



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

November 10, 2021

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **088734**, s. 2021

CORRIGENDUM TO THE REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 625, s. 2021 RELATIVE TO THE 2021 ONLINE REGIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (RFOT)

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to the Regional Memorandum No. 625, s. 2021, re: 2021 Online Regional Festival of Talents (RFOT) scheduled on November 29 to December 1, 2021 with the theme *"Demonstrating Resiliency of Learners During Covid 19 Pandemic through Showcasing of Skills and Talents in the Culture and the Art, and Technology"*, the following items are embedded, to wit:

- a. The 2021 Online Regional Festival of Talents (RFOT) shall be hosted by Calbayog City Division;
- b. The Divisions may conduct their own selection screening process for their entries and participants to the 2021 Online RFOT provided that this is aligned with the existing 2021 NFOT Guidelines;
- c. The documents required for submission shall be placed in a Google Drive together with the copy of the video entry with name of the participant, video title, and YouTube video link, and List of Official Entries and shall be shared to clmd.region8@deped.gov.ph and nova.jorge@deped.gov.ph;
- d. Non-submission of any of the required documents of the competition entry shall mean an automatic disqualification;
- e. The link to the 2021 Online RFOT and the official posting of entries will be given through another issuance;
- f. A planning conference with the Regional and Division Focal Persons of Festival of Talents will be held on November 19, 2021 to discuss preparations relative to the conduct of the 2021 Online RFOT. The meeting link will be shared through the group's Messenger;
- g. Strict adherence to national and local IATF protocols must be observed by the participants, members of the Technical Working Committee (TWC), and Regional Management Team (RMT) when there is a need to meet face to face during



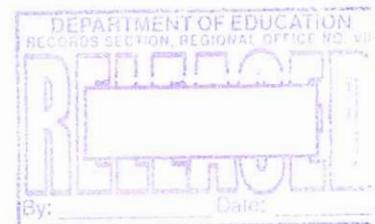
meetings, rehearsals or actual taping of presentations, and conduct of the online activity;

- h. The RMT, TWC and the participants involved in this activity who shall render services, report for duty, or accomplish work beyond office hours such as on weekends, school year vacation, or holidays in the exigency of service shall earn service credits subject to the existing and applicable rules and regulations; and
 - i. There shall be NO registration fee. The expenses related to the conduct of the 2021 Online RFOT such as communication allowance, prizes and awards, food, advocacy materials, and honoraria of members of the Selection Committee and external or non-DepEd resource persons shall be charged to the downloaded Local Fund of the DepEd Regional Office with an amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Pesos (Php 150,000.00), which shall be further transferred to the SDO of Calbayog City, while the showcase-related expenses of the participants to Local/School/Division funds or other sources, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
2. All other provisions in the abovementioned Memorandum shall remain in effect.
3. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director

Enclosures: As Stated
References: DM-OUF-2021-442, RM No. 625, s. 2021
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

CELEBRATIONS AND FESTIVALS
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Enclosure 1 to the Regional Memorandum No. _____, s. 2021

Regional Management Team (RMT)

Chairman: Evelyn R. Fetalvero, CESO IV – Regional Director
Vice-Chairman: Bebiano I. Sentillas – SDS, OIC-Office of the Director III
Members: Harvie D. Villamor – Chief, CLMD
Nova P. Jorge – EPS, CLMD
Sarah S. Cabaluna - EPS, CLMD
Joy B. Bihag – EPS, CLMD
Ryan R. Tiu - EPS, CLMD
Alfredo P. Café - EPS, CLMD
Dandy G. Acuin – EPS, CLMD
Amenia C. Aspa - EPS, CLMD
Dean Ric M. Endriano - EPS, CLMD
Gertrudes C. Mabutin - EPS, CLMD
Ernani S. Fernandez Jr. – EPS, CLMD
Albert Jim Lagado, ITO, ICTU
Jasmin F. Calzita – PDO, PAU
Floramay Bacus – PDO, PAU

Technical Working Group:

