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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **06** s. 2015

Early Registration in all Public Schools for the School Year 2015-2016

To: Schools Division/City Superintendents
Head Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepED Order No. 2, s. 2014, a massive advocacy campaign for the early registration of out-of-school children (OSC) and out-of-school youth (OSY), including children and youth with difficulties shall be conducted every last Saturday of January to achieve universal participation and completion.
2. In view of this, the Early Registration Day for the School Year 2015-2016 in all public elementary and secondary schools is scheduled on January 31, 2015.
3. The **Early Registration Day** generally aims to achieve the Millennium Development Goal (MDG) on Universalization of primary (Basic) Education and the objectives of the Education for all (EFA). Specifically, this activity has the following objectives:
 - A. For incoming kindergarten and grade 1- to ensure that all five years old and six years old children are enrolled for School Year (SY)2015-2016.
 - B. For out-of-school children (OSC) and out-of-school youth (OSY) from disadvantaged groups of indigenous peoples (IPS); street children from 5 to 18 years old; and, adults between 18 to 30 years old- to guarantee their enrolment in their preferred education delivery system , either formal through alternatives delivery mode (ADM) or alternative learning system (ALS).
 - C. For OSC and OSY with disabilities from 5 to 18 years old- to provide them with appropriate education interventions and to establish their census;
 - D. For the different levels (central, regional, division) of the DepEd- to prepare the Three Year Catch-up Plan in basic Education from SY 2015-2016 to SY 2017-2018 in order to accommodate the registered learners;
 - E. For the DepEd, in collaboration with the local government units (LGU's) *barangay* officials, parent-teacher associations (PTA's), civil society/ civic organizations and business sector, among others – to make the necessary


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preparation and to address potential resources needs in time for the opening of classes in June; and

- F. For schools - to support schools in their efforts to provide education interventions to prevent pupils and students from dropping out from school.
4. An advocacy campaign shall be undertaken to encourage the most number of parents to come out for the early registration. Regional and Division Communications Teams shall lead local campaigns supported by schools, parents, local and barangay officials and other stakeholders.
5. The registration process shall include the following activities and the details of which are enclosed in DepED Order No. 2, s. 2014.

Date	Activity
January 12-13, 2015	Child or Youth Find Activities
January 31, 2015	Early Registration Day in All Public Schools
February 2-6, 2015	School Submission and Coordination of Registration Data
February 9-27, 2015	Planning to Address Resources Gaps and Implementation of Different Program interventions

6. Expenses related to the Early Registration Day shall be charged to Local Funds as appropriate and as authorized and subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
7. For inquiries about the early registration, all concerned may contact the **Early Registration Help Desk** at any of these telephone CP nos: 09269169714/09175658658, or send a message through e-mail: essd.pssro2@gmail.com
8. For information, guidance and compliance.


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Reference: DepED Order No. 2, s. 2014

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