



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF BATAAN

July 27, 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 349, s. 2026

**CONDUCT OF THE DEPED SCHOOLS SECURITY
FOLLOW-UP AUDIT**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary, Junior, and Senior High School Principals
All Others Concerned

1. In line with **Memorandum No. OM-OUGOPS-2026-01-02774** issued by the Department of Education, Office of the Undersecretary for Governance and Operations, the Schools Division of Bataan is hereby directed to take part in the **DepEd Schools Security Follow-Up Audit**. This activity is a continuation of the initial audit conducted earlier this year.
2. The purpose of this follow-up audit is to determine whether schools within the Division have undertaken improvements, augmentations, or other enhancements to their existing safety and security measures and facilities. It is essential to ensure that our schools remain safe havens for learners, teachers, and stakeholders.
3. Specifically, the audit aims to gather updated information on the current status of school security measures, document any changes since the initial audit, and verify compliance with DepEd standards on safety and security.
4. All **school heads** are required to accomplish the prescribed audit form through the official link: **<https://tinyurl.com/DepEd-SSA2>**. Submissions must be complete, accurate, and updated to reflect the present condition of each school.
5. The deadline for submission is **July 28, 2026 (Tuesday), at 5:00 PM**. Any late or incomplete submissions shall be considered non-compliant and may affect the Division's consolidated report to the Central Office.



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6. For clarifications or inquiries, schools may coordinate directly with the Office of the Undersecretary for Governance and Operations through email at **ouops@deped.gov.ph** or telephone at **(02) 8633-5313**. The Division Monitoring and Evaluation Section shall likewise extend assistance to school heads to ensure proper compliance.
7. This Memorandum shall take effect immediately upon issuance. All concerned are enjoined to give this matter their utmost attention and cooperation for the continued safety and security of our schools.
8. Immediate dissemination and strict compliance are hereby directed.


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Schools Division Superintendent 

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- School Security Audit
- Safety and Protection
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FOR : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
HEADS OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

FROM : **MALCOLM S. GARMA**
Undersecretary for Governance and Operations

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF THE DEPED SCHOOLS SECURITY FOLLOW-UP AUDIT**

DATE : July 27, 2026

Following the conduct of the initial DepEd Schools Security Audit, this Office shall conduct the **DepEd Schools Security Follow-Up Audit** to determine whether schools have undertaken improvements, augmentations, or other enhancements to their existing safety and security measures and facilities.

The follow-up audit seeks to gather updated information on the current status of security measures in public schools and to document any changes made since the completion of the initial audit. To support a more complete assessment of school security conditions, the audit instrument has likewise been refined to capture additional information relevant to the Department's continuing monitoring efforts. The information gathered shall serve as basis for tracking progress and identifying schools that may require further support in strengthening their safety and security measures.

School heads are hereby directed to accomplish the prescribed **DepEd Schools Security Audit (Follow-Up Audit)** and ensure the submission of complete, accurate, and updated information **no later than July 28, 2026, at 5:00 PM.** Regional and Schools Division Offices are likewise directed to provide the necessary assistance and monitor compliance with this undertaking.

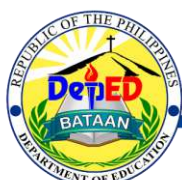
The **DepEd Schools Security Audit (Follow-Up Audit)** may be accessed through the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/DepEd-SSA2>

For inquiries or further coordination, you may contact the Office of the Undersecretary for Governance and Operations through email at ouops@deped.gov.ph or via telephone at (02) **8633-5313**.



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