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**Department of Education**  
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

**Advisory No. 75, s. 2024**  
**June 14, 2024**

In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013  
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**PHILIPPINE SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL NATIONAL COMPETITIVE  
EXAMINATION (PSHS NCE) FOR INCOMING  
GRADE 7 LEARNERS**

Attached is Memorandum OM-CT-2024-187, dated June 3, 2024, announcing the conduct of the PSHS NCE for incoming Grade 7 Learners on November 16, 2024. The application period for AY 2025-2026 is from June 10 to October 10, 2024.

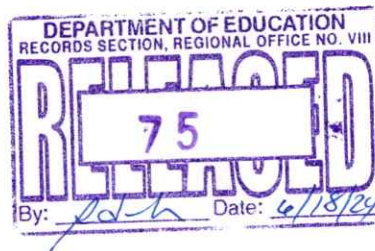
The target participants are the Grade six (6) or incoming Grade 7 learners, from both public and private schools.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

See the attached letter for more information.

Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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**MEMORANDUM**

OM-CT-2024- 187

**TO :** REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

**FROM :** *[Signature]*  
**GINA O. GONONG**  
Undersecretary

**SUBJECT :** Conduct of the Philippine Science High School National  
Competitive Examination (PSHS NCE) for Incoming Grade 7  
Learners

**DATE :** June 3, 2024

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The Philippine Science High School (PSHS) will conduct the National Competitive Examination (NCE) to evaluate the scientific, quantitative, abstract reasoning, and verbal aptitude of Grade 7 learners aspiring to become PSHS scholars on November 16, 2024.

The application period for AY 2025 to 2026 is from June 10 to October 10, 2024. The application can be submitted online at <https://nce.pshs.edu.ph/> or in person at PSHS Campuses, Department of Science and Technology Regional Offices, and Provincial Science and Technology Office in the region or province. Other details about the PSHSS NCE such as eligibility requirements and credentials, can be found at <https://pshs.edu.ph/>. In addition, a group of PSHS personnel will conduct a school-to-school caravan to promote the NCE.

For clarification and other concerns, please contact the Philippine Science High School Admission Office through telephone number (02) 8939-7747 loc.500 or through e-mail at [admissions@pshs.edu.ph](mailto:admissions@pshs.edu.ph).

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