



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

May 18, 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **596** s. 2026

REQUEST FOR THE LIST OF THE TOP FIVE (5) SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2025-2026 IN SUPPORT OF THE BAGONG PILIPINAS MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. This Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) in coordination with the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), hereby requests the submission of the **List of the Top Five (5) Senior High School Graduates for School Year 2025-2026 in support of the Bagong Pilipinas Merit Scholarship Program (BPMSP)**. The Schools Division Offices (SDOs), through the Education Program Supervisor assigned to Senior High School, are directed to collect the required data from all Senior High Schools within their respective divisions and encode the information in the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/BPMS-2627> on or before **May 22, 2026**.

2. The data will be utilized to ensure a fair and equitable allocation of slots across the region. This scholarship initiative seeks to provide financial assistance to academically deserving Filipino students who intend to pursue priority degree programs in higher education.

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


SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ JD, EDD, CESO III
Regional Director

Enclosure: As stated

Reference: RM No. 563, s. 2026

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

BAGONG PILIPINAS MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (BPMSP)
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
TOP FIVE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES



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Thank you

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Your opinion matters to us. Tell us about the service/s you received from this office by accomplishing our online client satisfaction survey.



Survey Link: <http://tinyurl.com/ched8CCSS2026>

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May 7, 2026

DR. SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ
Regional Director
Department of Education Regional Office VIII
Government Center, Candahug, Palo, Leyte

Dear **Dr. Jimenez**:

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In line with this, the Commission on Higher Education Regional Office VIII would like to respectfully request from your Office for the list of all Senior High Schools in Eastern Visayas. In addition, we would also like to request for the names of the Top 5 students in each graduating class, if possible.

This data will allow the Commission to determine a fair and equitable slot allocation for the region using the above requested data as one of the determinants.

The Commission is hoping for a favorable response to this request.

Thank you and have a nice day.

Sincerely yours,


MAXIMO C. ALJIBE, Ph.D., DPM, J.D., CESO III
Director IV





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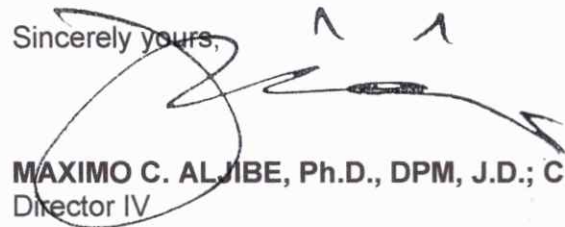
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