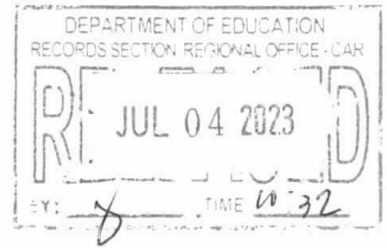




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION



03 July 2023

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 326-2023

**REGIONAL COMPETITION IN SINGING THE CORDILLERA MARCH, ESSAY
WRITING CONTEST AND LOCAL LEGEND WRITING CONTEST**

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents
All Schools Division Offices
All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education-Cordillera Administrative Region, Regional Office through the Curriculum, and Learning Management Division (CLMD) in coordination with Policy, Planning and Research Division (PPRD) will conduct various competitions as part of the 36th Cordillera Month Celebration with the theme, "Celebrating One, Resilient, Diverse, and Inclusive (CORDI) Journey Toward Regional Autonomy" on July 27, 2023.

2. This activity aims to provide teaching and non-teaching personnel with opportunities to showcase their talents and skills on the following contest areas:

- a. Cordillera March Singing Competition
- b. Essay Writing Contest
- c. Local Legend Writing Contest

3. All schools Division Offices shall submit one entry per contest area to the CLMD email at car.clmd@deped.gov.ph on or before July 24, 2023. Attached herein are the following enclosures:

- Enclosure 1: Guidelines and Criteria for Judging the Singing Competition,
Essay Writing Contest, and Local Legend Writing Contest
Enclosure 2: List/Number of Participants

4. For inquiries, please contact CLMD through the OIC – CLMD Rosita C. Agnasi at rosita.agnasi@deped.gov.ph, MAPEH-ADM focal person at edgar.vicente@deped.gov.ph or Rosemarie A. Yangkin- IPED focal person at rosemarie.yangkin@deped.gov.ph.

5. Immediate and widest dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.


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Enclosure: As stated

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GUIDELINES and CRITERIA

A. Singing Competition

1. There shall be one (1) entry per SDO.
2. The participants are teachers and non-teaching of DepEd CAR.
3. The group should be composed of 3 participants.
4. The group shall sing two songs with one (1) or more musical instruments (warm up song -any IPED Song).
5. The contest piece is the song titled, "Hail Our Home Cordillera." It will be provided by the RTWG.
6. Video Recording of the performance shall be in MP4 format and to be forwarded at **clmd@deped.gov.ph** on or before **July 24, 2023**.

CRITERIA	PERCENTAGE	TOTAL
<i>Technical- (evaluation includes the overall sound quality of the choir, stability of the intonation, accuracy of rhythm, width of dynamic range, corrections of harmony and proper diction)</i>	50	
<i>Artistic Merits – (evaluation includes musicality (artistic expression, interpretation, and style, tonal quality of the ensemble, balance, and blending) and programming, faithfulness to the written score, variety, difficulty, and sustainability to the capacity of the choir.</i>	50	
Total	100%	

B. Essay Writing Contest on the theme: "Celebrating One, Resilient, Diverse, and Inclusive (CORDI) Journey Toward Regional Autonomy."

1. There shall be one (1) entry per SDO.
2. The participants are teachers of DepEd CAR.
3. Entries must be written in English, encoded, double-spaced, with a minimum of 1,500 words and maximum of 3,000 words.
4. Typewritten double-spaced on A4-sized paper with one-inch margins on all sides.
5. Font type: Bookman
6. Font size: 11

7. The decision of the judges shall be final.
8. Author's name SHOULD NOT appear in the entry. Only one entry per Contestant is accepted.
9. A soft copy of the entry shall be sent at **clmd@deped.gov.ph** on or before **July 24, 2023**, in a PDF format.

