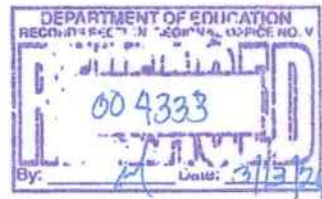




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION V - BICOL



March 12, 2024

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 000309 s. 2024

18th REGIONAL ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM OUT-OF-SCHOOL
YOUTHS/ADULTS (ALS-OSYs/OSAs) ENCAMPMENT

To: SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
Division ALS Focal Persons

1. This Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division, will spearhead the conduct of the **18th Regional Alternative Learning System Out-of-School Youths/Adults (ALS-OSYs/OSAs) Encampment** for 2024 at Catanduanes Sports Complex, Virac, Catanduanes on May 20-24, 2024 (exclusive of travel time).
2. With this year's theme, "*Kapag sa ALS Pursigido, MATATAG na Kinabukasan Sigurado*", the encampment aims to equip the out-of-school youths and adults with life-long skills that will help them become effective, efficient and responsive citizens; strengthen their spiritual and moral values, and transform them into self-reliant, dynamic and creative leaders who are catalysts of change.
3. Participants to this activity are the out-of-school youths and adults currently enrolled in the ALS program in the Bicol Region. Schools Divisions are expected to send at least thirty (30) participants per city division, fifty (50) per province division composed of elementary and JHS learners in addition to at least, ten (10) other learners from the ALS SHS program. *However*, Schools Division Offices may opt to send participants more than the prescribed number, subject to the availability of funds.
4. The Division ALS Focal Persons shall be designated as delegation head supported by Education Program Specialists-ALS, coordinators/in-charge of ALS Senior High School program, ALS Teachers, Community ALS Implementers and Literacy Volunteers. Participation of external stakeholders is likewise encouraged, provided that they are duly endorsed by their respective heads of the organization.
5. To ensure safety of everyone, each delegation is expected to have conducted prior orientations especially to learners on at least, the basics on managing risks and disaster reductions. A contextualized DRR plan is expected to have been formulated to provide measures that will mitigate occurrences or impact of unforeseen and/or emergency events that may happen before the event, during and on the way back home.
6. A registration fee of eight hundred pesos (Php 800.00) will be charged per participant to cover expenses on materials, foods, honorarium of resource speakers, accommodations of guests and others.
7. Expenses on transportation, food, registration and other incidental expenses relative to the conduct of the activity shall be charged against Division/School MOOE/SEF/LGU/GAD Funds/PSF of ALS SHS, all are subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.



Regional Center Site, Rawis, Legazpi City 4500

0517 578 1288

region5@deped.gov.ph

8. Registration will start on April 15, 2024; payments should be deposited to DepEd-Catanduanes SDO's account name that will be provided later.

9. Moreover, participants are expected to bring the following, and but not limited to the ones specified below:

a) Individual:

- Tents, mats, blankets, mosquito repellent;
- Personal belongings (toothbrush, soap, towels, others);
- Jackets, sweat shirts, rubber shoes, slippers;
- Rope, bolo, multi-use knife;
- Flashlight, emergency lights, personal medicine;
- Casual and sports wears.

b) Division:

- Group/individual tents;
- Basic medicines, first aid kits;
- Fly tent for cooking and dining;
- Water containers;
- Cooking equipment (stoves, etc) and dining utensils;
- Others: garbage bags, compass, division banners, camp decorations, etc.

10. The general guidelines are found in enclosure 1 of this memorandum. Program of Activities, the list of working committees and other related concerns will be released in later issuances.

11. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired.


GILBERT SADSAD
Regional Director

Encl. as stated
To be included in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

ACTIVITIES ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM GAD
PROGRAM/PROJECT /ACTIVITIES / ALS ENCAMPMENT

CLMD/ric
03/12/24



March 19, 2024

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Division Chiefs
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary & Secondary School Heads

For information and guidance.


SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent



San Roque, Virac, Catanduanes
052 - 8114063
catanduanes@deped.gov.ph
www.deped.gov.ph/catanduanes
DepEd Tayo - Region V - Catanduanes

18th REGIONAL ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM OUT OF SCHOOL
YOUTHS/ADULTS (ALS-OSYs/OSAs) ENCAMPMENT

GENERAL GUIDELINES

In order to establish and maintain security and orderliness of the event, the following rules and regulations are hereby adopted and imposed:

1. The encampment activity is strictly for campers only, thus only registered participants whose names appeared in the Learners Information System (LIS) are allowed to participate in the encampment and its various sports and other life-skills events.
2. Wearing of IDs at all times is a must. For security and proper identification, one cannot participate in any event without said ID.
3. Security management at the camp site shall be imposed. Implementations of curfew hours, regular head count, posting of security, DRR and health personnel and others are to be in-placed at the camp area.
4. There shall have separate tents, rest rooms and other facilities for males and females in observance and recognition of the specific needs and concerns of everyone.
5. Observe and maintain cleanliness and orderliness at the camp site. Garbage/waste management system and policies must be formulated and in-placed at the camp site.
6. As this event is aimed to equip OSYs with life-long skills, the participation in all camp activities such as, but not limited to athletics, Academic Contests, Basic Instructions, Individual Interest and Learn-a-Trade is highly encouraged subject to the limitations stated in Numbers 7 and 8.
7. The following documents shall be submitted by each learner-participant: *parent/guardian's consent, waiver, and medical certificate*. Only those who have been certified to be physically fit and safe to join events especially those that require physical strengths, such as but not limited to athletics, ALSlympics, ballgames, etc. will be allowed in said events.
8. A participant may be allowed to compete in one individual academic contest only.
9. Should there be additional rules, policies that the event management later may found to be relevant and appropriate; same will be provided on a separate issuance.