



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2025- 118

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
 CID Chief
 Concerned Public Schools District Supervisors (Secondary)
 Concerned Education Program Supervisors
 Concerned Public and Private Senior High School Principals and Teachers
 All Others Concerned

Subject : **INVITATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES – MINDANAO
 PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF FOOD TECHNOLOGISTS TO THE
 PANAGTIGIAY 2025**

Date : January 20, 2025

In reference to the attached Regional Memorandum CLMD-2024-841, and to the attached letter from University of the Philippines – Mindanao, this office is pleased to inform you about the upcoming Panagtigiay 2025 themed “Fortifying and Enriching the Future of Innovative Young Minds in Food Science and Technology” on January 24, 2025 at Mintal Gymnasium, Brgy. Mintal, Tugbok District, Davao City.

Interested participants contact Mrs. Ivy F. Solano, EPS in Science, via email at ivy.solano@deped.gov.ph.

It is reiterated further that the concerned personnel and students’ participation is on a voluntary basis, subject to the policy on "No disruption of classes" as per DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled “Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-On-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.” Moreover, this office reiterates the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546, also known as “An Act Prohibiting The Collection Of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges, and Universities (Ganzon Law),” and DepEd Memorandum No. 41, s. 2024 entitled "Reiteration of the ‘No Collection Policy’ in Schools." Additionally, it is emphasized that no government funds shall be involved in this activity. Please refer to the attached enclosure for the important details concerning this activity.

All mechanics and other details of the activity are in the enclosures.

The widest and immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.


MELANIE E. ESTACIO, PhD, CESO VI
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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
CLMD-2024-841

INVITATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES- MINDANAO PHILIPPINE
ASSOCIATION OF FOOD TECHNOLOGISTS TO THE PANAGTIGIAY 2025

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. This has reference to the letter from the Philippine Association of Food Technologists Inc. Lambda Chapter (PAFT-Λ) inviting the Senior High School (SHS) students in Region XI to participate in the Panagtigiay 2025 at the Mintal Gymnasium on January 24, 2025, with the theme "Fortifying and Enriching the Future of Innovative Young Minds in Food Science and Technology".
2. This Office interposes no objection to the conduct of the activity. Attendance to the activity is at the discretion of the Schools Division Superintendents. Further, the "No Disruption of Classes Policy" as stipulated in DepEd Order No 9, s,2005, entitled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time on task and Ensuring compliance Therewith, must be strictly observed, and that No Government Funds shall be utilized for the activity.
3. See attached communication for more details.

ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Director IV
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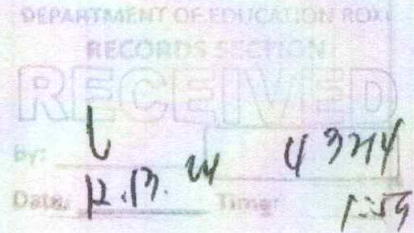
University of the Philippines – Mindanao
Philippine Association of Food Technologists, Inc.



Lambda Chapter (PAFT - λ)
Brgy. Mintal, Tugbok District, Davao City 8022 Philippines

December 13, 2024

ALLAN G. FARNAZO, CESO IV
Regional Director
Office of the Regional Director
Department of Education- Region XI



Dear **RD Farnazo**,

The **Philippine Association of Food Technologists Inc. Lambda Chapter (PAFT- λ)** is a duly recognized course-based organization at the University of the Philippines Mindanao. It is the organization's goal to promote Food technology as a science-based course significant in the development of the food industry and society. For 22 years, the organization has established its significance in the establishment of excellent food technologists from UP Mindanao who exemplify core values developed through multiple activities conducted on and off-campus.

As part of the organization's annual event and mandate to promote the degree program, the organization will bring back **Panagtigiay 2025** with a theme **“Fortifying and Enriching the Future of Innovative Young Minds in Food Science and Technology.”** Panagtigiay is an annual event empowering young minds with the critical challenges and transformative opportunities in food science and technology, including food safety, food security, and environmental sustainability. It strives to create a platform to motivate learning, and that demonstrates the scope of Food Technology through four main events: extemporaneous speech, essay writing, poster-making contest, and inter-school quiz bowl for the senior high school students in Davao Region. It aims to foster connections between schools in the Davao Region by uniting talented students for each competition. Moreover, the event is also an avenue for the promotion of the BS Food Technology program to students as well as the University of the Philippines Mindanao. The annual activity is a **whole-day event** to be conducted at the **Mintal Gymnasium on January 24, 2025, from 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM.**

With that said, we would like to formally **ask for permission to conduct the event.** With this, we humbly request a memorandum from your office to give assurance to the participating schools that the event is approved by the Department of Education. Attached herewith are the guidelines and mechanics for the event.