Criteria	Score	Total
Content - The entry also should reflect historical perspective—the causes and consequences of an event	60%	
Relevance to the Theme –The entry must clearly relate to the theme and demonstrate why the topic is significant in history. Local history topics may not be well known but may represent larger trends or events.	20%	
Clarity of Presentation – Quality and overall appearance. Organized and logical. Properly used citations. Free of grammatical error, spelled correctly, and neatly	20%	
TOTAL		

C. Local Legend Writing Contest

1. There shall be one (1) entry per SDO.
2. The participants are non-teaching personnel of DepEd CAR.
3. The entry must be written in English with a minimum of 500 words and maximum of 1,000 words.
4. Typewritten double-spaced on A4-sized paper with one-inch margins on all sides.
5. Font type: Bookman
6. Font size: 11
7. Author's name SHOULD NOT appear in the entry. Only one entry per Contestant is accepted.
8. The decision of the judges shall be final.
9. A soft copy of the entry shall be sent at **clmd@deped.gov.ph** on or before **July 24, 2023**, in a PDF format.

Criteria	Score	Total
Content - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Presentation of the Local Legend</i> • <i>Accuracy of content</i> • <i>Literary Device</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Imaginary – visual description</i> - <i>Choice of words</i> 	50	

Plot Structure		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Grammar and Spelling</i> • <i>Clarity of expression</i> • <i>Development of story/plot/pacing</i> • <i>Originality and creativity</i> • <i>Appropriateness of illustrations</i> 	30	
Format		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Creativity of Format</i> • <i>Interest and excitement of story and picture</i> • <i>Quality of conclusion</i> • <i>Length of words</i> 	20	
TOTAL		

Prizes	
A. Song Competition	
1st Place	15,000.00
2nd Place	10,000.00
3rd Place	5,000.00
Consolation prices (5)	1,000.00 each
B. Essay Writing	
1st Place	5,000.00
2nd Place	4,000.00
3rd Place	3,000.00
Consolation prices (5)	1,000.00 each
C.	
1st Place	5,000.00
2nd Place	4,000.00
3rd Place	3,000.00
Consolation prices (5)	1,000.00 each

Enclosure 2 to RM 326-2023

**36th CORDILLERA MONTH CELEBRATION
July 2023**

Regional Office Ground/Covered Court

Theme: “Celebrating One, Resilient, Diverse, and Inclusive (CORDI) Journey Toward Regional Autonomy”

LIST/NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Regional Office	Number
• Judges	6
• IPED EPS, English EPS, MAPEH EPS	3
• Aral Pan/LR	1
• CLMD & PPRD Chiefs	2
• PPRD TWGs	5
Total	17

Cordillera March

(Hail our Home, Cordillera)

Lyrics by Drury Gama

Music by: Doris L. Rullan
 Arranged by: Eirhon Jan S. Palugod
 Althea Linelle Domngal

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Hail our home Cor-di - lle - ra! Thy name shall shine for - e - ver. We give our lo-yal-

12 E C#m A F#m B C#m G#

ty to thee, in this land a - bove the sea. From the te - rra - ces of I - fu - gao,

21 C#m F#m G# C#m F#m C#/F F#m/E B

to count-less won-ders of A-pa - yao. Wit-ne - ssing A-bra - scen-ic views. The sweet a-

30 E B B7 E

ro-ma of Ta - buk, Ka-ling-a brews. Hail our home Cor-di - lle ra! Thy name shall

39 B E C#m A F#m B

shine for - e - ver. We give our lo-yal - ty to thee, in this land a - bove the sea.

49 C#m G# C#m F#m B E

Moun-tain Pro - vince's rich nature. Breeze of Ba-guio, proud Beng-uet trea-sure.

57 F#m B E B/D# C#m A B

Beat the gongs (Beat the gongs!) and call your folks. March in the great-ness of Ka-bun-

64 B E B

yan. Hail our home Cor-di - lle - ra! Thy name shall shine for - e - ver. We give our

75 E C#m A F#m B C#m G#7

lo-yal - ty to thee in this land a - bove the sea. Walk with pride, now, Cor - di - lle -

85 C#m C#m A F#m C# F#m B E B/D# C#m

ra! With the sound of gongs and so - li - bao. For thy bra - ve - ry and re - si - lien - cy. Ce - le -

94 F#m B E C#m F#m B E B/D# C#m

brate our God - gi - ven vic - to - ry! Walk with pride, now, Cor - di - lle - ra Cele -

104 F#m Am/B E

brate our God gi - ven vic - to - ry!