- 1) Registration and Documents Management Committee
Chair: Nova P. Jorge
Co-Chair: Ryan R. Tiu with ICTU and PAU personnel
- 2) Program, Documentation, and Logistics Committee
Chair: Dr. Rene Cagumoc-CID Chief, Calbayog City Division
Co-chair: Arnold Jaraba-DFOT Focal, Calbayog City Division
Members: Dr. Avelina P. Tupa
Dr. Geraldine P. Sumbise
Rolando Lacbo
Ma. Teresa Simon
Anabelle O. Yangzon
- 3) Awards and Certificates Committee
Chair: Ernani S. Fernandez Jr.
Co-Chair: Arnold Jaraba
Members: Mercedita Garcia
SDO Calbayog City members

*Host SDO Special Committees:

Secretariat	Invitation & Communication
Program Management	Finance Procurement
Health Safety & Sanitation	

Enclosure No. 2

Terms of Reference

- 1) Registration and Documents Management Committee
 - Ensures the smooth and systematic enlistment of learners, coaches, and guests
 - Ensures that participants' registration and attendance form links are provided
 - Coordinates with the program lead to provide a complete and exact registered number of participants and their confirmation letter
 - Ensures that the members of Selection Committee are oriented of their tasks and provides the guidelines and mechanics
 - Coordinates the needs and concerns of the Selection Committee
 - Secures all the results of the showcase and manuscripts
 - Assists the Selection Committee until the final deliberation
 - Ranks the results of the showcase as to the degree of presentation per event
 - Ensures accurate and timely results submission
- 2) Program, Documentation, and Logistics Committee
 - Provides online programs and advocacy materials
 - Ensures that virtual platform is prepared and managed for the activity
 - Designs the setup of virtual platform
 - Ensures that the Audio Video Presentation for introduction of the Selection Committee is prepared
 - Creates video presentation and other pictorial documentation on the conduct of the activity
 - Ensures that all needed facilities are available and functioning well
 - Makes arrangement for the meals for the whole duration of the activity
 - Ensures an organized and well-executed program flow
 - Coordinates with other committees regarding the program arrangements
 - Arranges the flow of the program accordingly
 - Ensures that emcee/s is/are prepared for the activity
 - Ensures that all AVPs are prepared for the activity
- 3) Results, Awards, and Certificates Committee
 - Ensures the accuracy, adequacy, and availability of all medals, trophies, and tokens
 - Ensures that all certificates are printed out or e-copy ready
 - Creates the slide deck presentation of results
 - Coordinates closely with the Program Committee regarding announcement of awardees
 - Ensures that extra medals and trophies are available in case the need for replacement arises and safeguards the unclaimed medals or trophies
 - Ensures that Plaques/Certificate of Recognition are available and properly distributed
 - Keeps complete records as to name of participants on the results of the showcase.
 - Ensures that all results are exactly ranked, and properly consolidated

- Announces the results of the best showcase/presentations
- Enclosure No. 3*

Program of Activities

Host: Calbayog City Division, Calbayog City

DATE	ACTIVITY
Nov 19, 2021	Submission of the video entries and other required documents
Nov 24, 2021	Organization of entries to the Official FB page of 2021 RFOT
Nov 29-30, 2021	Judging of official entries
Dec 1, 2021 (AM)	2021 RFOT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preliminaries • Messages • Announcement and Awarding of the Best Showcase
Dec 3, 2021	Provision of Technical Assistance to the entries for the 2021 RFOT Revision/Enhancement of video entries Uploading of entries and submission required documents
Dec 5, 2021	Submission of requirements for 2021 NFOT

BUDGET MATRIX

Item of Expenditure	No. Required	Cost per Unit	Total No. of Days	Amount
Meals and Snacks	10 pax	500.00	1	5,000.00
Selection Committee Honorarium*	27 pax	3,500.00		94,500.00
Advocacy Materials	30	450.00		13,500.00
Awards Materials				5,410.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supplies and Materials (cannon paper, bond paper, Inkjet) 				5,410.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plaque/Trophies 	9	1,500.00		13,500.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medals 	351	40.00		14,040.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best Presenters' Internet Allowance (learners and coaches) 	27	150.00		4,050.00
GRAND TOTAL				Php150,000.00