We believe that this initiative mirrors the values of our institution and is a great way to show our commitment to public service and community engagement. Should we be permitted to do the aforementioned activity, we would responsibly use this opportunity to really reach out and build rapport with the community we promised to serve.



**University of the Philippines – Mindanao
Philippine Association of Food Technologists, Inc.**



Lambda Chapter (PAFT - λ)
Brgy. Mintal, Tugbok District, Davao City 8022 Philippines

Sincerely yours,

CHRISTIAN PREGLO
PAFT-λ President

Approved by:

ROVIGEM VILLAME-GAYAGAS, MSc.
PAFT-λ Adviser



PANAGTIGIAY 2025 MECHANICS & GUIDELINES

GENERAL PANAGTIGIAY 2025 GUIDELINES

1. The contest only caters to 25 slots for all secondary schools in Region XI.
2. Each participating school must notify the organizing committee of its intention to participate in the contest on or before 11:59 PM of January 10, 2025, through the contact details provided in the invitation letter.
3. Each participating school is entitled to be represented by bona fide GRADE 11 STUDENTS. The team is comprised of one (1) contestant for the On-the-Spot Poster-Making Contest, one (1) contestant for the Essay Writing Contest, one (1) contestant for Extemporaneous Speech Competition, and three (3) contestants for the Panagtigiay 2025 Quiz Bowl. They must be accompanied by one (1) official school representative delegated as coach.
4. Each participating school shall pay PHP 100.00 for each of the individual competitions they intend to participate (On-the-Spot Poster Making contest, Essay Writing Competition, and Extemporaneous Speech contest) and PHP 300.00 for Panagtigiay 2025 Quizbowl.
5. If a participating school intends to compete in all four competitions, they can avail the PANAGTIGIAY BUNDLE for a discounted price of PHP 500.00.
6. Registration shall take place before each competition starts. The registration schedules for the events are as follows:
 - On-the-Spot Poster Making Contest: 8:00 AM to 8:30 AM
 - Essay Writing Contest: 8:00 AM to 8:30 AM
 - Extemporaneous Speaking Competition: 8:00 AM to 8:30 AM
 - Panagtigiay 2025 Quizbowl: 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM
7. STRICTLY NO WALK-INS.



GUIDELINES FOR ON-THE-SPOT POSTER-MAKING CONTEST

General Mechanics

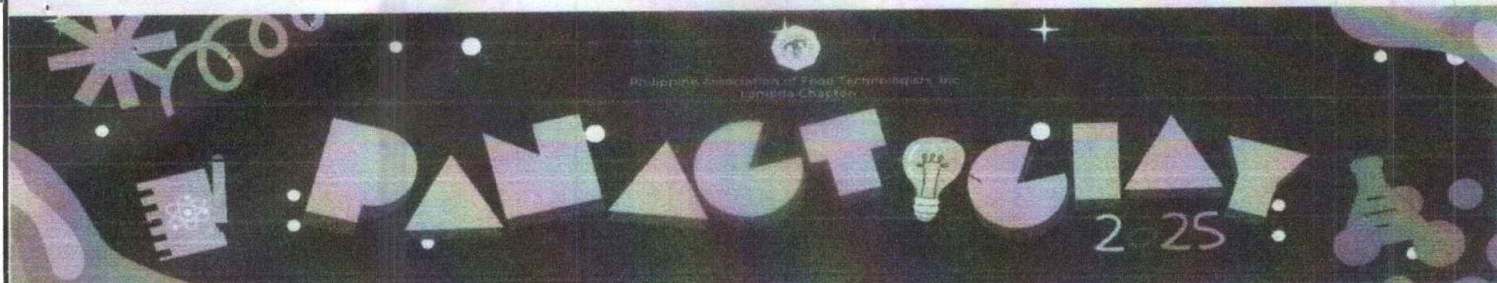
1. The participant must bring their own coloring materials. They are only allowed to use the following during the competition: *pencils, ball pens, markers, crayons, and/or oil pastels.*
2. The event organizers will provide a *1/4 size illustration board.*
3. The theme of the poster will be given on the day of the contest.
4. Each participant is given 1 hour and 30 minutes to finish his/her poster.
5. **STRICTLY NO TIME EXTENSIONS.**

Criteria for Judging

CRITERION	EQUIVALENT SCORE (%)
Originality	35%
Creativity	30%
Relevance to the theme	25%
Over-all Impact	10%
Total	100%

Winners

1. At the conclusion of the contest, the second runner-up, first runner-up, and the champion will be awarded with medals, certificates of recognition, and cash prizes. The winners will receive:
 - First Place: Php 1,000.00
 - Second Place: Php 700.00
 - Third Place: Php 300.00
 - All participants, regardless of standing, shall be given certificates of participation and tokens.
 - The participating coaches shall also be given certificates of participation.
 - All participating schools shall receive certificates of appreciation.



