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Department of Education
OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR LEARNING SYSTEMS

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TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : *Carmela C. Oracion*
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SUBJECT : **MULTIGRADE PROGRAM IN PHILIPPINE EDUCATION (MPPE) CONVERGENCE**

DATE : **July 27, 2026**

The Bureau of Learning Delivery (BLD), through the Teaching and Learning Division (TLD) will conduct the Multigrade Program in Philippine Education (MPPE) Convergence, a collaborative platform that brings together school heads, education supervisors, program implementers, and other key stakeholders involved in Multigrade Education. This activity will be conducted on **August 11-13, 2026** at the **Manila Grand Opera Hotel**, 925 Doroteo Jose St., Sta. Cruz Manila.

The primary objectives of this activity are to:

- **Share outstanding practices** in the implementation of the program by highlighting successful initiatives, innovative instructional models, and effective school management practices from different regions.
- **Inspire and empower participants** to replicate, adapt, and contextualize proven interventions and evidence-based strategies that enhance the delivery of quality multigrade education in their respective schools and divisions.
- **Provide a collaborative platform** for identifying and addressing emerging issues, challenges, and trends in multigrade education through meaningful discussions on key areas such as instructional delivery, learning resources development, teacher professional development, assessment practices, and strategies for improving learner outcomes.
- **Strengthen collaboration and knowledge sharing** among school heads, education supervisors, teachers, and other education stakeholders to promote continuous improvement and innovation in the implementation of multigrade education programs nationwide.

The participants in this activity are the regional and division multigrade coordinators, CLMD chiefs, and selected multigrade school heads. Below is the number of participants by region:

Region	Number of Pax	Region	Number of Pax
I	18	VIII	35
II	20	IX	10
Batanes	2	X	15
III	12	XI	20
IV- CALABARZON	22		

IV-MIMAROPA	15	XII	15
Palawan	5		
Puerto Princesa City	2		
V	20	CARAGA	18
VI	20	CAR	22
NIR	10	BARMM	10
VII	20		
Total			311

Priority is given to participants from divisions with the greatest number of Multigrade (MG) schools. Participants are requested to bring their own laptops. Guided by the templates, each region will present its accomplishment report for the Multigrade Program covering the last three (3) fiscal years (**2023, 2024, and 2025**), as well as the Multigrade schools' data for **School Year (SY) 2024–2025**. The templates for the reports may be downloaded from <https://tinyurl.com/MGReportsMGTraining>. Please submit and upload your required documents through the provided link. A designated regional subfolder has been created for each region. Kindly ensure that your submission is uploaded to the appropriate regional subfolder on or before **August 8, 2026**.

Participants are likewise requested to register on or before **August 8, 2026**, through <https://tinyurl.com/MGConvergence2026Reg>. For reference, the program matrix is attached as Enclosure 1.

August 11, 2026	August 13, 2026
Check-in: 1:00 pm Onwards	Check-out: 12:00 noon
First Meal: AM Snacks	Last Meal: Lunch

Board and lodging, travel expenses, and other incidental expenses of the participants shall be charged against the **FY 2026 Multigrade Education Program Current Funds** downloaded to the region subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Participants may arrive at the venue one day prior to the activity, which is dedicated specifically for each region to set-up their respective booths and showcase their accomplishments and key initiatives. Please note that the accommodation costs for this preparatory day must be borne solely by local funds. Furthermore, should the downloaded funds prove insufficient to cover all travel expenses, any remaining balance shall be supplemented by local funds.

Participants shall adhere to the provisions of DepEd Order (DO) No. 43, s. 2022 (Omnibus Travel Guidelines for All Personnel of the Department of Education), DO 46, s. 2022 (Amendment to DO 43, s. 2022), and DO 1, s. 2023 (Revised Designation of Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries to their Strands and Functional Areas of Responsibilities and Revised Signing Authorities), in preparation for their travel requirements.

Should you have queries, please get in touch with the BLD-TLD Multigrade Team at multigrade@deped.gov.ph or mobile nos. 09237352494 or 09085523084.

Immediate dissemination and compliance of this memorandum is desired.

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