



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII – EASTERN VISAYAS
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF TACLOBAN CITY

February 3, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 106, s. 2025


SCHEDULE OF THE 2025 REGIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (RFOT)

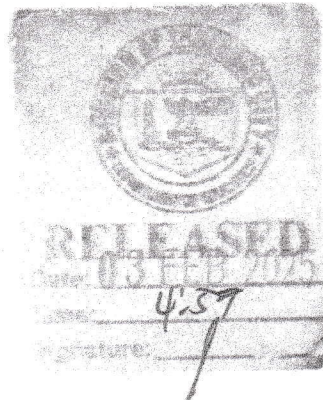
TO: Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary, Secondary, and Integrated School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to Regional Memorandum No. 050, s. 2025, Addendum to Regional Memorandum No. 017, s. 2025, re: Schedule of the Regional Festival of Talents, this office, through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID), the 2025 Regional Festival of Talents (RFOT) with the theme is "Soaring Futures: Honing Talents, Celebrating Skills" on February 16-19, 2025 at Borongan City, announces the SDO Tacloban City will be billeted at Lalawigan Central Elementary School, Brgy. Lalawigan, Borongan City, Eastern Samar.
2. A Registration Fee of Php 500.00 in cash or check shall be collected per contestants and coach to augment the downloaded funds from the DepEd Central Office which may be charged to the Division/ School Local Funds/MOOE, Special Education Fund (SEF), or other eligible sources of funds, subject to the applicable accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
3. Regional qualifiers of learner-contestants and teacher-coaches to regional activities shall adhere to the **No Disruption of Classes Policy** as stated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005. Also, all learner-contestants are advised to secure their parental consent, parental consent form for emergency medical treatment and procedures, photocopy of livebirth, certification, school ID, bring their own materials, ingredients, and other things needed for their assigned contest category based from the contextualized contest guidelines. Their outputs shall be brought home after the contest. Also, teacher-coaches shall bring their employee/valid ID.
4. The contestants and coaches who will stay in the billeting school are advise also to bring their own beddings/sleeping gears (e.g. pillows, blankets, etc.). The contestants who participate in an official capacity, should be given recognition by their schools in accordance with the applicable DepEd policy on awards and assessment and should be given consideration to make up for the full points of the projects, assignments, quizzes, and other requirements that they missed.



5. The participants to this activity who travel or render services on days that fall on weekends and holidays can avail of the Service Credits, CTO or COC equivalent to eight (8) hours of service per day whichever is applicable per DepEd Order No. 67, s. 1988 and CSC Memo Circular No.09, s. 1988.
6. The 2025 RFOT event and number of participants, list of official regional qualifiers, list of SDO Tacloban City delegates, activity matrix, parental consent, parental consent form for emergency medical treatment and procedures, billeting quarters house rules, and school map are found in the enclosures.
7. There will be a meeting to all School Heads with representatives of Regional Qualifiers for the 2025 Regional Festival of Talents (RFOT) on February 04, 2025, at 1:00 PM, SDO Conference Hall. Also, a Planning Conference to all the SDO Tacloban City Official Delegates and Regional Qualifiers-Coaches in preparation for 2025 RFOT on February 7, 2025, 1:00 PM, SDO Conference Hall.
8. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


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Enclosures: As stated

References: As RM No. 050, s. 2025

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

CONTESTS FESTIVAL LEARNERS TEACHERS OFFICIALS