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SCHOOLS DIVISION OF VIGAN CITY

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No: 455, s. 2025

PARTICIPANTS IN THE CRASH COURSE IN WRITING STORIES AND STORYBOARDING FOR SELF LEARNING MODULES AND OTHER LEARNING RESOURCES

TO: Asst. Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisor- CID
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. Relative to Regional Memorandum No. 930, s. 2025, titled Crash Course in Writing Stories and Storyboarding for Self-Learning Modules and Other Learning Resources, the following personnel are advised to attend the activity at NEAP R1, San Fernando City, La Union on July 21-26, 2025.

NAME	POSITION	SCHOOL/OFFICE
Rommel Rabo	EPS LRMS	SDO
Nelson Robiñol	EPS English	SDO
Maggie Aytona	OIC/Master Teacher II	PIS
Vivian Del Castillo	Principal I	CAPEs
Glenn Tadena	Principal I	VNHSW
Arlene Pagay	Teacher III	ISNHS

2. The Opening Program shall start at 4:00 PM on July 21, 2025. First meal to be served is afternoon snacks on July 21, 2025 and the last meal will be lunch on July 26, 2025. All participants are encouraged to bring their own tumbler in compliance with Regional Order No. 001, s. 2019 titled "Implementing Guidelines on the "No Plastic, No Styro" Policy During Trainings, Seminars, Workshops, Programs and other Related Activities of the Department of Education."

3. Travel expenses of the participants will be downloaded to the School Division Office thru the issuance of Sub-Allotment Release Order (SARO). Compensatory Time-Off (CTO) shall be granted to participants for services rendered on weekends in accordance with the provision of DepEd Order No. 53, 2. 2003 and CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004.

4. Attached is the Regional Memorandum No. 930, s. 2025 for reference.

5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 930, s. 2025

CRASH COURSE IN WRITING STORIES AND STORYBOARDING FOR SELF-LEARNING MODULES AND OTHER LEARNING RESOURCES

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. The Department of Education Regional Office I through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) initiated an activity in support of literacy and reading programs across key stages aligned with the Revised Basic Education Curriculum.

2. Anent this, CLMD will conduct the Crash Course in Writing Stories and Storyboarding for Self-Learning Modules (SLMs) and other Learning Resources (LRs) at the National Educators Academy of the Philippines-Region I (NEAP-R1) on July 21-26, 2025.

3. The activity intends to provide a functional understanding of writing stories, and storyboarding on the following:
- a. **Chapter books (novels)** for young adults, targeting learners from Grade 7-8 and 9-10, with at least 2 illustrations per chapter;
 - b. **Comics** based on DepEd literary canon (Ibong Adarna, Florante at Laura, Noli Me Tangere, El Filibusterismo) and contemporary topics;
 - c. **Illustrated bilingual/diglot thematic storybooks** for Grades 1-3 (gender and development, local tangibles) and 4-6 (disaster risk reduction management);
 - d. **Wordless thematic storybooks** for kindergarten (inclusion);
 - e. **Storytelling videos** with multimedia elements, told by teachers and parents;
 - f. **stories** written by elementary (friendships and family) and high school learners (self-discovery and community) for their peers, and
 - g. **poetry** written by elementary and high school children.

4. In view of the above, Schools Division Offices are requested to support this initiative by allowing personnel to attend the activity following the slot contained in Annex A of this memorandum. The personnel/coach who won in the 2024 Gawad Teodora Alonso (6th National Storybook Writing Competition) and other previous GTA-related activities are requested to participate.

5. Each Schools Division Office is expected to bring one (1) original sample work for each of the literary categories and subcategories mentioned in paragraph 3 of this memorandum. The original creators (writers, illustrators or both) of the samples are enjoined to participate.

6. All participants are requested to arrive on July 21, 2025 for the Opening Program that will start at exactly 4:00 PM. Since the activity requires outputs, the participants are expected to complete them towards the end of the last day's session on July 26.



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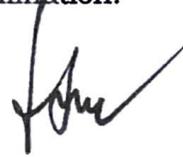
7. Meals, venue, accommodation, supplies and travel expenses of the participants shall be charged to FY 2025 GAA subject to the usual government accounting rules and regulations. Travel expenses of the participants will be downloaded to the Schools Division Offices thru the issuance of Sub-Allotment Release Order (SARO).

8. The first meal to be served is PM snacks on July 21, 2025, and the last meal will be lunch on July 26, 2025. The participants are encouraged to bring their own tumbler in compliance with the Regional Order No. 001, s. 2019 titled "Implementing Guidelines on the "No Plastic, No Styro" Policy During Trainings, Seminars, Workshops, Programs and other Related Activities of the Department of Education."

9. Compensatory Time – Off (CTO) shall be granted to participants if the activity falls on holiday, weekend, cancellation or suspension of classes and work in Government Offices due to typhoon, flooding, other weather disturbances, and calamities pursuant to the guidelines specified in CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 2 s. 2024 on Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Services Rendered whichever is appropriate and applicable.

10. For further queries or clarifications, please call the CLMD-LRMS through 072-682-2324 loc. 121 or email at lrmds.region1@deped.gov.ph.

11. For information, guidance and immediate dissemination.



TOLENTINO G. AQUINO
Director IV

Encl.: As stated
Reference: None
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Annex A: Updated Slot per Schools Division Office

SDO	SLOT			Writer of illustrated transitional chapter book	Writer and illustrator of comics	Writer of illustrated storybooks for Grades 1 to 3	Writer/illustrator of wordless storybooks for Kindergarten	Writer of illustrated children's stories based on specific themes	Team leader of live and recorded storytelling videos with multimedia elements	TOTAL
	GTA winners (Please see names below)	LRMS EPS	EPS (Filipino or English)							
Alaminos City	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13
Batac City		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Candon City		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Dagupan City	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11
Ilocos Norte		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	9
Ilocos Sur		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Laoag City		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
La Union		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	9
Pangasinan I	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	12
Pangasinan II		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	10
San Carlos City		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
San Fernando City		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Urdaneta City		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8
Vigan City		1	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	6
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*** Names of GTA Winners (National Level)**

Alaminos City	John Julius Campued	Writer
	Alma R. Tucay	Writer
	Shella May S. Perez	Illustrator
	Dan Dave P. Dubla	Illustrator
	Angelo C. Tala	Illustrator
Dagupan City	Dennis Evangelista	Writer and Illustrator
	Peter Vincent Quetulio	Writer
	Minerva Navarro	Writer
Pangasinan I	Joanne D. Peralta	Coach of Aira Jane Austria (learner)
	Jennifer G. Orlanda	Coach of Treselle Ann R. Macaraeg (learner)
	Rizal Allan Aquino	Coach of John Lawrence Calpito (learner)

*** Names of GTA Winners (National Level)**

SDO	Name	Role
Alaminos City	John Julious T. Campued	Writer
	Alma R. Tucay	Writer
	Shella May S. Perez	Illustrator
	Dan Dave P. Dubla	Illustrator
	Angelo C. Tala	Illustrator
Dagupan City	Dennis Evangelista	Writer and Illustrator
	Peter Vincent Quetulio	Writer
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Program Management Team/Technical Working Group	
Arlene A. Niro	Chief ES, CLMD
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Joselito Daguison	EPS-Filipino, Co-Focal
Johnson Sunga	EPS-English, Co-Focal
Nida Carbajal	Librarian II