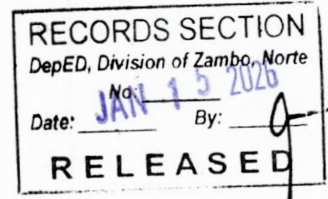




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

REGION IX
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

January 13, 2026

Division Memorandum
No. 28, s. 2026

**SUPREME ELEMENTARY LEARNER GOVERNMENT (SELG) AND SUPREME
SECONDARY LEARNER GOVERNMENT (SSLG) ELECTIONS FOR S.Y. 2026-2027**

TO: Chiefs of CID and SGOD
Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

- Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 12, s. 2025 entitled "Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities" and DepEd Memorandum (DM-OUOPS) 2025-10-07908 from the Office of the Undersecretary for Governance and Operations: "Learner Government Elections For School Year (S.Y.) 2026-2027", this Division announces the conduct of the Supreme Elementary Learner Government (SELG) and Supreme Secondary Learner Government (SSLG) Elections for School Year 2026-2027.
- The establishment of Supreme Elementary Learner Government (SELG) and Supreme Secondary Learner Government (SSLG) in all elementary and secondary schools is pivotal in fostering leadership skills and empowering learners to actively participate in school governance.
- Aligned with the preparation for incoming School Year 2026-2027, the SELG and SSLG elections shall be conducted in the last quarter of the concurrent school year, following the indicative schedules outlined below:

Dates	Activity
January 26-30; February 2-13, 2026	School-based Election
February 16-27, 2026	District Federation Election
March 2-6, 2026	Division Federation Election
March 9-27, 2026	Regional Federation Election
<i>To be announced in separate memorandum</i>	National Federation Election

The respective schools are advised to fill out the schedule of their School-based Election through the link: depedzn.net/link/LGElectionSY20262027sched.

- Schools shall refer to previously issued guidelines provided in the following issuances as basis of the election procedures and processes:





Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

REGION IX
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE

- DepEd Order 47 s. 2014 “Constitution and By-Laws of the Supreme Pupil Government (SPG) and Supreme Student Government (SSG)”
- Interim Guidelines of the Learner Government Program (LGP) for School Year 2023-2024 (OUOPS Memo No. 2023-03)
- Learner Government Elections for School Year (S.Y.) 2025-2026 (DM OUPS-2025-11-00442)

Schools may access the following guidelines including the forms/templates in <https://tinyurl.com/LGP2026-2027>.

5. Division Youth Formation Coordinators with assistance of the school-based PDOs shall provide technical assistance during the conduct of these activities.
6. Implementing schools are required to adhere to the prescribed guidelines but are encouraged to revise or enhance them through a formal resolution, to align with school’s specific context and needs.
7. Schools are required to submit election report to the division office through the google form link: <https://tinyurl.com/LGER2026-2027>.
8. For questions and clarification, you may contact the Division Learner Formation Coordinators at 09171422344 /09776164767/ 09053666074 or through email at yfs.zdn@deped.gov.ph.
9. Widest dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.

MAJARANI M. JACINTO EdD, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

SGOD-LFS/jlp/SELG_SLG Election
001/ 01142026





Republika ng Pilipinas
Department of Education

OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR GOVERNANCE AND OPERATIONS

MEMORANDUM

DM-OUOPS-2025-0-07908

FOR : **Regional Directors**
Minister, Basic, Higher and Technical Education, BARMM
Regional Youth Formation Coordinators
School Division Superintendents
Division Youth Formation Coordinators
All Others Concerned

FROM : **MALCOLM S. GARMA**
Undersecretary for Governance and Operations

SUBJECT : **LEARNER GOVERNMENT (LG) ELECTIONS**
FOR SCHOOL YEAR (S.Y.) 2026-2027

DATE : December 22, 2025

Pursuant to **Department of Education Order No. 12, s. 2025**, titled “*Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities*,” the Department recognizes the Learner Government Program (LGP) as the foremost co-curricular learner-led organization authorized to implement pertinent programs, projects, and activities in all schools nationwide.

The establishment of the Supreme Elementary Learner Government (SELG) and Supreme Secondary Learner Government (SSLG) in all elementary and secondary schools nationwide is pivotal in fostering leadership skills and empowering learners to actively participate in school governance. This provides an opportunity for learners to assume leadership roles but also highlight the significance of learner-led clubs and organizations in promoting a vibrant school culture.

Anchored on the mission to amplify learners’ voices in decision-making and to ensure their perspectives inform educational policies, the Bureau of Learner Support Services (BLSS), through the Youth Formation Division (YFD), remains committed to supporting learners in developing leadership skills that contribute to their holistic growth and development.

In this regard, the BLSS–YFD respectfully reiterate the conduct of the **SELG and SSLG elections for School Year (S.Y.) 2026-2027**, as supported by the following provisions in the same DepEd Order stated above:

- The school-based elections for the SELG and SSLG shall take place immediately after the 3rd Quarter Examination, with a two-week period allocated for preparation, campaigning, and voting.

- Following these elections, another two weeks shall be designated for planning and conducting the District, Division, and Regional Federation elections.
- The schedule and guidelines for the National Federation of Supreme Secondary Learner Government (NFSSLG) elections shall be announced in a separate issuance.
- After the SELG and SSLG elections, the school's Commission on Elections and Appointments (COMECA) shall oversee the elections of other recognized clubs and organizations.

For appropriate guidance, the SELG and SSLG elections may be conducted following the indicative schedule as outlined below:

Activity	Suggested Dates
School-Based Elections	January 26-30; February 2-13, 2026
District-Division Elections	February 16-27; March 2-6, 2026
Regional Federation Elections	March 9-27, 2026
National Federation Elections	<i>To be announced in a separate memorandum</i>

To ensure optimal engagement of all learners, all Regional Directors (RDs), Schools Division Superintendents (SDSs), and School Heads, through their respective Youth Formation Coordinators (YFCs) and SELG/SSLG Advisers, are requested to provide technical assistance during the conduct of these activities.

Furthermore, pending the approval of the revised Constitution and By-Laws of the Learner Government Program (LGP), schools are advised to refer to the previously issued guidelines which may be accessed via: <https://tinyurl.com/LGP2026-2027>.

Implementing schools are required to adhere to the prescribed guidelines but are encouraged to revise or enhance them through a formal resolution, to align with the school's specific context and needs.

For questions and/or concerns, your staff may contact the BLSS-YFD through email at blss.yfd@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination and appropriate action of this Memorandum is desired.

[BLSS-YFD/MGM]