



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

Division Memorandum
 No. 488, s. 2025

**DIVISION ORIENTATION-WORKSHOP ON THE IMPLEMENTATION
 OF THE ACADEMIC RECOVERY AND ACCESSIBLE LEARNING (ARAL) PROGRAM**

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

- In accordance with Republic Act No. 12028, otherwise known as the *Academic Recovery and Accessible Learning (ARAL) Program Act*, DepEd Order No. 18, s. 2025 on the *Implementing Guidelines of the ARAL Program*, and DepEd Memorandum No. 56, s. 2025 on the *Supplemental Guidelines for the Implementation of the ARAL School Readiness and Responsiveness Audit (ASRRA)*, the Schools Division Office shall conduct an Orientation-Workshop on the Division Implementation of the ARAL Program. This initiative, which serves as the umbrella program of the Department of Education for learning recovery, is a strategic response to persistent learning gaps in reading, mathematics, and science among learners from Kindergarten to Grade 10. It aims to institutionalize targeted and structured learning support, particularly for learners who are below the minimum proficiency level.
- The activity is scheduled on August 5–6, 2025. The specific venue will be announced in a separate memorandum.
- The orientation-workshop aims to:
 - orient school heads and teachers on the implementation guidelines of the ARAL Program; and
 - determine the readiness and responsiveness of schools in implementing the program using the ARAL School Readiness and Responsiveness Audit (ASRRA) tool.
- The participants are as follows:

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| Elementary School Heads | 18 |
| Secondary School Heads | 3 |
| Assistant Principals | 2 |
| Department Heads (English, Filipino, Math) | 3 |
| Education Program Supervisors | 10 |
| ARAL Program School Focal Persons | 26 |
| PMT and TWG Members | 11 |
| Total | 73 |





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5. All participants are required to bring their Beginning of School Year (BOSY) assessment data in CRLA, RMA, and Phil-IRI, approved class programs for SY 2025-2026 including laptop and extension cord for use during the workshop sessions.
6. Meals (AM/PM snacks and lunch) for two days shall be charged against the BEC Fund subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
7. Participation in this activity is compulsory. School heads must ensure that designated representatives attend and actively engage in all sessions.
8. This memorandum shall serve as the locator slip of all participants.
9. Attached is the Program Matrix for reference and guidance.
10. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.


VILMA D. EDA, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: As stated

Reference: RA 12028; DO 18, s. 2025; DM 56, s. 2025

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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| Program Focal Person: | Nelson A. Robinol, EPS-English Pelagio F. Cardenas, EPS-Math |
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| <i>In-Charge: ARAL Program Division TWG</i> | |
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| DAY 2: Planning and Implementation | |
| 8:00 - 8:10 AM | MOL - In-Charge, PMT |
| 8:10 - 9:00 AM | Workshop 1: Initial Audit of School Readiness and Responsiveness to Implement the ARAL Program In-Charge: PMT |
| 9:00 - 10:00 AM | Overview of Available Learning Resources for ARAL Program <i>Facilitator: Rommel R. Rabo</i> |
| 10:00 - 10:15 AM | HEALTH BREAK |
| 10:15 - 12:00 | Workshop 2: Planning the ARAL Implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Calendar• Class Program <i>In-Charge, PMT</i> |
| 12:00 - 1:00 PM | LUNCH BREAK |
| 1:00 - 1:30 PM | Sharing of Outputs and Feedback <i>In-Charge, PMT</i> |
| 1:30 - 3:00 PM | Workshop 3: Drafting ARAL Action Plan <i>Facilitator: Peter John A. Frial</i> |
| 3:00 - 3:15 PM | HEALTH BREAK |
| 3:15 - 4:30 PM | Presentation and Critiquing of Outputs <i>In-Charge: PMT</i> |
| 4:30 - 5:00 PM | Closing Program |

