



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION I  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF VIGAN CITY

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**  
No. 233, s.2025

**PARTICIPANTS TO THE REGIONAL TRAINING ON STRENGTHENING GENDER  
AND DEVELOPMENT (GAD) FOCAL POINT SYSTEM (GFPS) IN SCHOOLS**

TO: School Heads of RES and RPES

1. In reference to the Regional Memorandum No. 493, s. 2025, the Department of Education – Regional Office 1 (DepEd-RO1) through the Gender and Development Focal Point System (GFPS) and the Human Resource Development Division (HRDD) shall conduct the **Regional Training on Strengthening GAD Focal Point System (GFPS) in Schools** at the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP-R1), San Vicente, City of San Fernando, La Union on May 14-16, 2025.

2. The training aims to enhance the understanding of DepEd Order No. 32, s. 2017 or the Gender-Responsive Basic Education Policy and strengthen the functionality of the School GAD Focal Point System (GFPS).

3. Participants in the activity are indicated below:

Name	Position/Designation	School/ Office
<b>ERIC A. BILGERA</b>	Head Teacher III	RES
<b>DINA Q. RIVAD</b>	School Principal II	RPES

4. NEAP-R1 shall accommodate participants who will arrive on Day 0, May 13, 2025. The first meal to be served will be breakfast on Day 1 and the last meal will be dinner on Day 3.

5. Attached is the Regional Memorandum No. 493, s. 2025 for reference.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

**VILMA D. EDA, CESO V**  
Schools Division Superintendent







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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. 493, s. 2025

**REGIONAL TRAINING ON STRENGTHENING GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT  
(GAD) FOCAL POINT SYSTEM (GFPS) IN SCHOOLS**

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. This Office, through the Gender and Development Focal Point System (GFPS) and the Human Resource Development Division (HRDD), shall conduct the Regional Training on Strengthening GAD Focal Point System (GFPS) in Schools at the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP-RI), San Vicente, City of San Fernando, La Union on May 14-16, 2025.
2. The training aims to enhance the understanding of DepEd Order No. 32, s. 2017 or the Gender-Responsive Basic Education Policy and strengthen the functionality of the School GAD Focal Point System (GFPS).
3. Participants are Principals/School Heads who have not attended any Regional Training on GAD/GFPS. The number of participants from each Schools Division Office (SDO) is as follows:

Alaminos City	2
Batac City	2
Candon City	2
Dagupan City	2
Ilocos Norte	2
Ilocos Sur	2
Laoag City	2
La Union	2
Pangasinan I	3
Pangasinan II	3
San Carlos City	2
San Fernando City	2
Urdaneta City	2
Vigan City	2

4. All SDOs, through their designated focal persons for GAD, are requested to submit names of identified participants through the link: <https://tinyurl.com/ListofparticipantsGFPS> on or before **April 25, 2025**.
5. NEAP-RI shall accommodate participants who will arrive on Day 0, May 13, 2025. The first meal to be served will be breakfast on Day 1 and the last meal will be dinner on Day 3.

6. The travel expenses of identified participants shall be charged against Schools Division Office (SDO)/School MOOE or other local funds subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

7. For queries and other concerns, please contact HRDD through (072) 682-23-24 local 122 or e-mail [hrdd.region1@deped.gov.ph](mailto:hrdd.region1@deped.gov.ph).

8. For information and compliance.



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Director IV 

Reference: None

Encl.: None

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