



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

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
CID-2023-0405

To: Dr. Rebecca C. Sagot CESO VI – Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Dr. Eduard C. Amoguis- Chief Education Supervisor
Dominic M. Dizon - Public Schools District Supervisor
District Journalism Coordinators of Langilan District
Elementary & Secondary Schools Head of Langilan District
All Elementary & Secondary School Paper Advisers of Langilan District

Subject: **LAUNCH AND ORIENTATION OF JOURNALISM**

Date: May 16, 2023

1. Journalism is essential, for teachers and students alike. This enables the improvement of knowledge and abilities that is beneficial to stand up for fellows' rights, look for the truth, and speak their minds.
2. Pursuant to the Republic Act No. 7079, it declares the policy of the State to uphold and protect the freedom of the press even at the campus level and to promote the development and growth of campus journalism as a means of strengthening ethical values, encouraging critical and creative thinking, and developing moral character and personal discipline of the Filipino youth.
3. In regard to the **Launch and Orientation of Journalism** effective on **May 19, 2023**, at **8:00 a.m.** at the **Department of Agriculture Function Hall**, Maniki, Kapalong, Davao del Norte. This activity aims to:
 - a. Capacitates in the format and techniques of Journalism.
 - b. Enhancing writing's ethical principles.
 - c. Facilitating creative thinking.
 - d. Foster the love of writing.
4. All Elementary and Secondary School Paper Advisers and School Heads are encouraged to actively participate in this training to sharpen their abilities and eventually translate their learning to all learners.
5. **NO DISRUPTION** of classes shall be imposed in the conduct of the training hence all the Elementary and Secondary School Paper Advisers will shift to Blended Learning Modality and employ all the possible means to deliver and access quality education pursuant to DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.
6. Furthermore, the Implementation of Blended Learning Modality in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools in Langilan District shall be monitored by the Public Schools District Supervisor who shall make any necessary adjustments to ensure that all learners are receiving high-quality education.
7. All parties concerned are required to strictly observe the health protocols as prescribed by the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) on COVID-19 during this




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pandemic. Further, all are also encouraged to continually support and recognize the value of equality and diversity for all personnel while complying with the directives set forth by this office.

8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum to all concerned is desired.




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