

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

DIGOS CITY DIVISION

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM SGOD-2023-247

To

All Division Chiefs

All Public Schools District Supervisors

All School Heads

All Teaching Personnel

Subject:

CONDUCT OF WANDERING MINDS

Date

June 13, 2023

In relation to Regional Memorandum CLMD-2023-308 dated last June 06, 2023, there shall be a conduct of a co-curricular activity: Wandering Minds.

Wandering Minds is a program that aims to inspire and educate students across the Philippines about astronomy and environmental awareness. Through our program, we provide students with enriching educational experiences that promote critical thinking, problem solving, and creativity.

This Office informs the field that the participation of DepEd teachers and learners is on voluntary basis and will be subject to the policy on "No Disruption of Classes" per DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith" and the no-collection policy as stated in section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 also known as An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for whatever project or purpose from students and teachers of public and private schools, college and universities (Ganzon Law).

All other details of the activity are in the enclosures.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this memorandum is hereby enjoined.

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

CLMD-2023-308

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Schools Division Superintendents

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ALLAN G. FARNAZO

Director IV

By the Authority of the Regional Director

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JUNE 5, 2023

MR. ALLAN G. FARNAZO CESO IV REGIONAL DIRECTOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION REGION XI



Dear DIRECTOR FARNAZO:

As we approach the school year 2023-2024, we are writing to respectfully request your advisory for our co-curricular activity, Wandering Minds.

Wandering Minds is a program that aims to inspire and educate students across the Philippines about astronomy and environmental awareness. Through our program, we provide students with enriching educational experiences that promote critical thinking, problem-solving, and creativity.

Our program is designed to supplement and enhance the existing curriculum of schools, and we believe that it can benefit students in various ways.

In accordance with DepEd Memorandum No. 621 s. 2022, entitled CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES THAT ARE ALLOWABLE TO BE CONDUCTED STARTING SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023, we believe that our program can significantly contribute to the students' learning experience. We will also strictly comply with the policies and guidelines stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005, entitled "Instituting Measures to increased Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith."

Inclusions Type of Activity The Ultimate 3D Science Experience Chroma Key Workshop / Green Screen is an innovative and comprehensive program that provides an immersive and engaging learning opportunity for students of all Over 20+ science manipulative exhibits ages. With a Chroma Key Workshop, over 20 science manipulative 3D Movie in Digital Surround Sound using exhibits, a 3D movie experience, a telescope lecture, and object viewing, students can explore the worlds of special effects, physics, 3D eyeglasses biology, chemistry, astronomy, and more. Through hands-on Telescope lecture and object viewing experimentation and exploration, students can develop their critical thinking, problem-solving, and creativity skills while having fun and discovering the world around them. The program is designed to promote curiosity and excitement for science and provide a unique perspective on science and nature. With expert guidance and state-of-the-art equipment, students can have an unforgettable and meaningful learning experience that can inspire them to pursue science and related fields.



Type of Activity	Inclusions
Sky Dome Mobile Planetarium Experience offers a unique opportunity to explore the wonders of the universe within the comfort of your own school. Our portable planetarium is equipped with a state-of-the-art projector and audio system that enable an immersive and realistic portrayal of the night sky, complete with stars, planets, and other celestial objects. Our team of knowledgeable educators will guide participants through a variety of interactive and engaging activities, including virtual space missions, planetarium shows, and Q&A sessions. The experience is fallored to meet the specific needs and interests of your students, and is suitable for all levels, from elementary to high school.	 Over 20+ science manipulative exhibits Planetarium and Astronomy Experience Telescope lecture and object viewing

We would like to emphasize that all financial contributions for our Wandering Minds program will be purely voluntary. We are committed to providing accessible and interactive science education to all students, regardless of their financial capacity, and we assure you that we will not pressure or obligate any student or school to contribute financially to our activities.

As part of our corporate social responsibility, we would also like to offer community outreach programs, providing students with an opportunity to engage in science activities beyond the school setting. We believe that these programs will help cultivate a greater appreciation for science and technology.

We look forward to continuing our partnership in education and community outreach. Thank you for your consideration, support, and approval. Attached herewith is the 2022 DepEd Advisory with D.A. No. 165, s. 2022 for your reference.

Respectfully,

Kristel Dianne Tabangay and April Anne Lerit

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WANDERING MINDS CONCEPT PAPER:

ABSTRACT:

The first thing a child does when learning is pick up and manipulate objects. Technology has changed things so much that kids are very visual now and need a hands-on, visual experience. It creates interest, elaborates, and builds on other information in the mind to make learning better and easier. Wandering Minds developed the idea to bring exciting experiential learning to school campuses.

OBJECTIVES:

To deliver a quality mobile exhibit for kids and young adults and engage them in experiential learning that can have an additional positive impact on the theories they learned in classrooms.

ACTIVITIES:

IMAGINE SCIENCE – a one-of-a kind hands-on learning experience that allows the students to
explore and discover the wonders of science. It consists of 3 activities namely:

Science Interactives We have a wide array of manipulative science exhibits that allow students to awaken their curiosity and multisensory learning skills in an environment that encourages social interaction. With these, they will learn the value of cooperation, empathy, patience, and respect for other participants.

3D Visual Learning - A technology that allows a single projector to show dramatic 3D images could bring the national curriculum to life in exciting new ways. Students will also learn how the 3D animation film industry works. They will learn about how studios are set up, the software they use, and career opportunities in the future.

Solar viewing – we can study the nearest star in either white light using H-alpha filters and computerized telescopes, (bonus activity-weather permitting)

Star Gazing - This lesson offers some hands-on activities that will teach students more about the night sky and what they can do to appreciate it. (bonus activity- weather permitting)

Digital Mobile Planetarium - This is a unique concept that gives students exposure to the fascinating universe. (second phase)

2. WORKSHOPS AND EXPERIMENTS — The secret to pulling your subjects out of the real world and placing them into a digital domain is chroma key or green screen. Through the magic of video effects and technology, you can superimpose your subjects onto a virtual background. This is the latest technology used by studios and we can bring it to your schools.

DURATION

The program runs for approximately 2 hours per batch.



VENUE NEEDED:

- 1. One (1) air-conditioned classroom good for 80-100 students.
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- 3. Electrical outlets with ample power supply (at least 50 amperes)

TARGET PARTICIPANTS

We provided a program suitable for all levels: Preschool to Senior High School. We also cater College students.

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

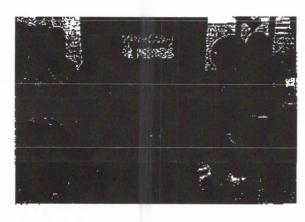
3D glasses—one pair per person, properly sanitized.

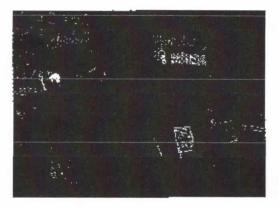
Room – Fumigation every screening, (check DOH guidelines - % in a room like AV, Auditorium, Gyms) Coordinate with school administrators regarding proper ventilation

Facemask is required

Alcohol and sanitizers will be provided

Will conduct temperature check upon entry





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