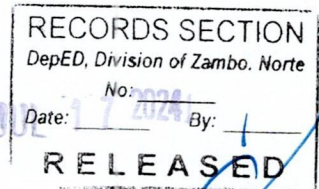




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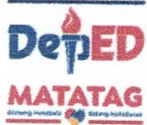
To: Public Schools District Supervisors
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SAMPLE BLOCKS OF TIME FOR KINDERGARTEN

1. In compliance to DepEd Order No. 5, series 2024 and the Kindergarten MATATAG Curriculum, the Schools Division of Zamboanga del Norte through the Curriculum Implementation Division is hereby releasing a sample **Kindergarten Blocks of Time for the 2024-2025 school year**. This is to provide kindergarten teachers with a standardize and structured class schedule to ensure alignment.
2. The sample shown in Annex A has been modified from the version provided by the central office to accommodate learners who live farther away, while maintaining the same number of minutes per time block. Annex B provides a detailed description of each time allotment for the teachers to be guided.
3. For inquiries and concerns, kindly reach out Dr. Grace T. Dela Cruz through call or text at 09177068623 or email at grace.delacruz0034@deped.gov.ph.
4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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KINDERGARTEN BLOCKS OF TIME
 School Year 2024-2025

Morning Session

Time	Number of Minutes	Blocks of Time
6:45 - 7:00	15	Flag Ceremony
7:00 - 7:15	15	Instructional Preparation
7:15 - 7:45	30	Arrival Time/Free Play
7:45 - 8:00	15	Meeting Time
8:00 - 8:45	45	Circle Time 1
8:45 - 9:00	15	Supervised Recess
9:00 - 9:10	10	Quiet/Nap Time
9:10 - 9:40	40	Circle Time 2
9:40 - 10:15	35	Indoor/Outdoor Play
10:15 - 10:35	20	Wrap-Up Time
10:35 - 10:40	5	Dismissal Time
10:40 - 11:30	15	After Care

Afternoon Session

Time	Number of Minutes	Blocks of Time
12:45 - 1:00	15	Instructional Preparation
1:00 - 1:10	10	Arrival Time/Free Play
1:10 - 1:25	15	Meeting Time
1:25 - 2:10	45	Circle Time 1
2:10 - 2:25	15	Supervised Recess
2:25 - 2:35	10	Quiet/Nap Time
2:35 - 3:15	40	Circle Time 2
3:15 - 3:50	35	Indoor/Outdoor Play
3:50 - 4:10	20	Wrap-Up Time
4:10 - 4:15	5	Dismissal Time
4:15 - 4:30	15	After Care

Notes: Figures in **bold** are the actual classroom teaching with a total of 180 minutes or 3 hours per session.

Instructional preparation is a teaching-related task included within the two hours beyond the teacher's actual teaching time and is therefore **NOT** counted toward **Vacation Service Credits (VSC)**.

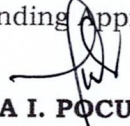
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Sources: MATATAG Curriculum for Kindergarten and DepEd Order No. 5, s. 2024



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Time		Blocks of Time	Description	Suggested Time Allotment for Class/Session <i>No of Minutes</i>
Morning Session	Afternoon Session	Arrival Time/Free Play	Arrival of the learners in the classroom, playing with educational toys, manipulatives etc.	
7:45 - 8:00	1:10 - 1:25	Meeting Time	Checking of attendance days of the week, checking of the weather	15
8:00 - 8:45	1:25 - 2:10	Circle Time 1	Story read-aloud/picture reading, valuing, and processing (springboard to Circle Time 1 activities)	45
			Engaging activities relevant to the springboard with integration (activities related to Language, Literacy and Communication, Mathematics, Physical and Natural Science, Music and Movement, and Arts and Crafts) of the contents of interrelated themes.	
8:45 - 9:00	2:10 - 2:25	Supervised Recess	Integrate hands-on activities to develop desirable table manner/etiquette, values of being independent, disciplined, and being conscious about healthy and nutritious food, etc.	15
9:00 - 9:10	2:25 - 2:35	Quiet/Nap Time	Engage in mindfulness and relaxing activities	10
9:10 - 9:40	2:35 - 3:15	Circle Time 2	Engaging activities relevant to the springboard with integration (activities related to Language, Literacy and Communication, Mathematics, Physical and Natural Science, Music and Movement, and Arts and Crafts) of the contents of interrelated themes.	40
9:40 - 10:15	3:15 - 3:50	Indoor/Outdoor Play	Activities such as art, music, science, language, math, etc. can be explored inside or outside the classroom. This includes locomotor and non-locomotor movements.	35
10:15 - 10:35	3:50 - 4:10	Wrap-Up Time	Recall the activity of the day through a simple story, poem or saying, etc. and/or process learning insights or moral lessons from the activities on how to apply the learning at home.	20
		Dismissed Time	Packing away, goodbye, going home etc.	
Total Number of Minutes				180 minutes
Total Number in Hours				3 hours