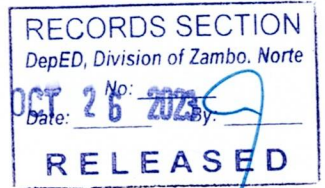




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
Division Memorandum

No. 482 s. 2023

To: Public Schools Districts Supervisors
Public Elementary School Principals and School Heads
District Kindergarten Coordinators
All Others Concerned

DIVISION KINDERGARTEN FESTIVAL of TALENTS 2023

1. In consonance to the mandate of RA 10661, titled "An Act Declaring the Month of November of Every Year as the National Children's Month" and in compliance to the Regional Memorandum 533, s. 2023, re: Division Kindergarten Festival of Talents 2023, the Schools Division of Zamboanga del Norte through the Curriculum and Teaching announces the conduct of **Division Kindergarten Festival of Talents 2023** on November 29, 2023, at the 4th floor of the SDO new building.
2. The activity aims to:
 - a. showcase children's potential and special skills thus strengthening their self-esteem and confidence;
 - b. ensure that every child's physical, emotional, social, and intellectual aspects is developed; and
 - c. foster collaboration and unity between and among kindergarten learners, teachers and parents/guardians.
3. The following categories suggested below may be used during the competition, over and above, the other related categories that districts may add.
 - a. Recitation
 - b. Draw and Tell
 - c. Vocal Solo
 - d. Creative Folk Dance
4. Enclosed herewith are the timeline (Enclosure 1) and the mechanics and criteria (Enclosure 2) for the above-mentioned competition categories.
5. Travel expenses incurred by the participants/coaches/District Kindergarten Coordinators relative to the conduct of this activity at the District, Cluster, and Division Levels shall be charged against SCHOOL MOOE while **snacks and lunch of the same at the division level competition shall be charged against Division HRTD Continuing Funds** subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

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Enclosure 1 to Division Memorandum No. 482, s. 2023

**Kindergarten Festival of Talents 2023
Timeline of Activities**

November 10, 2023 – School Level Competition c/o School Head

November 17, 2023 – District Level Competition c/o Public Schools District Supervisor and District Kindergarten Coordinator District

November 24, 2023 – Cluster Level Competition c/o Cluster Chairperson

November 29, 2023 – Division Level Competition c/o Kindergarten Education Program Supervisor



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Enclosure 2 to Division Memorandum No. 482, s. 2023

**Kindergarten Festival of Talents 2023
 Contest Mechanics and Criteria**

Theme: “Batang Atimado, sa Talento og Kahibalo Garantisado.”

General Mechanics:

- Only the champion of every identified contest category is qualified to join the next higher-level competition.
- For the Cluster Level Competition, Cluster Chairpersons shall take the lead in the conduct of the activity.
- All contestants are encouraged to wear any appropriate attire.
- The performance will be judged by a panel of 5 or 3 judges consisting of School Heads or PSDSs of the non-participating schools or districts.
- The Judging shall be based on the given criteria.
- The winners are decided by the top highest scores awarded by the judges based on the Judging Criteria. Each team’s final score is calculated by averaging all three or five judges’ scores for that team.
- Winners will be awarded with Certificate of Recognition and medals from 1st to the 3rd and Certificate of Participation for the remaining 4th to 6th winners.
- In the event of a tie, judges will decide the winners based upon scores to item #1 in the Judging Criteria. Should a tie remain, the scores to items #2 and #3 will be used to determine the winners.
- The decision of the judges is final and irrevocable.

a. Recitation

- Mother Tongue
- 5 stanzas with 4 lines per stanza
- 1 contestant (officially enrolled in kindergarten)
- 1 coach

Criteria	Percentage
Draw	
Stage Presence and Delivery	30%
Poise and Spontaneity of Recitation	20%
Intonation, Poetic Expression and a Clear insight into the Poets Intention	30%
Clarity of Spoken Words and Diction	20%
Total	100%

b. Draw and Tell

- Delivery for the “Tell” shall be in Mother Tongue in not more than 5 minutes.
- 1 contestant (officially enrolled in kindergarten)



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- 1 coach
- Materials shall be provided by the school (for the district and cluster levels, but for the division level, the office shall provide).
- Participants are not allowed to bring photos for reference of their entries.
- The subject of the drawing shall be based on the theme.
- Participants shall use pencil and crayons of 10"x8" illustration board.
- Participants shall be given 2 hours to finish their artworks/outputs.

Criteria	Percentage
Draw	
Relevance to the theme	15%
Visual organization	15%
Color harmony	20%
Workmanship	20%
Tell	
Delivery (Fluency, expression, confidence)	30%
Total	100%

c. Vocal Solo

- 1 song per contestant (English or Filipino) with accompaniment
- 1 coach

Criteria	Percentage
Musicality (rhythm, balance, tonality, and harmony)	35%
Interpretation (expression, dynamics, phrasing)	25%
Vocal quality	30%
Showmanship (stage presence)	10%
Total	100%

d. Creative Folk Dance

- Minimum of 3 pair or 6 performers and maximum of pairs or 12 performers
- 2 coaches

Criteria	Percentage
Choreography (Variety, Difficulty, Visual Effect)	20%
Projection (Enthusiasm Conveyed, Facial Expressions, Eye Contact)	20%
Execution of Movement (Spacing, Formation, Transitions and Flow)	20%
Technical Skills (Precision, Uniformity and Timing, Rhythm)	20%
Total	100%

Nothing follows...



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