



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

November 9, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

No. **000579**s. 2021

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Divisions of Biliran, Borongan City, Calbayog City, Catbalogan City
E. Samar, Leyte, N. Samar, Samar, and Tacloban City
All Others Concerned

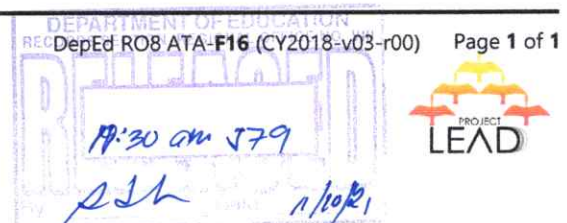
**UPDATES TO THE REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 564, S. 2021 RE: SERIES OF
ACTIVITIES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ADVANCING BASIC EDUCATION
IN THE PHILIPPINES (ABC+) PROJECT**

1. Relative to the attached Regional Memorandum No. 564, s. 2021 re: Series of Activities Relative to the Implementation of the Advancing Basic Education in the Philippines (ABC+) Project, this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), informs the concerned participants that the First Quality Assurance of the Contextualized Comprehensive Rapid Literacy Assessment (CRLA) in Waray, Inabaknon, and Minamanwa is rescheduled on November 10, 2021 from 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. via Zoom.
2. This Office also requests the participation of Ms. Gretel Laura Cadiong, EPS and Ms. Ramira Tayoni, MT of Tacloban City and Leyte Divisions, respectively as additional members of the Quality Assurance Team.
3. The participants who render service and/or attend a virtual activity in an official capacity on days that fall on weekends or non-working holidays can avail of service credits or CTO equivalent to eight (8) hours of service per day, whichever is applicable, as allowed under the existing office and Civil Service Commission policies.
4. All the concerned Schools Division Offices must facilitate and ascertain the full participation of the identified teachers.
5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


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No. **000564**, s. 2021

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SERIES OF ACTIVITIES RELATIVE TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ABC+ PROJECT

1. This Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) and in coordination with the United Nations Children's Funds (UNICEF) and the Research Triangle Institute (RTI) International, announces the conduct of the series of activities relative to the implementation of the ABC+ Project in the region.

2. Given below are the line-up of activities and the specific details.

Activity	Description	Modality	Duration	Participants
Pre-Work	Nomination of assessment items	Asynchronous	5 days	All
Item Development	Participants examine, edit, and add to the nominated assessment items	Synchronous		All
Home Learning Partner Orientation, Administration, Field Testing	Tips and protocols for home learning partner orientation, tool administration,	Synchronous	November 4 – 5, 2021	All



	and field testing procedures			
Quality Assurance 1	Processes for quality assurance and finalization of assessment items	Synchronous	1/2 day November 9, 2021 A.M.	Quality assurers
Tool Packaging	Layout and inclusion of each tool in a package	Asynchronous	1/2 day	ABC+
Field Testing	Testing of tools on 5 students per grade level per language	Asynchronous	3 days November 15-17, 2021)	Teachers
Quality Assurance 2	Final quality assurance, program feedbacking	Synchronous	1/2 day November 19, 2021 A.M.	Quality assurers

3. Aside from the UNICEF and RTI representatives who shall manage the activities, the Division MTB-MLE Coordinators with the target languages, select Writers and Members of the Quality Assurance Team whose names are listed in the enclosure are required to participate in the activities.

4. It is expected that the participants shall accomplish the pre-work activity following the steps:

- a. Access the CRLA Region 8 Google Drive: https://bit.ly/abcplus_CRLARegion8.
- b. Study the BoSY CRLA sample items as well as sample final package to be guided in accomplishing number 3.
 - a. *Pre-work (folder) – Samples (folder)*
- c. Nominate assessment items in the Google Sheet (Live) of assigned language. Instructions are included in the document.
- d. *Pre-work (folder) – Inabaknon (folder) – Inabaknon Pre-work.xlsx (Google Sheet)*
- e. *Pre-work (folder) – Minamanwa (folder) – Inabaknon Pre-work.xlsx (Google Sheet)*
- f. *Pre-work (folder) – Waray (folder) – Inabaknon Pre-work.xlsx (Google Sheet)*
- g. Upload available soft copies of references per language so ABC+ can organize and study them ahead of the synchronous sessions.

