs delivered by PHLPost as of September 30, 2023, and 75,133 printed ePhilIDs delivered.



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## PSA-IFUGAO PARTICIPATES AS JUDGE IN KULPI AD LAGawe 2024 MERCHANTS PARADE

by Statistical Analyst Randell Jay Buyawe

Lagawe, Ifugao – The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) – Ifugao announces its participation in this year’s Kulpi Ad Lagawe celebration. The Local Government Unit (LGU) of Lagawe extended an invitation to PSA-Ifugao to serve as one of the judges for the 2024 Merchants Parade, one of the main highlights of this year’s festivities. Representing PSA-Ifugao, Statistical Specialist II, Eric B. Aplosen, joined a distinguished panel of judges appointed by the organizing committee. The panel was tasked with the responsibility of evaluating the creative and vibrant floats that adorned the streets of Lagawe during the parade.



The PSA-Ifugao is honored to be part of this significant cultural event, showcasing the rich heritage and community spirit of Lagawe. We look forward to contributing to the success of Kulpi Ad Lagawe and fostering stronger community ties through our involvement.

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### Peeled-off ang photo sa National ID? Request na ng replacement!





APRIL 2024 PRICE INDICES IN IFUGAO

By Information Officer I Christine Mae Cariño

In Ifugao, the inflation in Ifugao increased to 7.2 percent in April 2024 from 6.8 percent in March 2024. In addition, April 2024 inflation was higher by 3.5 percentage points from 3.7 percent in April 2023 and 0.4 percentage points higher from 6.8 percent in March 2024.

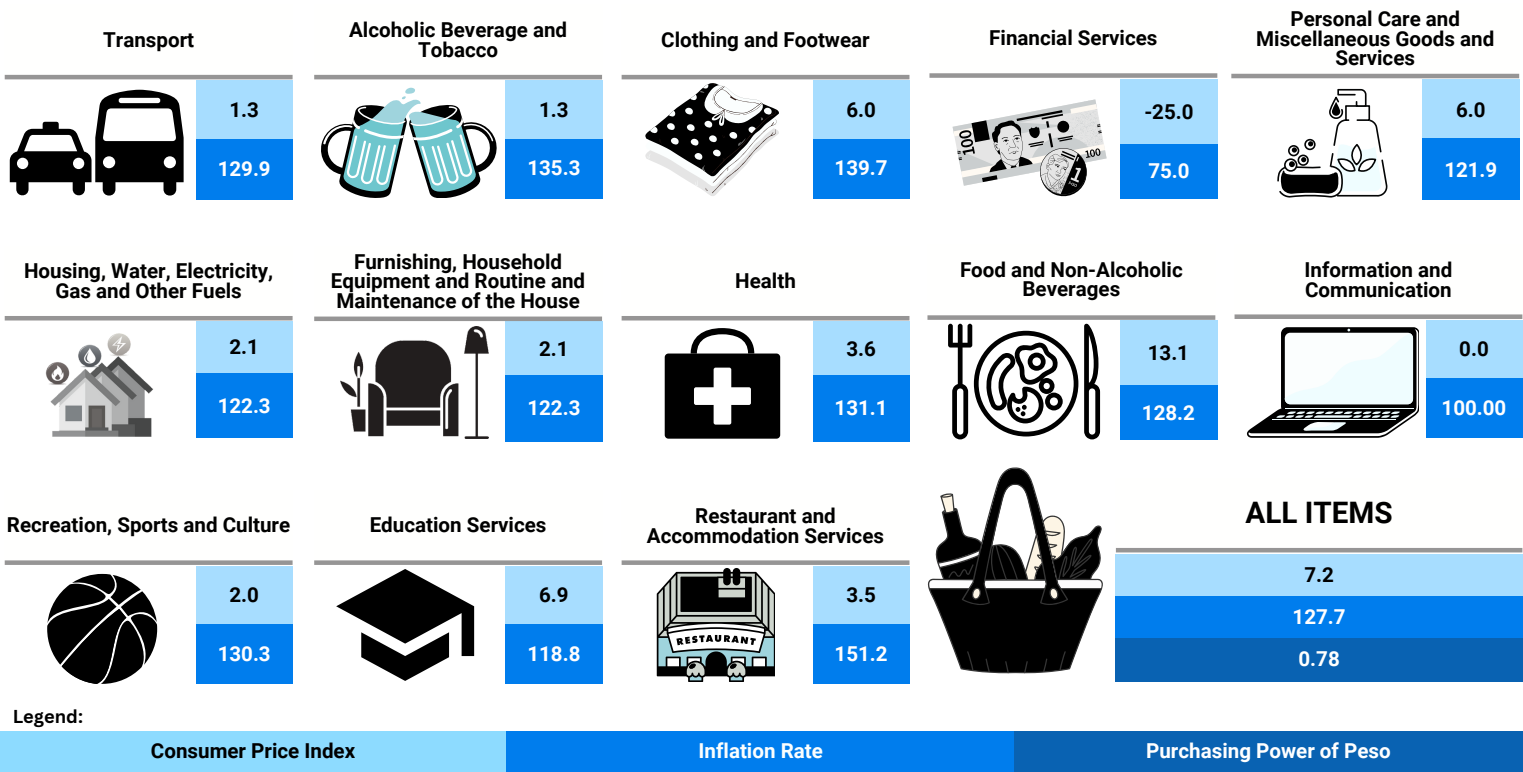
The Survey of Retail Prices of Commodities, conducted by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), has produced a Consumer Price Index (CPI) of 127.7 in Ifugao as of April 2024, with 2018 serving as the base year. This figure indicates that the overall cost of a typical basket of goods and services commonly purchased by a Filipino household in various municipalities of Ifugao remained stable during the reference month.

