



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

April 7, 2022

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **361**, 2022

SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES TO THE 2022 NATIONAL LITERACY AWARDS

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Division NLA Coordinators
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 22, s. 2022 dated March 28, 2022, this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), hereby invites all the schools divisions to send entries to the **2022 National Literacy Awards** thru clmd.region8@deped.gov.ph cc alfredo.cafe@deped.gov.ph on or before **May 11, 2022**.
2. A National Literacy Awards (NLA) Regional Support Team (RST) shall be organized to assist the NLA Regional Selection Committee (RSC) during the acceptance, validation, and selection of entries at the regional level whose composition is found in the enclosures. The timetable of NLA-related activities is also attached for the guidance of all concerned.
3. In this view, all expenses incurred by the members of the RSC and RST relative to this activity shall be charged against the downloaded support funds at the Regional Office for this purpose, subject to the existing accounting rules and regulations.
4. An interfacing with the Division NLA Coordinators to discuss matters contributory to the successful conduct of the Regional Selection of entries shall be conducted on a date and at a venue to be announced in a separate memorandum.



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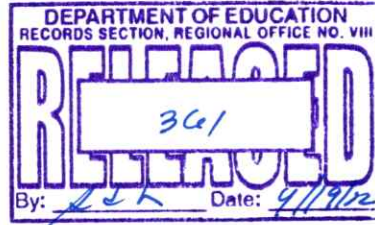


5. The Schools Division Superintendents, through the Division NLA Coordinators, are further requested to disseminate this information to their respective supervisory areas and coordinate with the Regional NLA Focal Person who can be reached at the above-mentioned email addresses for any concern.
6. All other details on this activity are stipulated in the above-mentioned DepEd Memorandum.
7. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director

Enclosures: As Stated
References: As Stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:
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Enclosure to RM _____, s. 2022 dated April 6, 2022, **Submission of Entries to the 2022 National Literacy Awards.**

A. NLA Regional Selection Committee (RSC)

Chairperson: EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director, DepEd RO VIII

Alternate: BEBIANO I. SENTILLAS, CESO V
Assistant Regional Director, DepEd RO VIII

Co-Chairperson: ATTY. ARNALDO E. ESCOBER, JR.
Regional Director, DILG RO VIII

Or, Representative

Members: DIR. VENUS L. GARCIA
Regional Director, PIA RO VIII

Or, Representative

ATTY. BONIFACIO G. UY
Regional Director, NEDA RO VIII

Or, Representative

DR. PROSE IVY G. YEPES
President, SLSU, Southern Leyte

Or, Representative

B. National Literacy Awards (NLA) Regional Support Team (RST)

Regional NLA Coordinator: ALFREDO P. CAFÉ, EPS, CLMD

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Regional Timetable of Activities

| Date | Activity | Responsible Office/ Person |
|--------------------------|--|---|
| April 6, 2022 | Consultation with the Regional Director | |
| April 7, 2022 | Organization of a Regional Support Team (RST), Regional Screening Committee (RSC), and Crafting of a Regional Memorandum | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional NLA Coordinator |
| May 5, 2022 | Conduct of Meeting with the RSC and RST Members (<i>Venue: Convergence Zone, DepEd RO VIII Compound, Candahug, Palo, Leyte</i>) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ORD Regional NLA Coordinator |
| April 25 to May 11, 2022 | Acceptance of Nominations/Entries from the LGUs and NGOs (endorsed by the SDO) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RST |
| May 12-13, 2022 | Document Evaluation & Ranking | |
| May 16-27, 2022 | Regional Validation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RSC RST |
| May 30 to June 3, 2022 | Selection of Winning Regional Entries | |
| June 6, 2022 | Submission of Official NLA Regional Entries to the LCC Secretariat | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ORD Regional NLA Coordinator |
| August 2022 | <p>Briefing with the Proponents/ Representatives of the Winning Entries for the 2022 NLA Awarding Ceremonies (together with the other Participants as identified by the LCC)</p> <p><i>The venue and other details will be announced in a separate memorandum)</i></p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ORD Regional NLA Coordinator |

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Matrix of Activities in the Conduct of Meeting with the RSC and RST Members

May 5, 2022 (Thursday)

Convergence Zone, DepEd Regional Office VIII Compound, Candahug, Palo, Leyte

| Session 1 | | Preliminaries | |
|---------------------|--|--|--|
| 9:00 AM – 9:10 AM | Arrival and Registration | RST | |
| 9:10 AM – 9:20 AM | Welcome and Opening Remarks | Dr. Evelyn R. Fetalvero, CESO IV Regional Director, DepEd RO8 Chairperson, NLA RSC Bebiano I. Sentillas, CESO V Asst. Regional Director, DepEd RO8 Alternate Chairperson, NLA RSC | |
| Session 2 | | Roll Call and Goal Setting | |
| 9:20 AM – 9:30 AM | Presentation of Participants and Statement of Purpose | Dr. Harvie D. Villamor Chief, CLMD | |
| Session 3 | | Business Proper | |
| 9:30 AM – 9:35 AM | Call to Order and Presentation of Agenda | Dr. Evelyn R. Fetalvero, CESO IV Chairperson, NLA RSC Presider Bebiano I. Sentillas, CESO V Alternate Chairperson, NLA RSC | |
| 9:35 AM – 10:15 AM | Discussion of the Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>NLA: Its Operational Definition</i> • <i>Composition and ToR of the RSC</i> • <i>Composition and ToR of the RST</i> • <i>NLA Categories</i> • <i>Entry Qualifications</i> | Alfredo P. Café, EPS, CLMD Presenter | |
| 10:15 AM – 10:25 AM | Health Break | | |
| 10:25 AM – 11:25 AM | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Nomination Process</i> • <i>Regional Selection Timelines</i> Other Matters | Alfredo P. Café, EPS, CLMD Presenter | |
| 11:25 AM – 11:55 AM | Agreement | Dr. Evelyn R. Fetalvero, CESO IV Chairperson, NLA RSC Presider | |
| 11:55 AM – 12:00 NN | Adjournment | Bebiano I. Sentillas, CESO V Alternate Chairperson, NLA RSC | |



