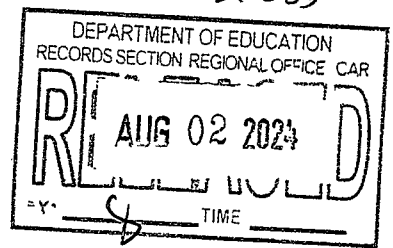




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CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 507.2024

**REITERATION ON THE COMPLIANCE OF THE REQUIREMENTS TO PILOT
ALS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM**

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

- Relative to Regional Memorandum No. 110 s. 2024, on the Pilot Implementation of the Alternative Learning System Senior High School Program, this Office reiterates the strict compliance to the requirements for the pilot implementation of the ALS SHS program.
- Eligible learners must bear any of the following qualifications:
 - A&E JHS Completers (*PPA Passers*);
 - A&E Secondary Level Test Passers;
 - JHS completers (*Grade 10*) in formal schools in special cases (*ex. working student, unable to enroll in SHS level due to unavailability of SHS within the locality*);
 - Dropouts of the formal SHS who are unable to return to the formal SHS level; and/or
 - PEPT Grade 10 Passers.Furthermore, he or she must be **18 years old and above**.
- The minimum number of learners to pilot the program is **20 per track/strand**.
- ALS SHS will follow the Contextualized MELCs-based ALS SHS Curriculum. Modalities can be face-to-face, blended, and/or distance learning. Class schedules can be flexible, on weekdays (*afternoon and evening classes*), weekends, or in an irregular student schedule scheme.
- Learning resources to be used are the existing SHS LR*s* (*contextualization is encouraged*), locally developed SHS LR*s* and adopted LR*s* from other regions.
- Teachers are formal SHS teachers, JHS teachers, Community ALS Implementors (CAI*s*) and ALS teachers with aligned specialization to handle SHS subjects. Teacher's loading could be as full-time ALS SHS, SHS + ALS SHS Teaching Load, JHS + ALS SHS Teaching Load or Teaching Overload.



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7. Assessment practices shall follow the existing Classroom Assessment Policies in the formal SHS and working portfolio.
8. The sources of funds for the pilot implementation of the ALS SHS program are local funds, Program Support Fund (PSF) and Special Education Fund (SEF).
9. For questions and/or clarifications, please contact Dr. Jennifer P. Ande, Chief ES – CLMD through email at car.clmd@deped.gov.ph.
10. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.


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