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Department of Education
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF EL SALVADOR CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
NO. 493, s. 2021

**PARTICIPATION IN THE 3RD NATIONAL SUMMIT ON THE RIGHT OF
THE CHILD IN EDUCATION**

To: **Project Development Officer I**
All Public and Private Elementary School Heads
All Public and Private Secondary School Heads
All Guidance Advocate Coordinators
All School Teachers
Junior and Senior High School Students
All Others Concerned
This Division

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum 80, s.2021 *Re: Third National Summit on the Rights of the Child in Education*, this Office hereby informs the field to participate in this Summit with theme “Batang May K: Karapatan ng Bata sa Edukasyon, Katuwang ang Lahat sa Pagsulong!” on November 25-26, 2021 at 1:00 – 4:00 P.M. via Zoom online platform.
2. This Summit will provide a seminal opportunity to discuss the rights-based education (RBE) framework of DepEd, its newly-created Child Rights in Education Desk and its work, initiatives and effects of DepEd on child rights, distance and limited face to face education during the COVID-19 Pandemic, and opportunities and points for collaboration among stakeholders of child right in education.
3. Further, participants of this activity are the School heads, Guidance Advocates Coordinator, School Teacher, Junior and Senior High School Students and Parents/Guardians. Please refer to Enclosure 1.





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4. Moreover, participants of this summit shall register through this link: <https://tinyurl.com/ThirdNationalSummit>. The participants will be provided the links to the Zoom meetings for the Summit once they are registered via Google form. All others are invited to watch the summit, which will also be livestreamed on the DepEd Philippines Facebook page and other social media pages. Please refer to Enclosure 2 and 3.
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.

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OIC, Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

Encls:

As stated

Reference:

DepEd Memorandum No. 80, s.2021

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

SGOD/YFD/jee 3rd NATIONAL SUMMIT
CHILD RIGHT
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• Office of the Assistant Secretary for Curriculum and Instruction	2
• Office of the Undersecretary for Planning, Field Operations, and Human Resources and Organizational Development	2
• Office of the Undersecretary for Field Operations and Human Resources and Organizational Development (Personnel and Employee Welfare)	2
• Office of the Undersecretary for Finance	2
• Office of the Assistant Secretary for Finance	2
• Office of the Undersecretary for Administration	2
• Office of the Assistant Secretary for Procurement and Administration	2
• Office of the Assistant Secretary for Legal Affairs	2
• Office of the Undersecretary for Legislative Affairs	2
• Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs Service and Alternative Learning System	2
<i>Bureaus and Services</i>	
• Office of the Secretary	
○ Teacher Education Council Secretariat	2
○ International Cooperation Office	2
○ Literacy Coordinating Council Secretariat	2
• Curriculum and Instruction	
○ Bureau of Curriculum Development	
▪ Office of the Director	2
▪ Curriculum Standards Development Division	2
▪ Special Curricular Programs Division	2
○ Bureau of Learning Delivery	
▪ Office of the Director	2
▪ Teaching and Learning Division	2
▪ Student Inclusion Division	2
○ Bureau of Learning Resources	

▪ Office of the Director	2
• Governance and Operations	
○ Bureau of Human Resource and Organizational Development	
▪ Office of the Director	2
▪ Human Resource Development Division	2
▪ Organization Effectiveness Division	2
▪ Personnel Division	2
▪ School Effectiveness Division	2
○ Bureau of Learner Support Services	
▪ Office of the Director	2
▪ School Health Division	2
▪ School Sports Division	2
▪ Youth Formation Division	2
○ National Educators Academy of the Philippines	2
○ Project Management Service	
▪ Project Development Division	2
▪ Project Management Division	2
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○ Administrative Service	
▪ Office of the Director	2
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○ Finance Service	
▪ Office of the Director	2
▪ Budget Division	2
○ Procurement Management Service	
▪ Office of the Director	2
• Legal Affairs	
○ Legal Service	
▪ Office of the Director	2
▪ Investigation Division Chief and Assistant Chief	2
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○ Information and Communications Technology Service	2
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▪ Office of the Director	2
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Policy Research and Development Division 	2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Public Affairs Service 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Communications Division 	2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Publications Division 	2
Regional Office (3 representatives per Regional Office)	48
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Regional Offices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Regional Director or Assistant Regional Director ○ Lawyer/Legal Unit ○ Education Support Services Division (ESSD) Chiefs 	
Bangsamoro Autonomous Region of Muslim Mindanao Ministry of Basic, Higher and Technical Education	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minister • Assistant Secretary for Academics • Lawyer/Legal Section 	
Schools and Schools Division Office (1 per Schools Division Office)	223
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very Large Divisions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Schools Division Superintendent or Assistant Schools Division Superintendent • Large Divisions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lawyer/Legal Unit • Medium Divisions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ School Governance Operations Division Chief • Small Divisions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ School head/Guidance counselor/Classroom teacher 	
Children-Learners	200
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior and Senior High School students from public and private schools, including children-learners from Alternative Learning Systems centers and from other sectors 	
Parents/Guardians	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parents/guardians of the children-learner participants • Members of the Parents-Teachers Association 	
Stakeholders	175
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Government agencies • Civil society/non-government/international organizations • Private schools • Academe • Professional Organizations • Associations 	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Industry/business sector ● Creative Industry ● Media/internet marketers 	
Summit Teams	149
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Resource speakers ● Facilitators/moderators ● Documenters ● Hosts/Moderators ● Secretariat 	
TOTAL	1000