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No. **022**, s. 2022

2022 NATIONAL LITERACY AWARDS

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned



1. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Literacy Coordinating Council (LCC), announces the conduct of the **2022 National Literacy Awards (NLA)**, which will culminate in September, in conjunction with the celebration of the National Literacy Week and International Literacy Day.

2. The NLA aims to recognize best literacy practices carried out by local government units (LGU) and nongovernment organizations (NGO), which help alleviate poverty, provide livelihood opportunities, address welfare needs, promote freedom, and make education facilities accessible, among others. The specific objectives of the NLA are to

- a. contribute to the realization of the goal of universalizing literacy in the Philippines by creating public awareness of and interest in the programs, projects, and activities addressing this concern;
- b. sustain, expand, and institutionalize literacy efforts by motivating and recognizing individuals, institutions, and LGUs through awards and appropriate recognition;
- c. encourage the development and replication of innovative, creative, and indigenous literacy programs; and
- d. bestow honor on and recognition to outstanding government and NGOs for their dedication, commitment, and contribution to the eradication of illiteracy in their respective communities.

3. This year, NLA has the following categories:

- a. **Outstanding Local Government Unit**—an award given to LGUs that have developed and implemented literacy policies, programs, and projects that created positive and remarkable impacts on the quality of life of their constituents. The Outstanding LGU category is divided into four sub-categories;



- b. **Outstanding Literacy Program**—an award given to NGOs, private organizations, and private educational/academic institutions, that have developed and implemented literacy programs that created positive and remarkable impacts on learners and communities; and
 - c. **Special Award of Excellence in Literacy**—an award given to LGUs or NGOs that have been declared as NLA Hall of Fame Awardees and sustained their outstanding literacy programs for at least three years after receiving the award.
4. Nominations for outstanding local government unit and literacy program categories shall be submitted by LGUs and NGOs to their respective DepEd Regional Offices (ROs), through the Regional NLA Coordinator, from **April 25 to May 11, 2022**. On the other hand, the nominees for the Special Award of Excellence in Literacy Category shall be identified and notified by the LCC Secretariat.
5. To ensure the health and safety of personnel and stakeholders involved during the conduct of field validation, observation of health and safety protocols and compliance with the minimum public health standards based on Inter-agency Task Force (IATF) guidelines and other relevant DepEd and LGU issuances shall be strictly followed.
6. The winning regional entries validated by the DepEd ROs shall be submitted to the LCC Secretariat on or before **June 6, 2022**. They shall be declared as the official regional NLA entries that will vie for the national-level awards. The regional NLA entries shall be composed of the following:
 - a. One entry for the Outstanding Literacy Program Category; and
 - b. Five entries for the Outstanding Local Government Unit Category comprised of
 - i. Two entries from the sub-category of Highly Urbanized City,
 - ii. One entry from the sub-category of Independent Component/Component City,
 - iii. One entry from the sub-category of 1st to 3rd Class Municipality, and
 - iv. One entry from the sub-category of 4th to 6th Class Municipality.
7. Details of the timetable, as well as the guidelines on the submission and selection process, are contained in the enclosed guidelines.
8. The DepEd, through the LCC Secretariat, shall facilitate the downloading of support funds to select DepEd Regional Offices intended to be utilized in the implementation of activities pertinent to the 2022 NLA. Furthermore, implementing guidelines stipulating the procedures on funds release, utilization, reporting, and liquidation of NLA support funds shall be issued in a separate cover.
9. The following documents are enclosed for reference:
 - Enclosure No. 1 - 2022 NLA Guidelines
 - Enclosure No. 2 - Timetable of Activities
 - Enclosure No. 3a - Nomination Form (Outstanding LGU Category)
 - Enclosure No. 3b - Nomination Form (Outstanding Literacy Program Category)
 - Enclosure No. 4a - Score Sheet (Outstanding LGU Category)

- Enclosure No. 4b - Score Sheet (Outstanding Literacy Program Category)
Enclosure No. 5 - Documentation Report Form

10. For more information, please contact the **Literacy Coordinating Council Secretariat**, 2nd Floor, Bonifacio Building, Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City through email at lcc@deped.gov.ph or at telephone numbers (02) 8631-0567, (02) 8631-0590, (02) 8635-9996, or telefax number (02) 8631-0579.

11. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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Secretary

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As stated



Reference:
DepEd Memorandum No. 041, s. 2020

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