GUIDELINES FOR QUIZ BOWL

General Mechanics

1. PANAGTIGIAY 2025 Quiz Bowl shall be composed of three rounds:
 - Easy Round
 - Average Round
 - Difficult Round
2. The questions in each round shall be within the scope of General Science (*Chemistry, Physics, Biology*) and Food Science and Technology.

Quiz Proper

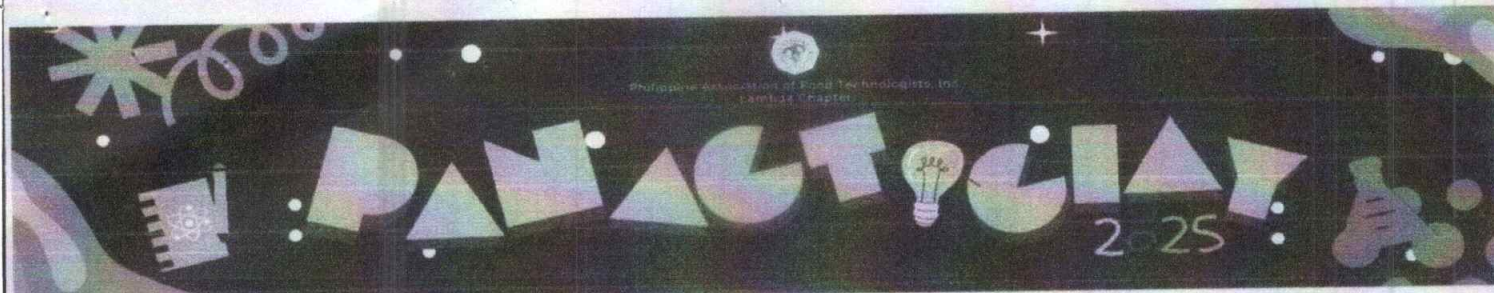
Table 1. Quiz proper scheme

ROUND	NUMBER OF QUESTIONS	TIME ALLOTTED	CORRESPONDING POINTS
Easy	15	10 seconds	1 point
Average	15	20 seconds	3 points
Difficult	10	30 seconds	5 points

1. The table above shows the number of questions, allotted time, and corresponding points for each round.
2. All teams are to participate in the Easy, Average, and Difficult round.
3. Determination of the qualifying teams shall be done jointly by the judges and the organizing committee.
4. The basis for winners shall be the cumulative points garnered by each team from all the rounds.

Answering Mechanics

1. A whiteboard, marker, and eraser will be provided to the participants. Clean sheets of paper and pens shall be provided for questions requiring mathematical solving. However, each team must bring their own scientific calculator.
2. Participants are only allowed to write their answers after the quizmaster says "Go". Any team caught writing before this shall forfeit their chance to answer the present question.
3. Answers must be written legibly on the whiteboard.
4. Only complete answers will merit full credit. Incomplete and wrongly spelt answers shall be considered wrong answers.



5. Should a question require a scientific name, only an answer that is written correctly shall be considered as the correct answer.
6. Participants must stop writing after the quizmaster says "Stop". A violation shall invalidate any answers to the present question.
7. All teams shall raise their illustration boards with or without an answer after the quizmaster announces, "Boards up, please".

Protest Mechanics

1. A protest may be raised by any participant.
2. All protests shall be forwarded to the judges for decision.
3. During the protest, the contestant has the privilege of consulting any reference, provided they are relevant to the subject of the protest.
4. Protests regarding a particular question will be entertained only before the next question is read.
5. Once the next question is read, no protest regarding the previous question will be entertained.
6. The decision of the Board of Judges is final and irrevocable.

Tie Breaking

1. In case of a tie at the end of the last phase of this contest, a tiebreaker will immediately take place.
2. Questions of any difficulty and type will be asked until one contestant gains an advantage in score over the other.
3. The first contestant to gain an advantage in score will be declared the victor of the tie and will merit the corresponding award.
4. Scores for each question shall follow that of the Difficult round.

Winners

1. At the conclusion of the contest, the second runner-up, first runner-up, and the champion will be awarded with medals, certificates of recognition, and cash prizes. The winners will receive:
 - First Place: Php 4,500.00
 - Second Place: Php 3,000.00
 - Third Place: Php 1,500.00
2. All participants, regardless of standing, shall be given certificates of participation and tokens.
3. The participating coaches shall also be given certificates of participation.
4. All participating schools shall receive certificates of appreciation.



