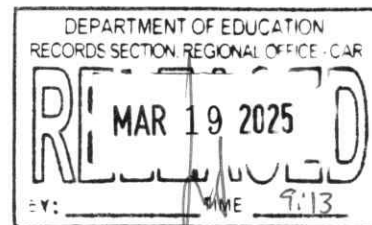




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ESSD-RM-25-220

14 March 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 204.2025

REGIONAL ORIENTATIONS ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND BATANG EMERGENCY RESILIENT TEAM (BERT)

To: Schools Division Superintendents
 Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
 All others concerned

1. Climate change and global warming are urgent global concerns. Their negative effects such as but not limited to hotter temperature, rising sea levels, heavy rainfall, stronger typhoons, and flooding greatly impact our rights to life, education, food, water and sanitation. Raising climate change awareness among school personnel and learners and equipping them with the knowledge to prepare for its negative effects are crucial in addressing this global crisis in the school level.

2. The DepEd-CAR through the Education Support Services Division will conduct an orientation on Climate Change and an orientation on Batang Emergency Resilient Team (BERT) on April 1 and 2, 2024, respectively at the Hotel Tugos, Naguilian Road, Baguio City.

3. The Climate Change orientation aims to conduct awareness on climate change and its effect on the basic human rights, and to strengthen school programs and activities on climate change adaptation and mitigation. A subsequent activity will be curriculum integration of Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation concepts in coordination with the Curriculum Learning Management Division (CLMD). The BERT orientation will focus on strengthening student awareness, participation and conduct of preparedness and mitigation activities. Enclosed is the program of activities for reference.

4. Expected number of participants per division and from the regional office are indicated below:

Day 1 Participants		Per Division	Total
a	Education Supervisors for Science & Values Education	2	16
b	DRRM Coordinator	1	8
c	YFD Coordinator	1	8
d	School Heads/Teachers	6	48
d	Regional Office (RD/ARD, ES for Science and Values, ESSD personnel, Training Team)		16
e	Resource Speakers/Facilitators/ observers		4
Total number of participants			100



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Day 2 Participants	Per Division	Total
a Division DRRM Coordinator	1	8
b Division YFD Coordinator	1	8
c School Heads/Teachers (6 per division)	6	48
d Youth leaders (by invitation)		30
d Regional Office, Resource Speakers/Facilitators, Training Team		16
Total number of participants		100

5. Transportation expenses of participants shall be charged against local funds while meals, snacks and accommodation of participants during the duration of the activity shall be charged against the regional DPRP fund, subject to existing COA auditing rules and regulation.

6. First meal to be served is dinner of March 31, 2025 for division participants who will be arriving on said date 2025. Last meal to be served will be PM snacks of April 2, 2025.

7. Division DRRM coordinators shall submit the names of their participants to the Regional DRRM Coordinator on or before March 27, 2025

8. Clarifications on the activity may be directed to the regional DRRM coordinator at email: car.essd@deped.gov.ph or at CP number 09338617514.

9. For information and guidance.

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**ORIENTATIONS ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND
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PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES
 March 31-April 2, 2025

Time	Activity	Resource Speaker
Day 0: March 31, 2025 (2:00 PM) - Arrival and Check-in		
Day 1: April 1, 2025		
8:00-8:30	Registration	ESSD
8:30-9:00	Preliminaries:	ESSD
9:00-10:00	Cosmic Journey:	Sr. TERESA DAGDAG Maryknoll Ecological Sanctuary
10:15-11:15	Climate Change in the Cordillera Administrative Region	DENR
11:15-12:15	What is Climate Change Climate Change and Human Rights	MA. VICTORIA BAUTISTA UP Baguio & Zero Waste Baguio
1:00 - 1:30	Initiatives on Climate Change Adaptation ➤ Project R.O.S.E	MR. ASTER MADALLA, ES-Science, DepEd-CAR
1:30-2:30	➤ Integration of CCAM and Human Rights in Schools: School Head	LIGAYA ANNAWI, Josefa Cariño ES
2:30-3:30	➤ Curriculum Integration of CCAM & Human Rights in schools	SLU-Basic Education School
3:45-4:45	➤ Climate Change and Human Rights (Religious perspective)	Sr. TERESA DAGDAG Maryknoll Ecological Sanctuary
4:45-5:00	Open forum Insights	ESSD-CAR
4:45-5:00	Daily Evaluation	
Day 2: April 2, 2025		
8:00-8:30	Preliminaries	ESSD
8:30-12:00	Hazards and Disasters	James Rory Grecia Save the Children, Phil.
9:30-10:30	School-based DRRM	
10:45-12:00	Batang Empowered and Resilient Team	
1:00 - 3:00		
3:15-3:30	Evaluation	
3:20-3:50	Closing Program	

Schedule of Health Break: 10:00-10:15; 3:00-3:15
 Lunch Break: 12:00-1:00



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