All commodity groups either maintained their Consumer Price Index or experienced a decrease, except for Restaurants and Accommodation Services, Clothing and Footwear, Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco, Health, and Recreation, Sport, and Culture.

The Purchasing Power of the Peso (PPP) is intricately tied to the Inflation Rate, albeit in an inverse manner. As the Inflation Rate rises, the PPP declines. To illustrate, consider 1 peso in 2018: in April 2024, its value dwindles to 78 centavos, marking a decrease of 6 centavos from April 2023 when it stood at 84 centavos. Similarly, a hundred pesos from 2018 would translate to just 78 pesos by April 2024.

This consistent drop in the purchasing power of peso underscores the profound impact of inflation on consumers. With the diminishing purchasing power of the peso, maintaining the usual standard of living and managing expenses becomes increasingly challenging.

A decline in the purchasing power of the peso implies that each peso can procure fewer goods and services than before.



The **PSA Serbilis** website ([www.psaserbilis.com.ph](http://www.psaserbilis.com.ph)) is PSA's online facility for submitting requests for copy issuance of civil registry records (birth, marriage and death certificates) and issuance of certification of no marriage record (CENOMAR).



**OpenSTAT** is an open data platform powered by PC-Axis, a user-friendly application for presenting statistical data and metadata coupled with API and visualization features. This system allows the PSA to share data under an open data license where data can be freely used, re-used, and redistributed by anyone without any restrictions other than proper source attribution.

<https://openstat.psa.gov.ph/>





## PSA-IFUGAO PARTICIPATES IN KULPI AD LAGawe CIVIC PARADE

By Administrative Aide IV Lorille Jean Talin

Lagawe, Ifugao – The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) – Ifugao participated in the Civic Parade as part of this year's Kulpi Ad Lagawe celebration. The event, themed "Fostering Social Cohesion by Celebrating Culture while Adapting to Modernity," highlights the importance of cultural preservation and adaptation in today's evolving society.

PSA-Ifugao personnel joined the vibrant parade, showcasing their support for the community and commitment to promoting cultural heritage. The Civic Parade, a key event in the Kulpi Ad Lagawe festivities, featured a diverse array of participants who embodied the spirit of unity and progress.



The **PhilSys Check** is developed for PhilSys relying parties and the public to authenticate a PhilID and ePhilID holder's identification easier and faster.

Through this site, visitors can verify information contained in the QR code found at the back of a PhilID card

<https://verify.philsys.gov.ph/>



If you need a copy of a PSA birth, marriage, or death certificate or a CENOMAR, you can easily order for it online at [PSAHelpline.ph](https://psahelpline.ph) and have the document delivered to you. You also have the option to visit a PSA outlet and personally request for it over the counter. This works best for individuals who are requesting the civil registry documents of relatives and friends as online ordering is available only when you are requesting PSA certificates for yourself, your children, or your parents.

<https://appointment.psa.gov.ph/>