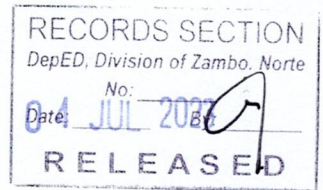




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FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSIONS RELATIVE TO THE LITERACY COORDINATING COUNCIL'S RESEARCH STUDY ON LITERACY

TO: Leynie Boy G. Bellino – EPS, Inclusive Education Supervisor
Romelyn S. Zapanta – ALS Teacher

1. Relative to Regional Memorandum No. 283, series of 2023 titled **Focus Group Discussions Relative to the Literacy Coordinating Council's Research Study on Literacy** dated June 20, 2023, the above-named personnel are hereby advised to attend the said activity on July 12-14, 2023 at Pagadian City.
2. The outcome of the Focus Group Discussions (FGDs) will be used for the following, viz;
 - a. benchmark for adult literacy competencies that can be used as reference for policy recommendation
 - b. revision of the measure of literacy in the country
 - c. develop interventions for curriculum and national and local literacy programs
3. Only AM snacks, lunch and PM snacks shall be shouldered by the Literacy Coordinating Council (LCC) while traveling and incidental expenses of the participants shall be charged against the division local funds subject to the usual accounting rules and regulations.
4. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired for proper information of all concerned.

ROY C. TUBALLA EMD, JD, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

Encl: As stated
Reference: Regional Memo No. 283, s. 2023

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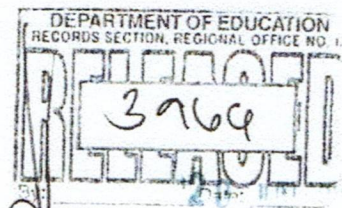


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To: **Schools Division Superintendents**

- Dapitan City
- Pagadian City
- Zamboanga del Norte
- Zamboanga Sibugay
- Zamboanga del Sur
- This Region

FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSIONS RELATIVE TO THE LITERACY COORDINATING COUNCIL'S RESEARCH STUDY ON LITERACY

1. The Literacy Coordinating Council (LCC) through the Philippine Normal University (PNU) will conduct a **Focus Group Discussions (FGDs)** relative to the **Research Study on the Development of Benchmarks for Adult Literacy Competencies**. Region IX is scheduled on **July 12-14, 2023** with SDO Pagadian City as the host. (Specific venue will be announced in a separate issuance.)
2. The outcome of the study will be the benchmark for adult literacy competencies that can be used as reference for policy recommendation on redefining the country's literacy goals, revising the measure of literacy in the country, and developing interventions for curriculum and national and local literacy programs.
3. The FGD will be participated by following identified persons within 16 - 80 years old age bracket.

NAME	POSITION	OFFICE/SDO
1. Dr. Eugenio B. Penales	Chief, CLMD	Regional Office
2. Ramel P. Cael	Regional ALS Focal	Regional Office
3. Dr. Jeanelyn A. Aleman	SDS	Zambo. sur
4. Dr. Ma. Diossa Z. Peralta	CID Chief	Pagadian City
5. Dr. Evelyn F. Importante	CID Chief	Zambo. Sibugay
6. Dr. Leynie G. Bellino	ALS Focal	Zambo. Norte
7. Dr. Lito P. Bahian	ALS Focal	Zambo. Sur
8. Dr. Perga A. Cadiente	ALS Focal	Dapitan City
9. Dr. Osias B. Andus	EPSA	Zambo. Sur
10. Dr. Rosemarie T. Rubia	EPSA	Dipolog City
11. Mr. Ramil Gabin	EPSA	Zambo. Sibugay
12. Mr. Bryan Caprecho	ALS Teacher	Pagadian City
13. Mr. Ian Ceasar Vasquez	ALS Teacher	Zambo. Sur
14. Ms. Romelyn Zapanta	ALS Teacher	Zambo. Norte
15.-19. Formal School Teachers to be identified by SDO	JHS-Public	Zambo. Sur
20.-23. Formal School Teachers to be identified by SDO	JHS-Private	Pagadian City
24.-27. Formal SHS Learners to be identified by SDO	SHS Learners-Public	Zambo. Sur



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28.-32. Formal SHS Learners to be identified by SDO	SHS Learners-Private	Pagadian City
33.-36. ALS SHS Learners to be identified by SDO	ALS SHS Learners-Public	Pagadian City
37.-39. ALS JHS Learners to be identified by SDO	ALS JHS Learners-Public	Zambo. Sur
40.-42. Parents of SHS Learners to be identified by SDO	Parent of SHS Learners-Public	Zambo. Sur
43.-45. Parents of SHS Learners to be identified by SDO	Parents of SHS Learners-Private	Pagadian City
46.-50. Other Professionals within the community such as but are not limited to Engineers, Doctors, etc. (To be identified by SDO)		Zambo. Sur
51.-55. Other Professionals within the community such as but are not limited to Engineers, Doctors, etc. (To be identified by SDO)		Pagadian City
56. City Councilor Chairperson on Education		Pagadian City
57. City Literacy Program Coordinator		Pagadian City
58. Municipal Mayor/Vice Mayor		Zambo. Sur
59. Municipal Literacy Program Coordinator		Zambo. Sur
60. Municipal Councilor, Chairperson on Education		Zambo. Sur

4. Meals to be served during the FGD are **AM snacks, lunch and PM snacks** on July 13, 2023 while transportation expenses of the identified participants shall be charged to Local Funds/School MOOE and LGU Funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. For information and clarification, please contact the Chief of CLMD Dr. Eugenio B. Penales or the Regional ALS Focal Person Ramel P. Cael, at mobile number 09187278912 or at email address: ramel.cael@deped.gov.ph.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

For the Regional Director:

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