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DIGOS CITY DIVISION

**Office of the Schools Division Superintendent**

November 7, 2022

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 608, s. 2022

**2022 PAMBANSANG BUWAN AT ARAW NG PAGBASA**

To : CID Chief  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
Teachers

1. Pursuant to the Regional Memorandum CLMD-2022-348 dated November 2, 2022 signed by Assistant Director Maria Ines C. Asuncion, this Office informs the field of the conduct of the 2022 Pambansang Buwan at Araw ng Pagbasa this November with the theme: "Basa Onse: Bawat Bata Bumabasa".
2. The month-long celebration aims to promote love for reading among the learners and full awareness and understanding on the role of reading and literacy in cultivating critical thinking among the learners.
3. This Office advises the schools and learning centers to conduct the suggested activities (please see attached enclosures) for elementary and secondary learners preferably be held inside the classroom as part of the instructional time to avoid disruption of classes under DepEd Order No. 9 s. 2005.
4. A school-level launching shall be held in any day of the second week of November and shall culminate through the nationwide synchronized reading time on Monday, November 28, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. Philippine Standard Time. All learners, teaching, and non-teaching personnel from all levels of governance must drop everything and read (DEAR) on the said day.
5. Narrative reports, pictorials, and videos of the activities done during this celebration will be submitted through the TREKKERS google drive not later than December 12, 2022.
6. All other details are found in the enclosure of this Memorandum.
7. For information, guidance and compliance.

For and in the absence of the Schools Division Superintendent

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**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**  
CLMD-2022-348

To : Schools Division Superintendents

Subject: 2022 PAMBANSANG BUWAN AT ARAW NG PAGBASA

Date : November 2, 2022

Pursuant to the Memorandum DM-CI-2022-389 dated October 26, 2022 signed by Hon. Alma Ruby B. Torio, Assistant Secretary, Officer-In-Charge, Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction, this Office informs the conduct of the 2022 Pambansang Buwan at Araw ng Pagbasa this November with the theme: "Basa Onse: Bawat Bata Bumabasa".

The month-long celebration aim to promote love for reading among learners and full awareness and understanding on the role of reading and literacy in cultivating critical thinking among learners.

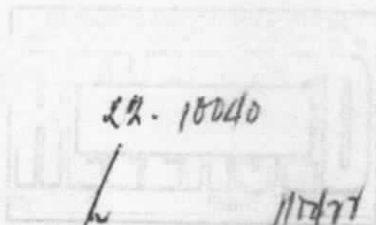
This Office advises the schools and learning centers to conduct the suggested activities (please see attached) for elementary and secondary learners preferably be held inside the classroom as part of the instructional time to avoid disruption of classes under DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005.

A school-level kick-off shall be held on November 7, 2022 and shall culminate through the nationwide synchronized reading time on Monday, November 28, 2022 at 9:00am, Philippine Standard Time (PST). All learners, teaching, and non-teaching personnel from all levels of governance must drop everything and read (DEAR) on the said day.

Narrative reports, pictorials, and videos of the activities done during this celebration will be submitted through a google drive to be given to the Division Reading Program Focal Persons not later than on December 12, 2022.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

Enclosure: As stated.  
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By the Authority of the Regional Director

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**2022 Pambansang Buwan at Araw ng Pagbasa**  
**November 7-28, 2022**

**Theme: Basa Onse: Bawat Bata Bumabasa**  
**Matrix of Activities**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Activities</b>	<b>Regional Office XI</b>	<b>Division Offices</b>	<b>Schools/Learning Centers</b>
November 7, 2022	<b>Kick-Off of the 2022 Pambansang Buwan at Araw ng Pagbansa</b>	-Online Reading through Streamyard via FB Live (DepEd RXI FB Page) -RD, ARD, and Chiefs of the Functional Divisions will serve as Reading Ambassadors at the Reading Pantry -Schedule of the Online Reading: 9:00am – RD Allan G. Farnazo 10:00am – ARD Maria Ines C. Asunsion 10:30am – Chief Mary Jeanne B. Aldeguer 11:00am – Chief Roy T. Enriquez 11:30am – Chief Nelma Lyn R. Barnija 1:30pm – Chief Jenielito S. Atillo 2:00pm – Chief Warlito E. Hua 2:30pm – Chief Loradel L. Bariaua	-View the Online Reading through FB Live -SDSs to serve as Reading Ambassadors during Flag Raising Ceremony	-View the Online Reading through FB Live -School Heads to serve as Reading Ambassadors during Flag Raising Ceremony -Teachers to serve as Reading Ambassadors in the classroom



