



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF MISAMIS ORIENTAL

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent




August 10, 2023

MEMORANDUM

PARTICIPATION IN THE FIRST PHILIPPINE BOOK FESTIVAL

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1. Pursuant to **Department of Education (DepEd)-Regional Office X Memorandum No. 415, s. 2023** and **Memorandum DM-CT-2023-060**, re: *Participation in the First Philippine Book Festival* in Davao City on August 18-20, this office directs the abovenamed personnels to participate in the said activity.
2. Expenses incurred relative to the participation in this event may be charged against available local funds, including travel to the venue more economical and practical for the participants, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
3. Attached are DepEd's Central Office and Regional Office memoranda.
4. This is issued for information and guidance to all concerned.

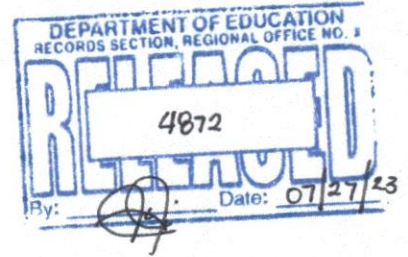

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July 26, 2023

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 0415, s. 2023

PARTICIPATION IN THE 1ST PHILIPPINE BOOK FESTIVAL

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
Chiefs, Curriculum Implementation Division
Learning Resource Supervisors
School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. This issuance refers to **Memorandum DM-CT-2023-060** on the **Participation in the 1st Philippine Book Festival**, which will be spearheaded by the National Book Development Council, an attached agency of the Department of Education (DepEd), at the SMX Convention, Davao City, on August 18-20.
2. Any expenses of the Schools Division Offices' (SDOs) or the schools' participation may be charged against available local funds, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
3. Those who will join the 1st PBF, as part of the delegations of the RO, SDOs, and schools, must be different from the identified participants of the National Market Scoping for Supplementary SLRS.
4. Attached is the Memorandum for the complete information.
5. This Office directs the immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum.

DR. ARTURO B. BAYOCOT, CESO III
Regional Director

proposed
ATTY. SHIRLEY O. CHATTO
Chief Administrative Officer
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Office of the Regional Director

ATCH.: As stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subject:

BOOK FESTIVAL

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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

MEMORANDUM
DM-CT-2023-060

TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
MINISTER OF THE BARMM-MINISTRY OF BASIC, HIGHER,
AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

FROM : 
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SUBJECT : PARTICIPATION IN THE 1st PHILIPPINE BOOK FESTIVAL

DATE : March 30, 2023

The National Book Development Board (NBDB), an attached agency of the Department of Education, shall be conducting the **1st Philippine Book Festival (PBF)**, the largest traveling book festival in the Philippines, to offer a variety of programs related to education, entertainment, and tourism through a series of workshops, engaging exhibits, storytelling, and other activities available to the public.

The 1st PBF shall be held on the following dates:

Date	Venue
June 2 to 4, 2023	World Trade Center Metro Manila, Pasay City
August 18 to 20, 2023	SMX Convention Center Davao, Davao City ✓

In view of the above, the Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR) is inviting DepEd personnel, learners and their parents to participate in the 1st PBF.

Likewise, the support and engagement on the said activity of all Regional Offices (ROs) are also requested through the following:

- The issuance of a Regional Memorandum inviting, promoting, and encouraging the participation of all interested DepEd personnel, as well as other interested stakeholders i.e. learners and their parents, to join this book experience on the weekend schedules;
- Allowing learning resource public school personnel, i.e. those involved in the identification and selection of storybooks, big books, and other literary and supplementary learning resources (SLRs) for school libraries, to attend the book fair activities on dates that fall on a Friday and/or weekend; and
- Allowing Regional or Schools Division Office learning resource personnel to attend the book fair activities on dates that fall on a Friday and/or weekend.

Being among the primary interested stakeholder in the book publishing industry, the DepEd and its personnel will be treated with exclusive activities, namely:

1. Scan a huge collection of children's books, general references and educational books, trade books, and resources of various forms and functions, including special collections from the National Library of the Philippines;
2. Meet authors, illustrators, and publishers, including a one-on-one matching activity for content collaborations;
3. Learn from the exhibits on the production process of books and other processes;
4. Attend plenary and concurrent sessions on the translation of literary works, establishment of appropriate grade levels of books, the inclusion of literacy strategies for teachers, raising equity through children's books, curation of contextualized libraries, and other propitious topics;
5. Access the exclusive PBF mobile application for the duration of the three-day activity.

In case the Regional Office (RO), Schools Division Office (SDO), or school decide to organize their respective delegation to attend the 1st PBF, expenses incurred relative to the participation of identified DepEd personnel in this event may be charged against available local funds, including travel to the venue more economical and practical for the participants, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Please note that those who shall join the 1st PBF as part of the delegations of the ROs, SDOs, and schools must be different from the identified participants of the "National Market Scoping for Supplementary Learning Resources (SLRs) for School Libraries and Library Hubs" as provided by DM-CT-2023-058.

For more information on the 1st PBF, please contact **Maria Carolina M. Tapia** of NBDB through email at bookfest@books.gov.ph. On the other hand, for queries relative to DepEd-related concerns, kindly coordinate with the Learning Resources Production Division (attention: **Mr. Jejomar Alda**) through blr.lrpd@deped.gov.ph (copy furnished jejomar.alda@deped.gov.ph) or at the telephone number (02) 8631-4985.

For information and dissemination.

Attachment/s:
1st Philippine Book Festival Briefer