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

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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**WORKSHOP ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF CONTEXTUALIZED
 ASSESSMENT TOOLS FOR QUARTERLY TRACKING
 OF LITERACY PROGRESS**

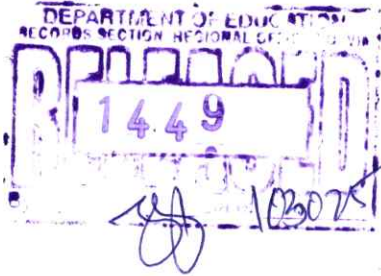
To: Schools Division Superintendents
 All Others Concerned

1. To further validate the assessments results needed in deciding who among the learners shall exit or continue to attend the ARAL Program, this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), shall conduct a Workshop on the Development of Contextualized Assessment Tools for Quarterly Tracking of Literacy Progress on November 27-29, 2025 at a venue to be announced in a separate issuance.
2. This aims to develop literacy assessment tools aligned with the Comprehensive Rapid Literacy Assessment (CRLA), designed to monitor the quarterly learners' progress and inform timely and targeted interventions to ensure grade level readiness among Key Stage 1 learners.
3. The list of attendees for this activity is provided in the table below. The divisions must identify teacher-participants who were directly involved in the development of the BOSY and EOSY CRLA.

Office	Expected Participants	No. of Slots
Region	CLMD Chief, English EPS, Filipino EPS, Assessment Focal Person, and 2 Staff	6
13 SDOs	Literacy Focal and 1 Key Stage 1 Teacher (2 per SDO)	26
Northern Samar	8 Teachers for <i>Inabaknon</i> Language	8
TOTAL		40

4. The Schools Division Offices shall ensure that the school of identified participants implement effective measures so learners still receive the full benefits of instruction.

5. Expenses incurred in the conduct of the activity shall be charged against FY 2025 GAAO, subject to the usual auditing and accounting rules and regulations.
6. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.



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Enclosures: None

References: Guidelines on Budget Allocation and Fund Utilization for ARAL
Program SY 2025-2026

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:
ARAL PROGRAM ASSESSMENT CRLA

CLMD-GCM