**Approximate maximum amount allocation*

Certificates of Participation (e-copy) and Recognition will be under RO8-CLMD



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October 14, 2021

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **000625**, s. 2021

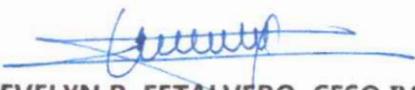
2021 ONLINE REGIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (RFOT)

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to the attached DepEd Memorandum OUCI-2021-442 re: **2021 Online National Festival of Talents (NFOT) Policy Guidelines**, this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), announces the conduct of the **2021 Online Regional Festival of Talents (RFOT)** on November 29, 30, and December 1, 2021.
2. The activity aims to:
 - a. provide opportunity for learners from public and private elementary and secondary schools as well as learners from the Alternative Learning System (ALS) to virtually showcase their skills and talents in different disciplines; and
 - b. establish a platform for assessing learners' artistic abilities, language, scientific, technological and livelihood skills, critical analysis, and deep reasoning among others, set in the K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum and making meaning out of their experiences relevant to the present situation.
3. The Schools Division Offices (SDOs) shall select representatives for each event skill exhibition and submit confirmation letter endorsed by the Schools Division Superintendent (SDS) to the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), DepEd Regional Office VIII or e-mail to clmd.region8@deped.gov.ph on or before November 19, 2021.
4. The specific guidelines for each event skill exhibition, Technical Working Group (TWG), Confirmation Letter template, and other requirements for the Festival of Talents can be found in the enclosures.
5. The 2021 RFOT Regional Technical Working Group composed of the CLMD Chief, Regional Education Program Supervisors, CID Chiefs, and Division Focal Persons for each event skills exhibition shall attend the Planning Conference on October 19, 2021 at 8:00 a.m. via Google at meet.google.com/vne-enaw-nmx.



6. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director 

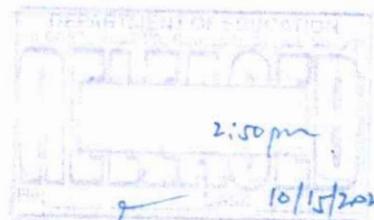
Enclosures: As stated

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Enclosure No 1 to Regional Memorandum No. **007625** 2021

CONFIRMATION LETTER

Date: _____

EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director
DepEd Regional Office VIII
Candahug, Palo, Leyte

Ma'am:

May I respectfully submit the List of our Confirmed Participants to the **2021 ONLINE REGIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS** on **November 9, 10 and December 1, 2021**

#	Name	Designation	School/Division	Event Skills Exhibition
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Very truly yours,

Schools Division Superintendent

(Note: You may use another sheet if necessary)



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UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

DEPED MEMORANDUM
DM-OUCI-2021-442

TO : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**

THROUGH : **ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**
Undersecretary for Field Operations,
Employee Welfare, Personnel and DEACO

FROM : **DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO**
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction

SUBJECT : **2021 ONLINE NATIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (NFOT)
POLICY GUIDELINES**

DATE : October 7, 2021

The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Learning Delivery – Student Inclusion Division (BLD-SID), will conduct the 2021 Online National Festival of Talents (NFOT) with the theme “**Demonstrating Resiliency of Learners During Covid 19 Pandemic through Showcasing of Skills and Talents in the Culture and the Art, and Technology**” via DepEd Philippines FB Live on **December 6-10, 2021**.

NFOT aims to provide opportunity for learners from public and private elementary and secondary schools as well as learners from the Alternative Learning System (ALS) to showcase their skills and talents in different disciplines. It also serves as a platform for assessing learners’ artistic abilities, language, scientific, technological and livelihood skills, critical analysis, and deep reasoning among others, set in the K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum and making meaning out of their experiences.

This 2021 NFOT will be done through a **Virtual Showcase** by repackaging the different events to make it more responsive and relevant to the present situation. This is also to ensure the strict compliance of health and safety protocols set by Inter- Agency Task Force (IATF).

Relative to this activity, this office request for your inputs or comments and recommendations on the attached guidelines which should be submitted on or before **October 18, 2021 at** bld.sid@deped.gov.ph.

Should there be queries or clarifications, you may contact BLD-SID, attention: Ms. Marites P. Romen, Supervising EPS at email address: marites.romen@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.