**3rd National Summit on the Rights of the Child in Education
TENTATIVE PROGRAM AS OF NOVEMBER 5, 2021**

Pre-Summit Conference with Children and Learners November 19, 2021 (Friday) 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM	
Time	Activity
12:30 PM- 1:00 PM	Registration and entry of participants in Zoom meeting Host and Youth Moderator
1:00 PM – 1:10 PM	Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Objectives of the Third National Summit on the Rights of the Child in Education• Objectives of the Pre-Summit Conference with Children and Learners
1:10 PM – 1:20 PM	Looking Back at the Pre-Summit Conference with Children for the Second Summit in November 2020
1:20 PM - 1:25 PM	Video on Rights-Based Education (RBE)
1:25 PM – 1:40 PM	Activity related to RBE
1:40 PM – 2:00 PM	Plenary Session 1: Rights-Based Education in DepEd <i>This session aims to enrich the understanding of learners of RBE in DepEd, and how it is vital in the exercise of their rights. This session is meant to be interactive with learners, using apps such as Mentimeter.</i> Speaker: Atty. Gil Anthony E. Aquino, CREDe
2:00 PM – 2:20 PM	Plenary Session 2: Creation of the Child Rights in Education Desk (CREDe) and Child Protection Unit (CPU) <i>This session aims to inform the participants on the creation of CREDe and CPU, the roles and responsibilities of the offices, and their mandates.</i> Speakers: CREDe and CPU
2:20 PM – 2:25 PM	Intermission Number from Learners (Tik Tok Videos on Child Rights in Education)

<p>2:25 PM – 2:30 PM</p>	<p>Explanation on the design of the Third National Summit on the Rights of the Child in Education and the Pre-Summit Conference Breakout Sessions</p> <p><i>During this session, the design of the Third National Summit will be explained to the children-learners to elicit their inputs during the ensuing break-out session. The children-learners will be informed that they will be divided into fifteen (15) breakout groups where they will be engaging in child-led discussions about the guide questions. The groupings will mix representatives from different regions, sectors, and backgrounds to balance out the number of members in a group while ensuring that all sectors are represented in the sharing in the Pre-Summit plenary session and in the Summit proper. Each group will be assigned a particular dimension of the RBE in DepEd – right to access, right to quality and right to respect in the learning environment – to ensure that all the dimensions are covered. All groups will also be given guide questions pertaining to all the dimensions of RBE.</i></p>
<p>2:30 PM – 3:30 PM</p>	<p>Breakout Group Sessions: Input Gathering Session with Children and Learners</p> <p><i>The following are the guide questions:</i></p> <p><i>Each group will focus on the rights in the RBE dimension (access, quality, respect in the learning environment) assigned to the group -</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>1) What particular right of the child in education would you like to be highlighted in the Third National Summit?</i> <i>2) What are your good experiences and difficulties in the exercise of your child rights in education before and during this time of the pandemic?</i> <p><i>All groups will answer the following questions considering all the dimensions of RBE –</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>3) Can you identify and describe a school/learning center that is a model or exemplar in terms of the exercise and enjoyment of the rights of the child in education?</i> <i>4) What are your recommendations or suggestions to the DepEd, government agencies, NGOs, and other sectors in society to further uphold the various rights of the child in education?</i> <i>5) If you would ask one question to Secretary Liling Briones, what would it be?</i>

