



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

September 1, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

No. **000423** S. 2021

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Divisions of Baybay City, Biliran, E. Samar,
Leyte, Samar, and So. Leyte
All Others Concerned

**ONLINE ASTRONOMY SEMINAR FOR SCIENCE TEACHERS BY THE PHILIPPINE
ATMOSPHERIC, GEOPHYSICAL, AND ASTRONOMICAL
SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (PAGASA)**

1. In reference to the attached letter from the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical, and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA), dated August 18, 2021, this Office hereby requires the official regional participants to attend the Online Astronomy Seminar for Science Teachers on October 4, 6, and 8, 2021 from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. via Google Meet.

2. The participants are as follows:

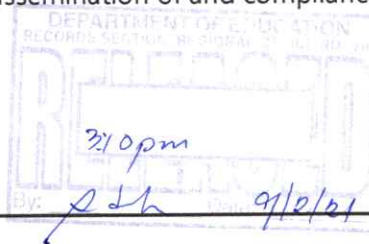
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Patric T. Atun	Southern Leyte

3. The participants are advised to register online at https://bit.ly/AstroPH_WSW2021 not later than September 21, 2021.

4. For more information, refer to the attachment or contact Ryan R. Tiu, EPS – Science, at ryan.tiu@deped.gov.ph.

5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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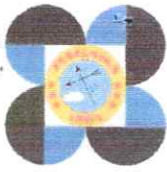
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Dr. MA. GEMMA M. LEDESMA
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Date and Time Received: 8/27/21 8:15
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Dear Dr. Ledesma:

In line with the annual celebration of World Space Week with the theme "Women in Space", the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) will be conducting a seminar entitled "**Online Astronomy Seminar for Science Teachers**" on October 4 (Monday), 6 (Wednesday) and 8 (Friday), 2021 from 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM via Google Meet. The seminar will be comprised of lecture series and hands-on session and only a maximum of 100 participants will be accommodated.

In this regard, we are cordially inviting you and your colleagues to participate in this seminar. You may nominate up to six (6) faculty members and kindly send the list of the participant's name to astronomyph.pagasa@gmail.com until September 10, 2021 (Friday). Each of the nominated participants must register thru this Google Form link: https://bit.ly/AstroPH_WSW2021 not later than September 21, 2021 (Friday).

The list of the astronomy topics to be covered and the program is attached in this letter for your reference. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

VICENTE B. MALANO, Ph. D.
Administrator

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Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services

Administration (PAGASA)

October 4, 2021 (Monday)

**ACTIVITY: Online Astronomy Seminar for Science Teachers
Lecture Series Day 1**

01:30 PM – 01:40 PM	Welcome Address Dr. Vicente B. Malano Administrator
	Opening Remarks Dr. Esperanza O. Cayanan Deputy Administrator, R & D
01:40 PM – 02:25 PM	Lecture 1 Ms. Ma. Angela Lourdes B. Lequiron Topic: Frequently used terminologies in astronomy
02:25 PM – 02:30 PM	Break
02:30 PM – 03:15 PM	Lecture 2 Engr. Mario Raymundo Topic: Solar System updates and astronomical sightings
03:15 PM – 03:20 PM	Break
03:20 PM – 04:05 PM	Lecture 3 Mr. Lordnico P. Mendoza Topic: Basic Astrophotography
04:05 PM – 04:30 PM	Q & A session

October 6, 2021 (Wednesday)

**ACTIVITY: Online Astronomy Seminar for Science Teachers
Lecture Series Day 2**

01:30 PM – 02:15 PM	Lecture 1 Ms. Julie Ann G. Delda Topic: Celestial Navigation
02:15 PM – 02:20 PM	Break
02:20 PM – 03:00 PM	Lecture 2 Engr. Justine B. Castillo Topic: Astronomical Events for the Last Quarter of 2021
03:00 PM – 03:05 PM	Break
03:05 PM – 03:25 PM	Lecture 3 Ms. Girlie G. Cortez

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Administration (PAGASA)**

	Topic: PAGASA Astronomical Products and Services
03:25 PM – 04:00 PM	Q & A session
04:00 PM – 04:30 PM	Instructions for the hands-on session on October 8, 2021 (Friday)

October 8, 2021 (Friday)

**ACTIVITY: Online Astronomy Seminar for Science Teachers
Hands-on Session**

01:30 PM – 03:00 PM	Hands-on session Led by Ms. Julie Ann G. Delda Facilitated by: SSAS Personnel
03:00 PM – 03:10 PM	Break
03:10 PM – 04:20 PM	Hands-on session (Continuation...)
04:20 PM – 04:25 PM	Participants' Insights
04:25 PM – 04:30 PM	Group Photo
	Message Ms. Ma. Rosario C. Ramos OIC, SSAS
	Closing remarks Dr. Nathaniel Servando Chief, RDTD

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