- h. *Pre-work (folder) – Inabaknon (folder) – References (folder)*
- i. *Pre-work (folder) – Minamanwa (folder) – References (folder)*
- j. *Pre-work (folder) – Waray (folder) – References (folder)*

5. Moreover, the participants are required to prepare soft and/or hard copies of the following Kinder to Grade 3 materials for the pre-work and synchronous workshop:

- Curriculum guides for Mother tongue
- Mother tongue primers
- Mother tongue story books
- Mother tongue textbooks
- Lesson plans
- Textbooks in any subject areas as long as they are in mother tongue
- Orthography books

6. The links to the meeting platform, attendance, and evaluation forms shall be shared via group chat of the MTB Division Coordinators.

7. Expenses incurred in the conduct of the series of activities related to the ABC+ implementation such as but not limited to, meal allowance and transportation expenses in case physical reporting is necessary shall be charged against Local Funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and procedures.

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


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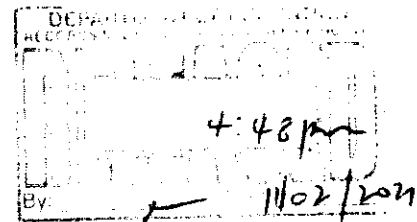
Enclosure : Matrix of Activities

Reference: None

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

DEVELOPMENT LEARNING RESOURCES LITERACY WORKSHOP

CLMD-GCM



Enclosure No 1 to Office Memorandum No. 179 s. 2021

PARTICIPANTS TO THE ABC+ PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION SERIES OF ACTIVITIES

A. RO QUALITY ASSURANCE TEAM

Dr. HARVIE D. VILLAMOR – CLMD Chief
 Mr. JOY B. BIHAG – RO LR Focal Person
 Dr. GERTRUDES C. MABUTIN – RO MTB-MLE Focal Person
 Dr. DANDY G. ACUIN – RO Filipino Supervisor/Filipino Reading Coordinator
 Mr. DEAN RIC ENDRIANO – RO English Supervisor/English Reading Coordinator

B. DIVISION MTB-MLE COORDINATORS

BILIRAN – RODOLFO C. PABILADA
 BORONGAN CITY – VIRGINIA C. DULFO
 CALBAYOG CITY – LOURDES L. MATAN
 CATBALOGAN CITY – ALBINO LUCABAN
 E.SAMAR – IMELDA GAYDA
 LEYTE – OLIVIA P. MANASIS
 N.SAMAR – SYLVIA D. VILLANUEVA
 SAMAR – RUSTUM GEONZON
 TACTOBAN CITY – ANNIE G. PAGATPAT

C. CRLA DEVELOPMENT TEAM

1. Waray

Division	Name	Grade Level	Role
Biliran	Vanessa Joy N. Aguilon	Kinder	Writer
Borongan City	Roxane May Ropal	Kinder	Writer
Calbayog City	Jaysson A. Alilita	Grade 1	Writer
Catbalogan City	Ma. Gina C. Gilbang	Grade 1	Writer
E.Samar	Elaine Roxanne M. Mirador	Grade 2	Writer
Leyte	Rose Mhe D. Gaduena	Grade 2	Writer
N. Samar	Mariam M. Batiles	Grade 3	Writer
Samar	Ruby Labiran Ragoro	Grade 3	Writer
Leyte	Olivia P. Manasis	MTB Coor/EPS	Quality Assurance
Tacloban City	Annie D. Pagatpat	MTB Coor/EPS	Quality Assurance
Calbayog City	Lourdes L. Matan	MTB Coor/EPS	Content Expert

2. Inabaknon

Name	Grade Level	Role
Cristita B. Cula	Kinder	Writer
Nelita G. Andarino	Kinder	Writer
Nila C. Esquillo	Grade 1	Writer
Charito M. Bayabay	Grade 1	Writer
Liza P. Gaco	Grade 2	Writer
Fretzie Magloyuan	Grade 2	Writer
Gelyn O. Aguion	Grade 3	Writer
Charmaine Saluib	Grade 3	Writer
Leonila C. Salazar		Quality Assurance
Luela Magdaraog		Quality Assurance
Milen Esteria		Content Expert

3. Minamanwa

Name	Grade Level	Role
Angel Ann de Asis	Kinder	Writer
Grace Tafalla	Kinder	Writer
Ramel Y. Abayon	Grade 1	Writer
Jovy T. Orsolino	Grade 1	Writer
Ma. Gay Movella	Grade 2	Writer
Mishel B. Pajac	Grade 2	Writer
Jonnalyn P. Pajantoy	Grade 3	Writer
Miguelyn U. Alaras	Grade 3	Writer
Jay Romulo Alaras	ALS	Quality Assurance
Joan T. Arsenio	Mobile Teacher	Quality Assurance
Ellen Joy Celajes	EPS	Content Expert