



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

November 24, 2023

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **1316**, s. 2023

**REQUEST FOR THE ATTENDANCE OF THE INVITED PARTICIPANTS IN THE
CULMINATING PROGRAM FOR THE 31ST NATIONAL CHILDREN'S
MONTH ON NOVEMBER 28-30, 2023**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is the OUOPS Memorandum dated November 17, 2023 requesting the attendance of invited participants in Annex A to this Memorandum to the conduct of the Culminating Program for the 31st National Children's Month on November 28-30, 2023. An addendum to the memorandum dated November 23, 2023 announced that the venue for the said activity is at the West Avenue Suite Hotel, Quezon City.

2. The Memorandum identifies participants who have initially confirmed their attendance to the event. However, since Julianne Rose Penaranda, Registered Guidance Counselor (RGC) of Leyte National High School, cannot attend the event, this Region requests the participation of Aura D. Tomol, RGC and School Head of Lapay ES HT3, Tanauan, Leyte, to the event.

3. The Schools Division Superintendents concerned, through the Division Learner Rights and Protection (LRP) Focal person, is requested to facilitate the participation of the invited participants.

4. The board and lodging of the identified participants shall be charged to the LRPO Central Office Funds while their travel and other incidental expenses shall be charged to their respective MOOE/Local Fund/SEF/Regional Office LRPO downloaded funds subject to the usual government rules on accounting and auditing procedures.

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

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EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO IV
Regional Director *EF*

Enclosures: As stated

References: As stated

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects

Invited Participants National Children's Month

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MEMORANDUM

**TO : ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
ALL OTHER CONCERNED**

FROM : ATTY. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO
Undersecretary for Operations

**SUBJECT : INVITATION FOR THE CULMINATING PROGRAM FOR THE 31ST
NATIONAL CHILDREN'S MONTH TO BE SCHEDULED ON
NOVEMBER 28-30, 2023**

DATE : November 17, 2023

Pursuant to the DepEd Office Memorandum dated October 20, 2023, entitled *Guidance for the Celebration of the 31st National Children's Month (NCM)*, this Office through the Learner Rights and Protection Office (LRPO) will conduct the Culminating Program for this year's NCM on **November 28-30, 2023**, information on the venue will be provided in a separate memorandum.

Accordingly, the Culminating Activities will focus on the following:

1. Roll-out of the following policies:
 - a) Enhanced Learner Rights and Protection Policy
 - b) Guidelines on the Implementation of the Safe Spaces Act in Basic Education
 - c) DepEd Policy on the Children in Situations of Armed Conflict
2. Validation of the Child Protection Manual
3. Soft Launch of Teaching Rights Manual by Colega

Moreover, as an output each regional/division office representative will be asked to present a proposed program and other document in relation to the abovementioned policies.

In this regard, may we invite the following officials and employees or their alternates and identified Learner Rights and Protection Focal Personnel in the Region and Schools Division Office:

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For confirmation of attendance, kindly register on the link provided below on or before **November 20, 2023**.



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For queries, kindly coordinate with Atty. Suzette T. Gannaban-Medina, Officer-In-Charge, Director III, LRPO, and Ms. Ma-Ann C. Escobedo, Technical Assistant III, at suzette.medina@deped.gov.ph and maann.escobedo@deped.gov.ph.

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In observance of the celebration of the **31st National Children's Month (NCM)**, the Department of Education through the Learner Rights and Protection Office (LRPO) will conduct the Culminating Program for this year's NCM on **November 27, 2023** at the **Manila Hotel**, and **November 28-30, 2023**, at the West Avenue Suites Hotel.

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Accordingly, travel expenses shall be charged to the Program Support Funds downloaded to their respective regions for LRPO activities or local or other funds. Furthermore, in consideration of the event being scheduled on a holiday, it is requested that a compensatory time-off be given to the attendees, subject to existing rules and regulations.

For confirmation of attendance, kindly register on the link provided below on or before **November 23, 2023**.



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Enclosed is a copy of the indicative program for your reference. All attendees are requested to be in their respective Barong.

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