



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

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**Office of the Schools Division Superintendent**

17 August 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
NO. 311, s. 2021

**26<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL POSTER MAKING CONTEST FOR CITIZENS' DISASTER  
RESPONSECENTER FOUNDATION, INC.**

To: **Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief, Schools Governance and Operations Division  
Chief, Curriculum Implementation Division  
All Public and Private Elementary School Heads  
All Others Concerned**  
This Division

1. Pursuant to Regional Advisory 82, s.2021 *Re: Call for Participation on the 26th Annual Poster Making Contest of Citizens' Disaster Response Center Foundation, Inc. Re: Apoy, Bagyo, Kalamidad: Dibuhong Pambata (ABKD 2021)*, this Office hereby encourage the field to participate on the said activity.
2. This event serves as the venue for the children to show their creativity and artistic talent and express their views and concerns on disaster-related issues.
3. Further, there are two categories with different themes in this contest: Category A (7-9 years old) and Category B (10-12 years old). Attached are copies of the invitation and the mechanics of the contest.
4. Moreover, the deadline for the submission of the entries will be until September 25, 2021.





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5. This Office shall adhere to the Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP) in observing all policies and guidelines. Hence, all actions shall be based solely on guidelines set with no discrimination on the account of age, gender identity, sexual orientation, civil status, disability, religion, ethnicity, or political affiliation.
  
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is enjoined.

**OLGA C. ALONSABE, Ph.D., CESE**  
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
OIC, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Encls: As stated

Reference: RA 82, s.2021

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July 15, 2021

**DR. ARTURO BAYOCOT**  
Regional Director  
Department of Education-Region X

Dear Dr. Bayocot,

Warm greetings from CDRC!

As part of its advocacy to create and raise awareness on disaster preparedness, the Citizens' Disaster Response Center Foundation, Inc. has been conducting its annual poster-making contest APOY BAGYO KALAMIDAD: DIBUHONG PAMBATA (ABKD) since 1986. Children ages 7-12 years old may participate by submitting their artworks, with the view of generating children's perspectives on disaster preparedness. ABKD entries received each year come from at least 500 children from around the Philippines.

In this regard, we once again seek your assistance in the dissemination of information and promotional materials about the ABKD contest to all public schools under your jurisdiction.

ABKD has been supported by different international organizations like the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), Foundation for the Philippine Environment (FPE), and Diakonie Katastrophenhilfe (DKH), among others.

CDRC is a non-stock non-profit non-government organization duly registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at (02)929-9820.

Thank you very much and more power to you.

Sincerely,



Sharlene Lopez  
Executive Director



In recognition of children's capacity to take active part in the advocacy of disaster-related issues, the Citizens' Disaster Response Center Foundation, Inc. (CDRC) is staging its 26<sup>th</sup> annual poster-making contest "**APOY, BAGYO, KALAMIDAD: DIBUHONG PAMBATA**" or **ABKD 2021**. Since 1996, ABKD has served as a venue for children to show their creativity and artistic talent, as well as express their views and concerns on disaster-related issues.

#### CONTEST MECHANICS

1. Think of ways you can help your community reduce the risks of disasters. Express your ideas in a poster.
2. Choose only **ONE** theme per artwork in your category.

| Category A<br>(7-9 years old)                                  | Category B<br>(10-12 years old) |
|--|---------------------------------|
| Floods/Typhoons  | Drought                         |
| Volcanic Eruption/Lahar  | Fishkill/Red Tide               |
| Earthquake   | Infestation                     |
| Fire   | Epidemic                        |
| Landslide  | War/Armed Conflict              |
| Environmental Destruction due to mining, illegal logging, etc. | Climate Change                  |

#### POSTER DETAILS

1. Use any medium. Design should be drawn on a ¼ (20"x15") illustration board.
2. Indicate category and disaster type.
3. Put titles and captions.
4. Contest entries should be covered in plastic upon submission.

#### SUBMIT ENTRY WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

|      |                |                |               |
|------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| Name | Name of School | Address        | Title of Work |
| Age  | Grade Level    | Contact Number |               |

#### SEND TO:

Citizens' Disaster Response Center Foundation, Inc.  
72-A Times St., West Triangle Homes, Quezon City  
Mobile No. 0968-723-6190

#### WINNERS

Two (2) major prize winners and four winners from each category will be selected. Winner will be informed through phone or letter, and will be awarded in an online event (date to be announced). Major prize winners will get P5,000 each. Other winners will receive P1,000 each. Prizes not claimed within six (6) months will be forfeited. Winning posters shall become CDRC property and will be featured in the 2020 CDRC Calendar and other promotional materials. Non-winning entries can be reclaimed at the CDRC office. Entries not claimed within 60 days after the announcement of winners shall be considered donations to CDRC.

#### CONTEST LIMITS

Each participant can submit a maximum of two (2) entries.  
Two-time winners of previous ABKD competitions can no longer join.  
Posters that have won or have been submitted to other contests will not be accepted.

**DEADLINE OF SUBMISSION: SEPTEMBER 25, 2021**