	<p>Five (5) Groups: Right to Access to Education Youth Moderators Documenters Facilitators</p> <p>Five (5) Groups: Right to Quality Education Youth Moderators Documenters Facilitators</p> <p>Five (5) Groups: Right to Respect in the Learning Environment Youth Moderators Documenters Facilitators</p> <p><i>Children may decide to use in-Zoom features, chatbox or Whiteboard as they engage in dialogue. Afterwards, children will nominate a representative (1 per group) to share the group's selected question to the Pre-Summit plenary.</i></p>
3:30 PM – 3:45 PM	Plenary Session: Sharing of Outputs from Breakout Sessions
3:45 PM – 3:55 PM	<p>Activity: RBE and Symbols</p> <p><i>The children will be asked to choose an object that symbolizes the rights-based education that they learned from the Pre-Summit Conference. Three children will be requested to share to the plenary their choice of symbol.</i></p>
3:55 PM – 4:00 PM	Closing Session: Reminders and Instructions for the Summit
<p>Summit Day 1 November 25, 2021 (Thursday) 1:00 PM- 4:00 PM</p>	
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM	<p>Registration of Participants</p> <p>Hosts of the Summit</p>
1:00 PM – 1:05 PM	<p>National Anthem Interfaith Invocation</p> <p>Regional Director Ramir B. Uytico, DepEd Region VI</p>
1:10 PM – 1:25 PM	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Atty. Josephine G. Maribojoc</p>

	<p>Undersecretary for Legal Affairs</p> <p><i>The Opening Remarks will provide the following:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Objectives of the Summit b. Contextualization of the Summit in relation to the 2021 National Children's Month and the First and Second National Summits on the Rights of the Child in Education c. Report on the policies, programs, projects, and activities of DepEd in relation to the rights of the child in education and the recommendations from the Second Summit d. Statement of Commitment and Support of DepEd to Rights-Based Education in DepEd
1:25 PM – 1:40 PM	Report of the Children on the Output of the Pre-Summit Conference with Children (Pre-recorded videos of selected learners)
1:40 PM – 1:45 PM	Video Messages from Learners on the Exercise and Enjoyment of their Rights in Education
1:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Plenary Session 1: Rights-Based Education in DepEd Speaker: DepEd
2:00 PM – 2:05 PM	Intermission Number: Video of an RBE Exemplar School with support of the LGU (whole-of-school approach)
2:05 PM – 2:20 PM	Plenary Session 2: DepEd's Commitment to Uphold the Rights of the Child in Education <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. DepEd Order No. 3, s. 2021, creating the Child Protection Unit and Child Rights in Education Desk 2. The Child Rights in Education Policy <p>Speakers: Atty. Gil Anthony E. Aquino and CPU</p>
2:20 PM – 2:25 PM	Video on RBE in DepEd (with whole-of-society perspective)
2:25 PM – 2:55 PM	Plenary Session 3: Statements of Commitment (Whole-of-Society Approach) <p><i>This session aims to gather statements of commitment and support to RBE in DepEd from relevant stakeholders to emphasize that it requires the commitment and support of the whole society for children to realize their rights in the context of basic education.</i></p>

	<p>Statements of Commitment and Support to the Implementation of RBE in DepEd in Normal Times and During the COVID-19 Pandemic</p> <p>Statements of Commitment and Support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Office of the President ● Senate, Committee on Basic Education, Arts, and Culture ● House of Representatives, Committee on Basic Education and Culture ● Supreme Court ● Department of Foreign Affairs (Philippine Mission to Geneva) ● Council for the Welfare of Children ● Commission on Human Rights ● LGUs, LCPC Consortium ● Private schools ● Parents, National PTA Association
2:55 PM – 3:05 PM	Intermission Number
3:05 PM – 3:25 PM	<p>Statements of Commitment and Support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● UN Committee on the Rights of the Child (TBC) ● UNICEF Philippines ● Stairway Foundation, Inc. ● Save the Children Philippines ● Business ● Media ● Social Media
3:25 PM – 3:45 PM	Q&A Moderator
3:45 PM- 4:00 PM	<p>Wrap-up Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Synthesis for Day 1 ● Outlook for Day 2 ● Administrative Matters such as attendance and evaluation forms ● Reminders and instructions for Summit Day 2
<p>Summit Day 2 November 26, 2021 (Friday) 1:00PM – 4:00 PM</p>	
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM	<p>Registration of Participants</p> <p>Hosts of the Summit</p>

