

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

Region VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF TACLOBAN CITY

March 11, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 226, s. 2025

PARTICIPATION IN THE BFP FIRE EXHIBIT AND FIRE SQUARE ROADSHOW 2025

To: Identified Public Schools District Supervisor
Identified School Heads and School DRRM Coordinators
Division DRRM Officer
All Others Concerned

1. In relation to the CY 2024 Fire Prevention Month Celebration and in reference to DepEd Order No. 72, s. 2012 titled "Continuing Fire Safety and Awareness Program (FSAP) in Schools", the Schools Division of Tacloban City through its Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service enjoins the identified public secondary learners and teachers/non-teaching personnel to participate in the Fire Exhibit and Fire Square Roadshow to be conducted by the Bureau of Fire Protection – Tacloban City Fire Station on the following schedule:

Activity, Date & Venue	Participating School/s
Fire Exhibit - March 12, 2025, 1:00PM @ SM Savemore	Marasbaras National High School
Fire Square Roadshow – March 20, 2025 @ Robinson's North Abucay	Northern Tacloban City National High School
	Guadalupe Heights Integrated School
Fire Exhibit - March 27, 2025, 1:00PM @ Robinson's North Abucay	Kapuso Village Integrated School

- 2. The objectives of the activity are to promote safety awareness and consciousness through showcasing of skills and equipment that aims to publicly display the different services and mandates of the Bureau of Fire Protection and their motto to save lives and properties and to educate the youth on fire safety prevention to be applied whether in school or at home; and equip the learners with knowledge and skills to help protect them from any untoward incidents. It is also a proactive approach that will bridge the gap and equip young learners with knowledge and skills to help protect them from any untoward incidents through highlighting static display of various firefighting and rescue tools and equipment, as well as conducting lectures on Basic Life Support, Fire Suppression, Escape Simulation, and Rescue techniques.
- Please see attached List of Identified Participants (Enclosure A).
- 4. However, participation of schools shall be subjected to the **no-disruption-of-classes policy** as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s.2005 titled **Instituting**Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.



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- 5. Moreover, this Office would like to reiterate that all participating learners should secure parent's consent prior to their attendance to the activity and the School Head should ensure that the necessary arrangements would be made to have available teachers to take charge of the classes handled by the participating teachers.
- 6. Expenses incurred relative to the attendance during the activity shall be charged to Local Funds/School MOOE subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- 7. For more information, you may contact the **SDO Tacloban City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service** through the Division DRRM, Safety and Health Officer II/Fire Safe Marshal CRISVILL M. VILLAMOR at 09085564721 or email at crisvill.villamor@deped.gov.ph.
- 8. Immediate dissemination of and appropriate action with this Memorandum are desired.

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