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Department of Education

REGION III SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF BATAAN

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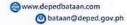
MOBILIZING SCIENTIFIC CURIOSITY AND INNOVATION THROUGH THE REGIONAL MOBILE SCIENCE INTERACTIVE CENTRUM

To: Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public and Private School Heads
All Others Concerned

- 1. In line with the Department of Education's commitment to strengthening Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) education and foster a culture of innovation, the Schools Division Office (SDO) of Bataan, in partnership with the Department of Science and Technology Region III (DOST3) and with the support of the Bataan Provincial Government through the Special Education Fund (SEF), shall implement the Regional Mobile Science Centrum (RMSC): Mobilizing Scientific Curiosity and Innovation Through the Regional Mobile Interactive Centrum on October 1–29, 2025 at Vista Mall, Roman Superhighway, Brgy. Cupang Proper, Balanga City, Bataan.
- 2. This initiative aims to bridge the gap between classroom-based instruction and real-world scientific exploration by providing students and teachers access to state-of-the-art, hands-on, and interactive science exhibits and activities. Specifically, the project seeks to:
 - a. Provide experiential, hands-on learning opportunities to deepen students' understanding of scientific concepts, stimulate curiosity, and promote lifelong learning;
 - b. Complement and enrich the K to 12 Science Curriculum through interactive exhibits that reinforce classroom-based instruction;
 - c. Cultivate higher-order thinking skills such as problem-solving, inquiry, and critical thinking through participation in scientific demonstrations and interactive learning sessions;
 - d. Ensure equitable access to the RMSC for learners and teachers from both public and private schools across the Division; and
 - e. Inspire future STEM careers by showcasing the relevance of science, technology, and innovation in addressing real-life challenges.
- 3. The Regional Mobile Interactive Science Centrum will feature interactive DOST science exhibits, Science Investigatory Project (SIP) presentations, robotics demonstrations, science learning sessions, division-level guiz bee competitions, and hands-on scientific experiments.
- 4. Participants include learners and teachers from Elementary to Senior High School levels. Private schools are likewise encouraged to actively participate to maximize the impact of this division-wide initiative.











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- 5. To ensure the smooth conduct of activities, the following must be strictly observed:
 - a) **Time-on-Task:** Activities must not compromise instructional time and must comply with DepEd Order (DO) No. 012, s. 2025 (Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar), DO No. 9, s. 2005 (Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task), and DO No. 66, s. 2017 (Policy on Off-Campus Activities).
 - b) **No Collection Policy:** Consistent with Republic Act No. 5546 (Ganzon Law), DO No. 19, s. 2008, and DepEd Memorandum No. 041, s. 2024, no fees, tickets, or contributions shall be collected from learners, teachers, or parents in connection with RMSC-related activities.
 - c) **Safety and Security:** School heads and activity organizers must ensure learner safety, proper supervision, and compliance with outdoor safety protocols.
- 6. Public Schools District Supervisors (PSDSs) shall facilitate scheduling of school visits, monitor attendance, and ensure compliance with DO No. 66, s. 2017 on the conduct of co-curricular and extra-curricular off-campus activities.
- 7. Expenses related to the conduct of the activities may be charged to local funds, School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE), or other available funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- 8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired

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Encls.: as stated

References: DO No. 012, s. 2025, DO No. 9, s. 2005, DO No. 66, s. 2017

DO No. 19, s. 2008, DM No. 041, s. 2024

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