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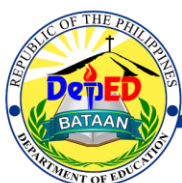
September 8, 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 412, s. 2021

**SCHOOL OPENING AMID THE DECLARATION OF MODIFIED ENHANCED
COMMUNITY QUARANTINE (MECQ) IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN
FROM SEPTEMBER 8-30, 2021**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. In accordance with Resolution No. 136-F of the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases approved by the President, the Province of Bataan has been placed under Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine from September 8-30, 2021.
2. Relative to school opening on September 13, 2021, this Office ensures the continuation of education as embodied in the Basic Education- Learning Continuity Operational Plan (BE-LCOP) of SDO Bataan but with adjusted activities.
3. In consideration of the said quarantine classification, this Office and the schools within its jurisdiction, shall remain operational but only with Skeleton Workforce (SWF) on-site and the remainder on work-from-home (WFH) arrangement. School heads shall submit the composition of the SWF to this Office for approval.
4. Classes shall resume on September 13, 2021 using the blended learning modality. The distribution of Self-Learning Modules to the parents shall push through with strict observance of health protocols ensuring one-time distribution of Quarter 1 modules.
5. In addition, students can access learning materials and modules online. The DepEd Commons and DepEd Learning Management System (LMS) can be accessed by the teachers, learners and parents using DepEd email and Name of School, respectively. School ICT and LR Coordinators shall provide assistance to school heads, teachers, learners and parents in using the



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websites. Reports on Technical Assistance will be monitored by the Public Schools District Supervisors in each district.

6. For ease in communication and unhampered delivery of services amid the crisis, teachers were issued with DepEd sim cards with connectivity load which shall be used in teaching-learning delivery.
7. All teaching and non-teaching personnel are reminded of the strict observance of health protocols in the continued delivery of essential services.
8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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