Belmonte seeks more chairs for QC schools

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Quezon City Mayorelect Joy Belmonte yesterday asked the administration of outgoing Mayor Herbert Bautista to provide additional chairs for the city's public schools.

Belmonte made the appeal after she received a report from the Division of City Schools that several classrooms for senior high school buildings have no chairs. The vice mayor urged Bautista to provide the needs of the students before the school opening on Monday.

"I asked Mayor Bautista to give priority to school children para walang maging problema sa pasukan," Belmonte said.

She said the classrooms and school buildings for senior high school students were recently inaugurated.

It was learned that the school buildings built during the administration of Bautista were turned over to the city's public school administrators.

"Although we can request for monoblock chairs from the Department of Education, it is better if the city government would do something about it," Belmonte said.

QC Public School District supervisor Junlever Zipangan said the classrooms for senior high school students have no chairs and other facilities.

Zipangan said the 152 public elementary and high schools in the city are ready for the opening of classes on Monday.

Belmonte distributed bags and school supplies to students in the city's six districts.