



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VII - CENTRAL VISAYAS
DIVISION OF CITY SCHOOLS - TAGBILARAN CITY

**Office of the Schools Division
Superintendent**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 849 , s. 2026

October 13, 2026

**ORIENTATION ON THE LANGUAGE MAPPING PROCESS FOR KEY STAGE 1 AND
CONSULTATIVE AND COORDINATION MEETING WITH PRIVATE SCHOOL HEADS ON
THE IMPLEMENTATION OF LiNK AND OTHER DEPED PROGRAMS**

To: All Private Elementary School Principals
All Others Concerned

1. In line with the Department of Education's commitment to strengthening Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education (MTB-MLE) and ensuring the effective implementation and monitoring of key educational programs, this Office, through the Curriculum Implementation Division, shall conduct an Orientation on the Language Mapping Process for Key Stage 1 and a Consultative and Coordination Meeting with Private School Heads on the Implementation of the Literacy and Numeracy Knowledge Assessment (LiNK) and Other DepEd Programs on October 16-17, 2026, at BODARE Pension House, Dao District, Tagbilaran City.
2. This activity is designed to:
 - a. explain language mapping procedures and their role in MTB-MLE implementation
 - b. guide schools in preparing accurate language profiles of learners to support informed instructional planning;
 - c. provide updates and clarify guidelines on the implementation, administration, and monitoring of LiNK and other DepEd programs in private schools; and
 - d. strengthen coordination and collaboration between the Division Office and private schools to ensure the effective delivery of quality education services.
3. **School Heads** are expected to attend the meeting on the implementation of LiNK and other DepEd programs on **October 16, 2026, at 1:30 PM**, while the **Reading Coordinator or a Key Stage 1 teacher** shall attend the orientation on the Language Mapping Process for Key Stage 1 on **October 17, 2026**.
4. Expenses for the food and snacks during the activity shall be charged against the **Division Early Language Literacy and Numeracy** funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
5. A Compensatory Time-Off (CTO) for non-teaching personnel and Service Credits for teachers shall be granted in recognition of work on a weekend in accordance with CSC and DBM Circular No. 2, 2004.
6. Please **refer to the attached activity matrix**.
7. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

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Venue : BODARE PENSION HOUSE

Time	Day 1 October 16, 2026	Day 2 October 17, 2026
7:45 - 8:15		REGISTRATION
8:16 - 8:45		Opening Program
8:46 -10:00		Session 1: The Role of Language in Education: Starting from Where the Learners Are <i>F1: Beatriz E. Incog</i> <i>F2: Farrah Estose</i>
10:01- 10:30		Session 2: Understanding D.O No. 35s. 2025 and Its Implication to Learning Delivery <i>F1: Beatriz E. Incog</i> <i>F2: Farrah Estose</i>
10:31- 10:45		HEALTH BREAK
10:46- 12:00		Session 3: The Primer 1: Resources in Learning the Language <i>F1: Marlyn D. Baluca</i> <i>F2: Farrah Estose</i>
12:01- 1:00		NOON BREAK
1:01 – 1:30	REGISTRATION	Session 3A: Strengthening Language Identification Tool (LIT) the DepEd Memorandum <i>F1: Hazel Mae Baliguian</i> <i>F2: Beatriz E. Incog</i> Session 3B : Strengthening Language Identification Tool (LIT) Test Administration Protocol <i>F1: Farrah Estose</i> <i>F2: Hazel Mae Baliguian</i> LIT Simulation <i>F1: Farrah Estose</i> <i>F2: Hazel Mae Baliguian</i>
1:31 – 2:00	Meeting Proper	
2:01- 3:00		
3:01 – 4:00		
4:01- 4:30		Session 4 : Future Directions and Action Planning <i>F1: Marlyn D. Baluca</i> <i>F2: Farrah Estose</i>
4:30- 5:00		Closing Program