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		3:00pm – Chief Marilyn B. Madrazo 3:30pm – Chief Aris B. Juanillo		
Week 1: November 7-11, 2022	<b>Share a Book</b>	-Personnel bring their books and share them through peer reading -The books will be displayed in the Office's Reading Pantry and will be given to the identified learners as beneficiaries	-Personnel bring their books and share them through peer reading -The books will be displayed in the Office's Reading Pantry and will be given to the identified learners as beneficiaries	Learners read books and do home reading report
Week 2: November 14-18, 2022	<b>Reading Skills Showcase Part I</b>	-At 3:30pm, personnel in each Functional Division will showcase their talents in: a) Story Retelling b) Poetry Interpretation c) Readers' Theater	-At 3:30pm, personnel in each Functional Division will showcase their talents in: a) Story Retelling b) Poetry Interpretation c) Readers' Theater	Teachers will conduct classroom activities showcasing learners' talents and skills in: a) Story Retelling b) Oral Reading Interpretation c) Readers' Theater d) Draw and Tell
Week 3: November 21-25, 2022	<b>Reading Skills Showcase Part II and Board Games</b>	-At 3:30pm, personnel in each Functional Division will showcase their talents and skills in: a) Rap b) Jazz Chant c) Scrabble d) Word Puzzle	-At 3:30pm, personnel in each Functional Division will showcase their talents and skills in: a) Rap b) Jazz Chant c) Scrabble d) Word Puzzle	Teachers will conduct classroom activities showcasing learners' talents and skills in: a) Jazz Chant b) Rap c) Tiktok d) Scrabble e) Word Puzzle



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November 28, 2022	<b>Araw ng Pagbasa Challenge</b>	-At 9:00am (PST), all personnel will join the nationwide synchronized reading -All personnel are requested to bring their own books -All personnel will drop everything and read (DEAR)	-At 9:00am (PST), all personnel will join the nationwide synchronized reading -All personnel are requested to bring their own books -All personnel will drop everything and read (DEAR)	-All school personnel, learners, stakeholders, and school community will drop everything and read (DEAR) to join the nationwide synchronized reading at 9:00am
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### MEMORANDUM

DM-CI-2022-389

TO : **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**  
**MINISTER, Basic, Higher and Technical Education, BARMM**

FROM : **ALMA RUBY C. TORIO**  
Assistant Secretary  
Officer-In-Charge  
Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction

SUBJECT : **2022 PAMBANSANG BUWAN AT ARAW NG PAGBASA**

DATE : October 26, 2022

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) is committed to ensuring improved learners' reading performance as one of the priorities in the Learning Recovery Plan.
2. DepEd, through the Bureau of Learning Delivery (BLD), shall spearhead the nationwide celebration of the 2022 *Pambansang Buwan ng Pagbasa* (PBAP) this November to promote love for reading among learners and full awareness and understanding on the role of reading and literacy in cultivating critical thinking among our learners.
3. All schools and learning centers are enjoined to conduct the suggested activities for elementary and secondary learners listed in Enclosure No. 1. All are likewise encouraged to hold related activities other than those on the list and to conduct activities to capacitate teachers as reading teachers.
4. A school-level kick-off shall be held on November 7, 2022, that shall feature a mystery reading ambassador during the flag-raising ceremony and a small talk on the importance of reading.
5. November 27 is declared as *Araw ng Pagbasa*, a regular working holiday, through Republic Act (RA) No. 10556. This year, November 27 falls on a Sunday. In view thereof, PBAP shall culminate with the nationwide synchronized reading time on November 28, 2022 at 9:00 a.m., Philippine Standard Time (PST), in all elementary and secondary schools in the country during which all teaching and non-teaching personnel shall participate.
6. School activities during the celebration of PBAP shall preferably be held inside the classroom as part of the instructional time to avoid disruption of classes pursuant to the provisions under DepEd Order (DO) No. 9, s. 2005, *Instituting Measures to*



