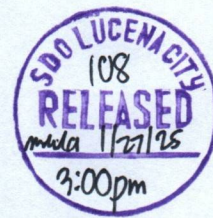




Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION IV-A CALABARZON  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF LUCENA CITY**



23 January 2025

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 038, s. 2025

**PARTICIPATION TO THE 2025 REGIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE (RSPC)**

**TO:** OIC – Asst. Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors – SGOD & CID  
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Republic Act No. 7079, also known as *Campus Journalism Act of 1991* released through the DepEd Order No. 94, s. 1992 which specifies the conduct of the Annual National Elementary, Secondary or Tertiary Schools Press conference and in reference to Regional Memorandum No 858, s. 2024-titled *R4A CALABARZON 2025 Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC)*, SDO-Lucena City through the Curriculum Implementation Division announces its **PARTICIPATION TO THE 2025 REGIONAL SCHOOLS PRESS CONFERENCE (RSPC)**. This will be held from February 5-7 and February 10-14, 2025, and will be hosted by Batangas Cluster Schools Division Office (SDO).
2. The activity aims to:
  - a. Demonstrate understanding of Journalism through proficient execution in various platform like print, broadcast and online;
  - b. Recognize the role of journalism in advocating for social consciousness and environmental awareness;
  - c. Promote fair and ethical use of media as principles of responsible journalism; and
  - d. Provide learners opportunities to use the skills learned in campus journalism for their future careers.
3. The Participants are the first, second and third place winners in the DSPC. They shall pre-register online through the links indicated in RM-2024-858 Enclosure 4 (posted in Journalism GC) where they also upload the following documents in PDF:
  - a. Medical Certificates of journalists and adviser
  - b. Certificate of Enrollment
  - c. School Paper for School Year 2024-2025
  - d. Parental Consent



4. Pre-registration online shall be from January 24 to January 31 at 5:00 p.m.
5. Prior to the conduct of this activity, all school paper advisers are expected to continue training the RSPC participants. They are also required to attend the cliniquing sessions every Saturday before the event.
6. Relative to the conduct of Journalism activities which is scheduled on Saturday this Office reiterates that DepEd personnel who will attend and serve on weekends shall be entitled to service credits as per DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003 on "*Updated Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers*" to compensate the services they render beyond working hours; likewise, Compensatory Time-off for Non-teaching Personnel based on CSM-DBM Joint Curricular No.2, s. 2004 re: *Non-Monetary Renumeration for Overtime Service Rendered*.
7. Recognizing and respecting intellectual Property Rights, this division adheres to the rule concerning plagiarism. School Papers found to have copied and published texts, graphics, and other materials without acknowledging their sources and proven by the board of judges shall be disqualified.
8. Attached in this Memorandum are the TWGs (Attachment A) and list of participants (Attachment B).
9. The 2025 RSPC will adhere to the NSPC and RSPC Guidelines. Please read DepEd Memorandum No. 858 s. 2024 for the 2025 RSPC schedule of activities, Guidelines and other requirements posted in SDO LC 2024 GC.
10. Expenses with regard to the conduct of this activity including food, transportation shall be charged against the Schools journalism or canteen fund, Special Education Fund or School's Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
11. Relative to the conduct of Journalism activities which is scheduled on Saturday this Office reiterates that DepEd personnel who will attend and serve on weekends shall be entitled to service credits as per DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003 on "*Updated Guidelines on Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers*" to compensate for the services they will render beyond working hours; likewise, Compensatory Time-off for Non-teaching Personnel based on CSM-DBM Joint Curricular No.2, s. 2004 re: *Non-Monetary Renumeration for Overtime Service Rendered*.
12. For questions and clarification, please contact Modesta R. Jaurigue and Leonora Fe M. Malabonga, EPSs in-charge of Journalism and Josephine T. Natividad, Chief Education Supervisor, CID at 09515583716 and 09435467765.

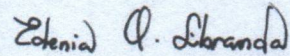


13.Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

**SUSAN DL. ORIBIANA**  
Schools Division Superintendent



For the Schools Division Superintendent



**EDENIA O. LIBRANDA**  
Chief Education Supervisor  
Officer-In-Charge  
Office of the Assistant Schools Division  
Superintendent

Date: Jan. 24, 2025



## **Attachment A-Technical Working Groups**

### **A. Cliniquing and Journalism Workshop Food and Refreshment**

1. Mary Grace V. De Galicia
2. Vivian V. Rodriguez
3. DASPA Officers

### **B. Cliniquing Sessions Facilitators/Speakers**

1. May Grace D. Salazar
2. Jasmin J. Flores
3. Ace Ferdinand O. Igloria
4. Ginalyn A. Lat
5. Sherwin C. De la Cruz
6. Kurt Howard Zubieta
7. Ressielyn Kates M. Caperiña
8. John Andolf A. Abairo
9. Jordan B. Padua
10. Realyn Escoto

### **C. Certificates**

1. Jasmin F. Flores
2. Jennifer M. Oestar
3. May Grace D. Salazar

### **D. Cliniquing Venues in Preparation for the RSPC**

1. Sherwin De la Cruz
2. Rowena J. Adormeo
3. DASPA Officers

### **E. 2025 RSPC Billeting Quarter**

1. Modesta R. Jaurigue
2. Leonora Fe M. Malabonga
3. Marilyn A. Merto
4. Rowena J. Adormeo

### **F. 2025 RSPC Transportation**

1. Carlos V. Villaester
2. Ronnie J. Cada

### **G. 2025 RSPC Individual and Group Contest**

1. May Grace D. Salazar
2. Jasmin Flores
3. Modesta R. Jaurigue
4. Leonora Fe M. Malabonga
5. Marilyn A. Merto
6. Rowena J. Adormeo
7. Xandra Leah S. Dames
8. Sheryn Bustamante
9. Advisers of RSPC Participants

### **H. 2025 RSPC Documents**

1. Ginalyn Lat
2. Jasmin Flores
3. May Grace D. Salazar