



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region VII, Central Visayas
DIVISION OF TAGBILARAN CITY
City of Tagbilaran



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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
NO. 262, s. 201

**CREATION OF A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW AND REVISE POLICIES ON
EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIPS**

TO: All Division Chiefs, Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisor
Public and Private Elementary and Secondary School Principals,
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 67, s. 2017 dated March 7, 2017 all public elementary and secondary schools are instructed to observe a moratorium as guided by DepEd Order Nos. 56, s. 2001, 51, s. 2002 and 53, s. 2003 in relation to the conduct of educational field trips.

2. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 47, s. 2007 otherwise known as Moratorium on DepEd Educational Field Trips and Other Similar Activities issued on March 9, 2017, the DepEd is creating a Technical Working Group (TWG) composed of the following bureaus and services:

Chairman	:	Undersecretary for Planning and Field Operations
Co-Chair	:	Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction
Members	:	Planning Service (PS) Bureau of Learner Support Services (BLSS) Bureau of Curriculum Development (BCD) Bureau of Learning Delivery (BLD) Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) Association of DepEd Directors (ADD) Philippine Association of Schools Superintendents (PASS) COCOPEA Representative

Technical Secretariat : Policy Research and Development Division (PRDD)

3. The TWG is instructed to convene immediately to review and revise all related policies on educational field trip,

- Alignment of field trips and other co-curricular activities with that of DepEd's priorities;
- Ensuring the security and safety of learners; and
- Reinforcing the responsibilities and accountabilities not only of schools, but also of parents, and of other relevant government agencies and external partners.

4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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