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*Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith and DO 34, s. 2022, School Calendar and Activities for the School Year 2022-2023.*

7. Photo documentation and narrative reports of the activities done during the month-long celebration must be submitted to the BLD through the Facebook page <https://fb.me/bltdld> not later than December 15, 2022.
8. For inquiries and other concerns, please contact Ms. Angelika D. Jabines, Senior Education Program Specialist, BLD, through email at [angelika.jabines@deped.gov.ph](mailto:angelika.jabines@deped.gov.ph) or at telephone number +63 9959054259.
9. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is desired.



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Enclosure 1

### SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES FOR THE 2022 PAMBANSANG BUWAN AT ARAW NG PAGBASA

**School-level Pambansang Buwan at Araw ng Pagbasa Kick-off.** All school administrators, Schools Division Superintendents, Regional Directors, and teachers are directed to be mystery readers of a children's Filipino storybook during the school's flag-raising ceremony. Local government unit officials and other stakeholders may also be invited.

**Share a Book Drive.** Each school, learning center and DepEd Office shall have a designated box for storybook donations for the month of November to December. Donated storybooks shall be given to select learners.

**Reading Pantry.** Each school and learning center shall set up an accessible reading pantry for all learners with a variety of reading books. Each learner shall be given a Reading Challenge Log to write the title and author of the fifteen (15) books they have read including their answer in each reading episode.

**Book Talk.** A 10-minute each day of English or Filipino time shall be devoted to the learners sharing a book they have read from the Reading Pantry and showcasing their Reading Challenge Log.

**Araw ng Pagbasa Challenge.** On November 28, all learners, teachers, and school officials will do the nationwide synchronized reading at exactly 9:00 am Philippine Standard Time (PST).

**Classroom-level Read-A-Thon.** This may be done for 10 to 15 minutes of English or Filipino time:

1. Each day for 10 to 15 minutes of the English/Filipino time, a volunteer learner shall do any of the following:
  - a. Story retelling
  - b. Oral reading interpretation
2. The story to be used shall be any storybook (Filipino, English, local language) that is written by a Filipino author.
3. A rubric may be used to appreciate the performance of the volunteer learners with the following indicator:
  - A. Story Retelling
    - i. Accuracy of recalled events
    - ii. Organization of events/ideas
    - iii. Voice projection and expression
    - iv. Audience impact
    - v. Level of confidence
  - B. Oral reading Interpretation
    - i. Use of vocal expression including proper phrasing, timing and pacing





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- ii. Voice mechanics
  - iii. Level of confidence
  - iv. Number of words read accurately
4. Poster Making
1. The teacher shall read a storybook to the learners.
  2. Each learner shall make a poster showing the message of the story listened to. This may be done during the MAPEH class or at home.
  3. Posters shall be displayed in the school's Reading Pantry Corner.

**Reading Ambassador.** Schools and learning centers may invite teachers and other school officials, parents, and other stakeholders to be Reading Ambassadors for a week. Our Reading Ambassadors shall be chosen for their love of reading and their enthusiasm to share this with others.

The Reading Ambassador shall read a story to a group of learners in organized reading activities. This may also be done through local TV and radio station. A national Reading Ambassador shall also be featured every week on the official FB page of the Department.

Part of the job of a Reading Ambassador is to encourage others in the school to read more, and find their own love of reading. Another role the Reading Ambassadors take is making sure others get to know about new books and all things related to reading. They do this through:

- Learning about new reading technology and how this can encourage a love of reading. They can then show and tell the rest of the school all about anything new that they have tried out and liked.
- The Reading Ambassadors read to other classes and individuals to help show what great reading role models they can look up to.
- They will pick and recommend books for children in all year groups to highlight the range and types of books we can all get in school for everyone to enjoy.
- Promotion of reading material.