



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

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

August 20, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
SGOD-2025-527

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Division Chiefs (CID & SGOD)
Public Schools District Supervisors
Education Program Supervisor
Public School Heads
Public School Teachers
All Others Concerned

Subject: **DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION FOR THE COMPLETION CEREMONY OF THE LINKING STANDARD AND QUALITY PRACTICE PROGRAM COMPLETERS**

This is in reference to Regional Memorandum HRDD-2025-188 dated July 30, 2025, signed by Allan G. Farnazo, Director IV, re: **Dissemination of Information for the Completion Ceremony of the Linking Standard and Quality Practice Program Completers.**

The Philippine Normal University (PNU) in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd) through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), will conduct its 11th Commencement Exercises on September 9-10, 2025 at Tent City, Manila Hotel.

The activity will be conducted per cluster according to the following schedule:

Schedule	Cluster	Time
September 9, 2025, Tuesday	Cluster 1	8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
	Cluster 2	2:00 PM to 6:00 PM
September 10, 2025, Wednesday	Cluster 3	8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
	Cluster 4	2:00 PM to 6:00 PM

The **Official List of Completers**, as identified by PNU, shall be released through a separate advisory.

The Completion Ceremony will be attended by the Program Completers, identified by PNU, together with the Regional Directors of DepEd Region XI.

Transportation, per diem, and other incidental expenses of scholars who received confirmation to attend the ceremony shall be charged against School/Division MOOE and other local funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.



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For clarification, contact Maureen Ava B. Acuña, Education Program Specialist II (HRDD-RNEAP Scholarship Focal Person) through hrddneapro11@gmail.com.

Other relevant details are found in the enclosures.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is highly desired.

MELANIE P. ESTACIO, PhD, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

For and in the absence of the
Schools Division Superintendent

PETER-JASON C. SENARILLOS
SEPS-SMN
Officer In-Charge

Enclosed: As stated.
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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
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July 30, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
HRDD-2025-188

DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION FOR THE COMPLETION CEREMONY OF
THE LINKING STANDARDS AND QUALITY PRACTICE
PROGRAM COMPLETERS

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents

1. The Philippine Normal University (PNU) in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd) through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), will conduct its 117th Commencement Exercises on September 9-10, 2025, at Tent City, Manila Hotel.

2. The activity will be conducted per cluster according to the following schedule:

Schedule	Cluster	Time
September 9, 2025 Tuesday	Cluster 1	8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
	Cluster 2	2:00 PM to 6:00 PM
September 10, 2025, Wednesday	Cluster 3	8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
	Cluster 4	2:00 PM to 6:00 PM

3. The Completion Ceremony will be attended by the Program Completers, identified by PNU, together with the Regional Director of DepEd XI. Further details and other information are found in the enclosures.

4. Transportation, per diem, and other incidental expenses of scholars who receive confirmation to attend the ceremony shall be charged against School/Division MOOE and other local funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. For clarification, contact, Maureen Ava B. Acuna, Education Program Specialist II (HRDD-RNEAP Scholarship Program Focal Person) through hrddneapro11@gmail.com.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is highly desired.

Encl.: As stated:

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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR LEARNING SYSTEMS

MEMORANDUM
DM-OULS-2025-014

TO : **Regional Directors**
Schools Division Superintendents
NEAP-HRDD Chiefs
Regional LiSQuP Focal Persons
All Others Concerned

FROM : *Carmela Oracion*
CARMELA C. ORACION
Assistant Secretary
Officer-in-Charge
Undersecretary for Learning Systems

SUBJECT : **LINKING STANDARDS AND QUALITY PRACTICE (LISQUP)**
COMPLETION CEREMONY

DATE : July 29, 2025

1. The Philippine Normal University (PNU), in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd) through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), will conduct the Completion Ceremony for the Linking Standards and Quality Practice (LiSQuP) Program as part of PNU's 117th Commencement Exercises on 9–10 September 2025 at Tent City, Manila Hotel.

2. The Completion Ceremony will be conducted per cluster according to the following schedule:

Schedule	Cluster	Time
September 9, 2025 Tuesday	Cluster 1	8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
	Cluster 2	2:00 PM to 6:00 PM
September 10, 2025 Wednesday	Cluster 3	8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
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3. The **official list of completers**, as identified by PNU, shall be released through a separate advisory. PNU will confer postgraduate certificates to scholars who have met the following minimum unit requirements in specialization and elective courses, as outlined in the Outcome-Based Graduate Teacher Education Curriculum (OBGTEC 3.0):

- Master's Level (MA): at least 15 units
- Doctorate Level (PhD): at least 18 units

In the context of PNU-LiSQuP, a (post)graduate certificate serves as a credential that verifies a scholar's content knowledge in their area of specialization.

