

Republic of the Philippines **Department of Education** REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO SCHOOLS DIVISION OF EL SALVADOR CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

April 28, 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM NO. 143, s. 2021

DESIGNATION OF SCHOOL INFORMATION COORDINATORS

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chief, CID and SGOD Education Program Supervisors/PSDS Elementary and Secondary School Heads All Others Concerned

1. In compliance with DepEd Memorandum No. 17, s. 2021, all schools are directed to designate their School Information Coordinators (SIC) as counterparts of the Information Officers at the division and regional levels.

2. School Heads are required to submit the names and contact details of their SICs to <u>cid.elsalvadorcity@deped.gov.ph</u> on or before 3p.m. today using the Form (in WORD Format) enclosed in the cited memorandum. The duties and functions of SICs are also specified in that memorandum.

3. Dr. Helen E. Maasin, the Division Information Officer shall consolidate and submit the list to the Regional Office via pau.region10@deped.gov.ph.

4. For strict compliance.

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Republic of the Philippines **Department of Education** REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAG

Office of the Regional Director

April 14, 2021

DEPARTMENT

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No. <u>/66</u>, s. 2021

DESIGNATION OF SCHOOL INFORMATION COORDINATORS

To: Schools Division Superintendents All Others Concerned

1. Through the attached DepEd Memorandum No. 17, s. 2021, DepEd Central Office (CO) is directing all DepEd schools to designate their School Information Coordinators (SICs) as counterparts of the information officers at the regional and divisional levels.

2. The designation shall be recommended by the school head/principal to the Schools Division Superintendents (SDSs) for approval.

3. Following the template below **(WORD format)**, the Divisional Information Officers (DIOs) shall consolidate and submit their lists to the Regional Office (RO) via <u>pau.region10@deped.gov.ph</u> not later than **April 30** for consolidation and submission to the CO:

Name	School	Division, Disctrict	Contact Details
1.			a. E-mail b. Mobile Number c. Office Landline Number d. Facebook Account e. Others
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REGION X SCHOOL INFORMATION COORDINATORS

4. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Republic of the Philippines Department of Education

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No. 017

DESIGNATION OF SCHOOL INFORMATION COORDINATORS

To: Regional Directors Schools Division Superintendents Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) issues this DepEd Memorandum titled **Designation of School Information Coordinators (SICs)**. An SIC shall be designated in every public elementary, secondary, and senior high school nationwide as counterparts of the Division and Regional Information Officers.

2. The Department fully recognizes the importance of SICs in ensuring that communications convergence are coordinated and strengthened from the schools to the national level.

3. The designated SICs shall be tasked to:

- a. Assist and act as focal persons in verifying and addressing issues and concerns raised by the public and the media involving their school or area;
- b. Facilitate the conduct of verification of information based on protocols, data privacy, integrity and confidentiality;
- c. Facilitate the communication of any untoward incidents in their respective areas, and submit a detailed report within 24 hours to DepEd Central Office (CO) Public Affairs Service (PAS) copy furnished their respective regional and schools division offices;
- d. Provide updates to the schools division, region or CO that may be referred to in media releases to national media;
- e. Support their respective schools, schools division, and regional offices in responding to media queries on local issues;
- f. Coordinate with the schools division, regional or CO to request for official statements on existing issues;
- g. Perform duties and responsibilities related to DepEd Public Affairs programs, projects, and activities; and
- h. Perform other tasks related to the efficient communication, documentation and dissemination of information to DepEd CO and vice versa.
- 4. The designated SICs should be:
 - a. Holding a teaching or non-teaching position in the school;
 - b. At least two or three years employed in DepEd;
 - c. Able to communicate and write well, and have good public relations skills; and
 - d. Able to respond to issues and concerns requested by the schools division, regional, or the Central Office.

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5. The designation of a teacher to perform as School Information Coordinator shall be recommended by the school head to the Schools Division Superintendent (SDS) for approval.

6. The SDS, through the Division Information Officer, is requested to submit the enclosed form with the name of the designated School Information Coordinator to the Regional Information Officer, copy furnished the DepEd Public Affairs Service through email at pas.od@deped.gov.ph not later than **May 15, 2021**.

7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

LEONOR MAGTOLIS BRIONES

Secretary



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References:

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DepEd Order No. 99, s. 2010 DepEd Memorandum Nos.: 145, s. 2005; 219, s. 2012; and 72, s. 2013)

To be indicated in the <u>Perpetual Index</u> under the following subjects:

> BUREAUS AND OFFICES OFFICIALS MEDIA POLICY PROGRAMS PROJECTS SERVICE TEACHERS

JDMC/SMMA/APA/MPC, <u>DM Designation of School Information Coordinators</u> 0059 – February 24/March 22, 2021 (Enclosure to DepEd Memorandum No. 017, s. 2021)

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Designation of School Information Coordinator (SIC)

Name:					
Position:					
School and District:					
Contact details (mobile, email, FB account):					
SIGNATURE:					
RECOMMENDED by Principal or School Head:					
APPROVED by PSDS or SDS					

Note: Please send this Form to Division Information Officers for consolidation. The DIOs will send the consolidated list of SICs to regional office. The RIOs will send the consolidated list of SICs to PAS, Central Office (<u>pas.od@deped.gov.ph</u>) following this format:

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Name	School	District	Contact Details (email, mobile, landline, fb account, etc.)
1.			
2.			
3.			