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Department of Education
REGION VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CALBAYOG CITY

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MEMORANDUM
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CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS TO THE LEARNERS' CONVERGENCE PH 2024

TO : SGOD and CID Chiefs
Education Program Supervisors
Public School District Supervisors
School Heads (Public & Private Secondary Schools)
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to the Regional Memorandum No. 564, s. 2024 dated May 16, 2024 re: Conduct of Learners' Convergence PH 2024 and Memorandum OM-OUOPS-2024-11-03526 from Atty. Revsee C. Escobedo, Undersecretary for Governance and Field Operations, dated May 6, 2024, this Office through SGOD-Youth Formation Division hereby call for participants to the **Learners' Convergence PH 2024** on **July 8-13, 2024**, in **Lapu-Lapu City, Cebu**.

2. The LearnerCon PH 2024, is intended to bring together secondary school learners, youth leaders and formators, and education stakeholders representing the 228 School Division Offices from 17 regions of the country. This Convergence provides learner participants the opportunity to learn not only from the key speakers and activities, but also by engaging with one another, particularly in understanding different cultures across regions.

3. The delegation shall be composed of 4 males and 4 females with the following composition

- a. one (1) incoming President of the Division Federation of Supreme Secondary Learner Government (SY: 2024-2025);
- b. one (1) private secondary school learner-representative (preferably the President of their student council)
- c. four (4) public secondary learner-representatives who are elected as president or officer of the following:
 - sports-related learner organization;
 - health-related learner organization;

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- disaster risk reduction and management related learner organization;
 - Child Protection Committee (CPC) or any recognized learner rights and protection-related organization; and
- d. two (2) chaperones (1 male and 1 female) who are Project Development Officers I as the Division Youth Formation Coordinators. And/or assigned or identified by the Schools Division Superintendent
4. The learner representatives shall submit the following requirements;
- i. signed SDO Pre-Registration Form (Annex A)
 - ii. signed Parental Consent and Waiver Form (Annex B)
 - iii. Medical Certificate issued by the SDO Medical Officer, and
 - iv. Scanned copy of:
 - *school identification card for the learner-representatives; and*
 - *employee identification card for the chaperones*

For reference, editable forms may be downloaded and accessed through this link: (<https://tinyurl.com/LCPH-Requirements>).

5. In line with, this office, hereby requested all secondary schools' heads to select and recommend learner/s from their school who is/are
- a. bona fide secondary school learners by School Year 2024-2025;
 - b. with good moral character;
 - c. physically fit and capable of participating actively and collaboratively in all activities; and
 - d. able to represent any of the following learner-representations prescribed in item B of the attached Memorandum. Recommended participants shall be submitted to the OSGOD-LFD on or before **May 22, 2024**.

6. There shall be no registration fee for the LearnCon PH 2024. Expenses for the board and lodging of selected participants and chaperones from the division office shall be charged to the Learning Service Provider (LSP) 2024 Funds. Travel expenses and other incidental expenses of selected participants and PDOs may be charged to the LSP 2023 or 2024 Funds (downloaded program support funds, Local Funds, MOOE, Local School Board-Special Education Fund (LSB-SEF), and other fund source/s, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.



7. The travel expenses, personal insurance, and other incidental expenses of private school learner representative shall be charged to their own account and/or other fund sources, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations. All private school learner representative shall be accommodated in the billeting areas together with their respective regional representatives.

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8. No additional chaperone shall be dedicated to private school learner-representatives. The two (2) chaperones identified by the SDO shall also be the chaperone of the private school learner-representative. However, if a private school chaperone wishes to join, all arrangements and expenses in relation to his/her attendance must be personally made and charged to his/her account.

9. For more details please see the attached Memorandum and for any inquiries regarding the activity please contact Ms. Marian Cabonegro-Advincula, Division Youth Coordinator through email at lfid@calbayog.ph.education or can be reached at 0995-3692499.

10. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.


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