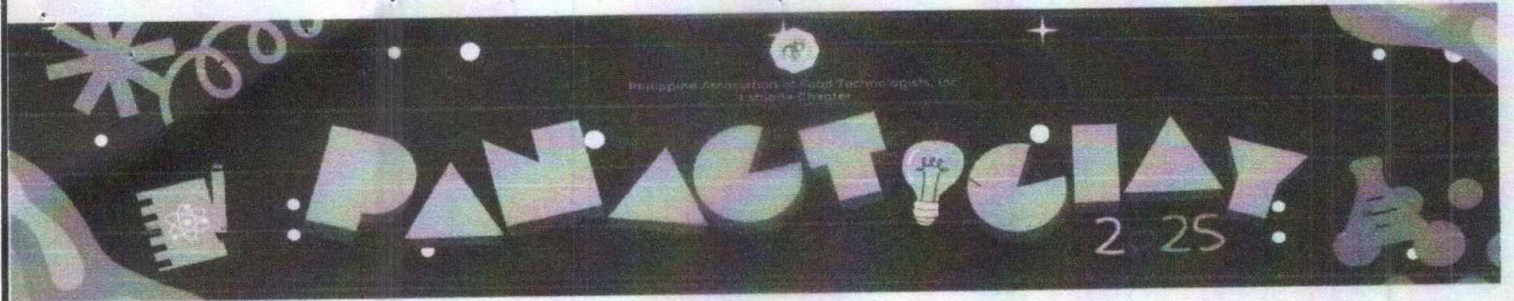
GUIDELINES FOR EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEECH CONTEST

General Mechanics

1. The participating schools may only choose one (1) student to represent their institution and compete in the Extemporaneous Speech contest.
2. Each participant will draw a topic randomly from a pool of topics that is under the theme "*Fortifying and Enriching the Future of Innovative Young Minds in Food Science and Technology,*" specifically:
 - a. Food Science and Technology
 - b. Sustainable Development Goals
 - c. Current National Issues
3. Participants are not allowed to use any gadgets to access the internet for research or any technological assistance.
4. Participants shall be given five (5) minutes to prepare and three to five (3-5) minutes to deliver their speech.
 - a. Once a participant starts their speech, the next contestant may begin to draw their topic to start their five (5) minutes of preparation.
 - b. A timer would be provided to the contestant, judges, and audiences for transparency.
 - c. A buzzer and a color-coded flag will be raised to signal the specific time frames during the delivery of speech.
 - d. There will be a 2-point deduction for every exceeding ten (10) seconds overtime of the speech from the judges' scores. No deduction will be incurred if the overall time does not exceed ten (10) seconds past the allotted five (5) minute speech and will serve as a grace period.
5. The use of props, sound effects, and other paraphernalia is strictly prohibited.
6. Participants should deliver the speech in the English language

Criteria for Judging

CRITERION	EQUIVALENT SCORE (%)
Content and Relevance	35%
Delivery (Stage Presence & Engagement)	30%
Organization (Structure & Promptness)	20%
Language and Style (Pronunciation, Diction, & Vocabulary)	15%
Total	100%



Winners

1. At the conclusion of the contest, the second runner-up, first runner-up, and the champion will be awarded with medals, certificates of recognition, and cash prizes. The winners will receive:
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GUIDELINES FOR ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

General Mechanics

- Participants will write an essay by hand and must bring their own pen during the competition proper, paper will be provided for them to write.
- The theme of the essay will revolve around "PANAGTIGIAY 2025: Fortifying and Enriching the Future of Innovative Young Minds in Food Science and Technology."
- The essay must demonstrate critical thinking, creativity, and coherence with the given theme.
- Essays must be written in English with a word limit of 500 to 1000 words. The essay should be an original work of the contestant.
- Each participant must submit their essay within the given 1 hour and 30 minutes time frame.
- No electronic devices (phones, laptops, tablets, etc.) are allowed.
- No reference materials will be allowed during the competition.
- **STRICTLY NO TIME EXTENSIONS.**

Criteria for Judging:

CRITERION	EQUIVALENT SCORE (%)
Content: Essay thoroughly addresses the topic, providing insightful analysis with strong supporting details.	35%
Organization: Essay is exceptionally well-organized with a clear introduction, body, and conclusion; Ideas flow logically and transitions are seamless.	30%
Creativity and Originality: Essay demonstrates original thinking with creative insights or approaches that engage the reader.	15%
Writing Style: Writing is clear, concise, and engaging, using varied sentence structures and precise vocabulary; Tone and voice are well-suited to the essay's	10%



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Grammar and Mechanics: Essay is free of grammatical, spelling, or punctuation errors.	10%
Total	100%

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