Meanwhile, a (post)graduate diploma will be awarded to scholars who, in addition to fulfilling the requirements in specialization and elective courses, have also completed the following minimum number of units in core courses:

- Master's Level (MA): at least 15 units
- Doctorate Level (PhD): at least 12 units

Core courses must include subjects in the following areas:

- Philosophy (ED701/ED801)
- Research (ED702, ED703, ED704, ED804, ED803, ED805)
- Innovation (PED701, PED702, INV701, INV702, ED802)

A (post)graduate diploma affirms a scholar's mastery of pedagogy, research, and innovation within the context of the PNU-LiSQuP program.

4. Transportation, per diem, and other incidental expenses of scholars who receive confirmation to attend the ceremony shall be charged against School/Division MOOE and other local funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. However, this provision excludes any guests they may bring along, which means their expenses will not be covered.

5. Regional Offices shall have the authority to determine and approve the appropriate duration of travel for participants, particularly for those who require extended travel time due to distance or other logistical considerations.

6. LiSQuP scholars who have resigned from or have been separated from the Department of Education (DepEd) by any means will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony or receive their postgraduate certificate or diploma unless they have fully settled their financial obligations with DepEd, in accordance with OM-OUHROD-NEAP-2023-0601, titled **Non-Completion of Linking Standards and Quality Practice (LiSQuP) Scholarship Program**.

7. One (1) representative per Regional Office—either the Regional Director, Assistant Regional Director, NEAP-HRDD Chief, or the Regional LiSQuP Focal Person—is expected to attend both scheduled clusters' completion ceremonies. Transportation, per diem, and other incidental costs shall be charged against Regional Local Funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

8. The Cluster Assignment and Schedule for the Completion Ceremony is attached for reference and guidance.

9. For any further information or concerns, please contact the NEAP Scholarship Secretariat via email at scholarships@deped.gov.ph or by phone at (02) 8715-9919.

10. For immediate dissemination and appropriate action.



CLUSTER ASSIGNMENT AND SCHEDULE FOR THE COMPLETION CEREMONY

September 9 & 10, 2025

The Manila Hotel Tent City, Ermita Manila

Schedule	Cluster Assignment
8:00 AM (Morning Session) September 9, 2025 (Tuesday)	MA (Faculty of Language and Literature) Graduate Certificate in English Language Education Graduate Diploma in English Language Education Gradwadong Sertipiko sa Edukasyong Pangwika sa Filipino Gradwadong Diploma sa Edukasyong Pangwika sa Filipino PHD (Faculty of Language and Literature) Postgraduate Certificate in English Language Education Postgraduate Diploma in English Language Education Post-gradwadong sertipiko sa Edukasyong Pangwika sa Filipino Post-gradwadong diploma sa Edukasyong Pangwika sa Filipino MA (College of Advanced Studies) Graduate Certificate in Reading Education Graduate Diploma in Reading Education PHD (College of Advanced Studies) Postgraduate Certificate in Reading Education Postgraduate Diploma in Reading Education
2:00 PM (Afternoon Session) September 9, 2025 (Tuesday)	MA (College of Advanced Studies) Graduate Certificate in Curriculum and Instruction Graduate Diploma in Curriculum and Instruction Graduate Certificate in Educational Assessment and Evaluation Graduate Diploma in Educational Assessment and Evaluation Graduate Certificate in Educational Leadership and Management Graduate Diploma in Educational Leadership and Management PHD (College of Advanced Studies) Postgraduate Certificate in Curriculum and Instruction Postgraduate Diploma in Curriculum and Instruction Postgraduate Certificate in Educational Leadership and Management Postgraduate Diploma in Educational Leadership and Management
8:00 AM (Morning Session) September 10, 2025 (Wednesday)	MA (Faculty of Behavioral Sciences) Graduate Certificate in Values Education Graduate Diploma in Values Education Graduate Certificate in Counseling Graduate Diploma in Counseling Graduate Certificate in Social Science Education Graduate Diploma in Social Science PHD (Faculty of Behavioral Sciences) Postgraduate Certificate in Counseling Postgraduate Diploma in Counseling MA (Faculty of Education and Information Sciences) Graduate Certificate in Early Childhood Education Graduate Diploma in Early Childhood Education
2:00 PM (Afternoon Session)	MA (Faculty of Science, Technology, and Mathematics)



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UNIVERSITY
For the Advancement of Quality Education

**LINKING STANDARDS AND
QUALITY PRACTICE (LiSQuP)**

September 10, 2025 (Wednesday)	<p>Graduate Certificate in Science Education (Integrated Science) Graduate Diploma in Science Education (Integrated Science) Graduate Certificate in Mathematics Education (Secondary Teaching) Graduate Diploma in Mathematics Education (Elementary Teaching)</p> <p>PHD (Faculty of Science, Technology, and Mathematics) Postgraduate Certificate in Science Education Postgraduate Diploma in Science Education Postgraduate Certificate in Mathematics Education Postgraduate Diploma in Science Education</p>
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