



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DAVAO DEL NORTE

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID - 2026 - **0198**

To:

CES, School Governance and Operations Division
CES, Curriculum Implementation Division
All School Heads
All Others Concerned

Subject:

COORDINATION REGARDING JAPANESE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

1. In reference to the Regional Memorandum CLMD-2026-0042, which informs the visit of a delegation from the Fast-Retailing Foundation, a Japan-based philanthropic organization dedicated to fostering global leadership through educational support in February 2026. The Foundation has officially announced a scholarship program for Filipino high school graduates seeking to pursue an undergraduate degree in Japan starting this year.
2. The delegation from the Foundation is scheduled to conduct a visit to the Philippines, particularly in Cebu and Davao Regions, in February 2026, led by Mr. Yoshio Ishida, the Secretary-General of the Foundation, and Ms. Kyohei Miyoshi. The specific dates shall be announced in a separate issuance.
3. The primary objectives of their regional visit are the following:
 - a) To gain insights into the concurrent landscape of local high schools;
 - b) To gauge the interest and readiness of learners for international academic opportunities; and
 - c) To understand the level of preparation required for learners to qualify for Japanese universities.
4. Other details of the activity are enclosed in this memorandum.
5. In adherence to all policies, everyone is encouraged to continuously support and value equality and diversity (**Equal Opportunity Principle**) within the Department. In the same manner, Project W.A.T.C.H will also be observed.
6. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

REBONFAMIL R. BAGUIO
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Office of the Schools Division Superintendent



Enclosed: As Stated.

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February 4, 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
CLMD- 2026-0042

COORDINATION REGARDING JAPANESE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. Pursuant to DM-LS-2026-029, this Office informs the visit of a delegation from the Fast-Retailing Foundation, a Japan-based philanthropic organization dedicated to fostering global leadership through educational support in February 2026. The specific dates shall be announced in a separate issuance.
2. The Foundation has officially announced a scholarship program for Filipino high school graduates seeking to pursue undergraduate degrees in Japan starting this year.
3. The visiting group will be led by Yoshio Ishida, Secretary General of the Foundation, and Kyohei Miyoshi.
4. This visit aims to gain insights into the current landscape of local high schools; gauge the interest and readiness of students for international academic opportunities; and understand the level of preparation required for students to qualify for Japanese universities.
5. To facilitate the logistics and specific schedules of these visits, Ms. Miyoshi and the Foundation's team will reach out to those offices directly.
6. The usual support in providing the delegation with the necessary guidance and information to ensure the success of this initiative for the benefit of our learners is encouraged.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired.

Enclosure: As Stated
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ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Director IV

Date: Feb. 16, 2026
Time: 20079



Republic of the Philippines
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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR LEARNING SYSTEMS

MEMORANDUM
DM-LS-2026-029

FOR : **SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ**
Regional Director DepEd Region VII

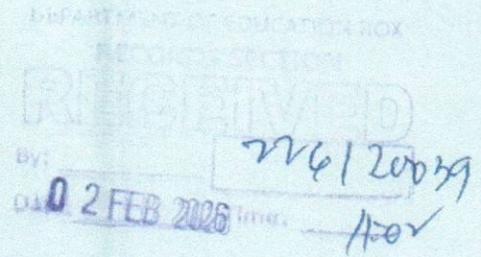
ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Regional Director DepEd Region XI

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FROM : **CARMELA C. ORACION**
Assistant Secretary
Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems

SUBJECT : **INTRODUCTION AND COORDINATION OF VISIT BY THE FAST RETAILING FOUNDATION REGARDING THE JAPANESE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

DATE : **January 22, 2026**



This office wishes to introduce the Fast-Retailing Foundation, a Japan-based philanthropic organization dedicated to fostering global leadership through educational support. The Foundation has officially announced a scholarship program for Filipino high school graduates seeking to pursue undergraduate degrees in Japan starting this year.

In line with this, a delegation from the Foundation is scheduled to conduct a visit to the Philippines in February 2026. The visiting group will be led by Mr. Yoshio Ishida, Secretary-General of the Foundation, and Ms. Kyohei Miyoshi (kyohei.a.miyoshi@fastretailing-foundation.or.jp)

The primary objectives of their regional visit to Cebu (Region VII) and Davao (Region XI) are as follows:

- To gain insights into the current landscape of local high schools;
- To gauge the interest and readiness of students for international academic opportunities; and
- To understand the level of preparation required for students to qualify for Japanese universities.

To facilitate the logistics and specific schedules of these visits, Ms. Miyoshi and the Foundation's team will reach out to your respective offices directly.

This Office requests your usual support in providing the delegation with the necessary guidance and information to ensure the success of this initiative for the benefit of our learners.

For your information and appropriate action.