



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region XII
Schools Division Office of Tacurong City

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID No. **148** s. 2024

2024 PAMBANSANG BUWAN AT ARAW NG PAGBASA

To: Cluster Heads
Elementary School and Secondary Administrators
Public Schools
This Division

1. In support of the Department of Education's (DepEd) commitment to make the curriculum relevant to produce job-ready, active, and responsible citizens through strengthening literacy programs, the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) shall spearhead the 2024 Pambansang Buwan ng Pagbasa (PBAP) this November. This initiative aims to foster a love for reading among learners and enhance their profound understanding of the pivotal role of reading and literacy in cultivating critical thinking.
2. With the theme "Sa PAGBASA may PAG ASA" this year's reading month celebration urges all elementary and secondary public and private schools to actively participate in the attached suggested activities. Additionally, all schools are encouraged to explore related activities other than those on the lists and to organize programs to capacitate reading teachers.
3. School activities during the celebration of PBAP must not disrupt the essential contact time between the teachers and learners as stipulated in DepEd Order 09, s. 2005, Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.
4. Relative to this, all School Reading Coordinators are enjoined to attend an online conference on **November 19, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.** through this link: <https://meet.google.com/xaf-rqqr-oze>.
5. For clarifications and inquiries, contact **Mary Ann C. Umadhay**, EPS through messenger.



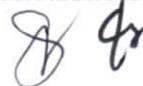
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6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum to the concerned is desired.


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