1:00 PM – 1:10 PM	<p>Opening Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recap of highlights from Day 1 and Opening Remarks for Day 2 Regional Director May B. Eclar, DepEd Region III Instructions for Day 2
1:10 PM – 1:40 PM	<p>Plenary Session 1: Panel Discussion on Rights-Based Education with a Whole-of-School Approach</p> <p>Panelists: School Principal Teacher Guidance Counsellor Student Government Parent/PTA LGU (Mayor) External Partner – UNICEF Facilitator - UNICEF</p>
1:40 PM – 1:45 PM	Break: Migration to Parallel Sessions/DepEd Videos
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	<p>Parallel Sessions for Zoom participants: Breakout Discussion Groups on Rights-Based Education</p> <p><i>The breakout discussion groups will start with a 10-min talk by an expert/resource person on the topic. Afterwards, the facilitators will moderate the discussions based on guide questions to be provided to each group.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>RBE Dimension 1: Right to Access to Education</u> <p>Parallel Session 1: Basic Education Participation: Enrollment and Completion</p> <p>Parallel Session 2: Finding and Enrolling Learners with Disabilities in Basic Education with Local Government Support</p> <p>Parallel Session 3: Access to Education in the COVID-19 pandemic</p> <u>RBE Dimension 2: The Right to Quality Education</u> <p>Parallel Session 4: Child Rights Education in the curriculum</p>

	<p>Parallel Session 5: Rights-based learning and assessment vis-à-vis the Mother Tongue-Based Multilingual Education</p> <p>Parallel Session 6: Quality of Learning in Distance and Blended Learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>RBE Dimension 3: The Right to Respect in the Learning Environment</u> <p>Parallel Session 7 Respect for Participation: Consultation Mechanisms for Children and Youth in Basic Education</p> <p>Parallel Session 8 Respect for Integrity: Child Protection (Bullying and Cybersafety)</p> <p>Parallel Session 9 Respect for Identity: Addressing Discrimination in the Learning Environment</p>
2:30 PM to 2:50 PM (2 minutes each)	Sharing of Outputs from Breakout Groups
2:50 PM - 2:55 PM	<i>Batang May K</i> Awards: Contest Mechanics for Exemplar Schools/Learning Centers on RBE
2:55 PM to 3:40 PM	<p>Plenary Session: <i>Batang May K: Kwentuhan Kasama si Lola Liling at mga Mag-aaral</i></p> <p>Panel: DepEd Secretary with ManCom/Execom Moderator, Youth Moderator Learners</p>
3:40 PM – 3:50 PM	Keynote Message with Statement of Commitment and Support to RBE in DepEd by Secretary Leonor Magtolis Briones
3:50 PM to 4:00 PM	Mission and Vision Statement of CREDe Closing Remarks with Collective Recitation of <i>Panatang Makabata</i>
4:00 PM	Sign-off



ADVISORY FOR CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

Third National Summit on the Rights of the Child in Education

Via ZOOM

Schedule: November 25-26, 2021 (Summit Proper); 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Online Platform: Zoom Online

Check-in: 12:30 PM for both November 25-26, 2021

Important Reminders:

1. This Virtual Conference uses the Zoom platform. **All participants are required to create a Zoom account and be logged-in to enter the Zoom session** for security purposes. Visit this link to create a Zoom account: [Free Sign up - Zoomzoom.us › freesignup](https://zoom.us/join)
2. If you will be using a PC/laptop, please download or update to **Zoom version 5.7 or higher**. If you will be using a mobile device, please download the **Zoom Mobile App 5.7 or higher** from the App Store (Apple) or Google Play Store (Android). Due to the presence of 1000 participants, **all participants require Zoom version 5.7 or higher in order to be assigned to breakout rooms. Please download Zoom at least one day prior to the event.** Visit this link from the mobile device or computer you will use on the day of the conference to download and install the Zoom plugin: <https://zoom.us/support/download>
3. Use this link to test your mobile device/computer to ensure it works with Zoom: <https://zoom.us/test>. Be sure you are connected to a reliable internet connection during the test.
4. For security purposes, a waiting room will be set up and only representatives registered through the Google form will be permitted to enter the Zoom session. The participants need to **log in to Zoom by 12:30 p.m. and remain present in the waiting room** in order to ensure ample time to admit each individual into the Zoom session.
5. For technical issues/difficulties, please contact Mr. Kristan Gabriel Villalon of CREDe under the Office of the Undersecretary for Legal Affairs at kristan.villalon@deped.gov.ph.