



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
DIGOS CITY DIVISION



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2025-520

To : Asst. Schools Division Superintendent
CID Chief
SNED Focal Person
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads
All Others Concerned

Subject: **INVITATION TO YOUNG DEAF SUMMIT**

Date : October 23, 2025

In reference to the attached 1st Indorsement Letter from the Office of the Regional Director, DepEd RO XI, this office informs the field of the upcoming **Young Deaf Summit** organized by the School of Deaf Education and Applied Studies (SDEAS) on **November 26, 2025, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM**, in **Davao City**. The specific venue shall be announced in a subsequent memorandum.

The activity is intended for Grade 10 and Senior High School Deaf students and their parents and shall be **conducted free of charge**.

Additionally, all DepEd personnel/School Administrators, teachers and learners who would like to participate in the activity shall adhere to the policy on "No Disruption of Classes" per DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled: "Institutionalizing Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith", and no government fund shall be used.

Please refer to the attached documents for other details concerning the activity.

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

DepEd Schools Division of Digos City
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1st Indorsement
October 20, 2025

Respectfully referred to all Schools Division Superintendents, inviting attention to the attached letter of Marian Patricia Bea U, Francisco, PhD, Dean, School of Deaf Education and Applied Studies of Dela Salle College of Saint Benilde re: conduct of Young Deaf Summit on November 26, 2025, From 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

This Office interposes no objection to the summit and that the participation of DepEd personnel/School Administrators/teachers and learners is discretionary on the part of the Office of the Schools Division Superintendent, in adherence 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;" is strictly followed. Further, no government funds shall be used for this purpose. School Heads are advised to ensure that school/classes are managed during the summit.

ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Director IV

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ROC
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Re:
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DE LA SALLE-COLLEGE OF SAINT BENILDE

6 October 2025

Allan G. Farnazo, CESO IV
Regional Director
Department of Education – Region XI

Dear Director Farnazo,

Warm greetings from De La Salle-College of Saint Benilde.

The School of Deaf Education and Applied Studies (SDEAS) is pleased to inform you about our annual flagship event, the **Young Deaf Summit**, which has been held since 2019 in NCR and extended to other regions including Visayas and Mindanao. This initiative is designed specifically for Grade 11–12 Deaf students, providing seminars, training, and advocacy programs that strengthen Deaf leadership and empowerment.

This year's summit theme is **"DEAFxGEN: Deaf Futures Reimagined."** The event will be held on **November 26, 2025, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.**

In line with this, we respectfully seek your kind support in:

1. Providing a suitable venue within the Davao Region for the summit.
2. Endorsing the activity to all Deaf students from Grade 10 and Senior High School (Grades 11–12) across the region, as well as to their parents, to highly encourage participation.

Please be assured that this activity is of **no cost and fully funded through the Deaf GROW Project.**

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to our Advocacy Coordinator, Mr. Francis Ethelbert M. Pagaduan, at francisethelbert.pagaduan@benilde.edu.ph or through our office mobile 0917.869.8231.

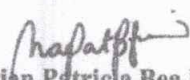
We sincerely hope for your favorable response and support for this meaningful initiative for the Deaf youth.

Thank you very much for your kind consideration.

Respectfully yours,

Francis Ethelbert M. Pagaduan
Coordinator, Deaf Advocacy Program

Noted by:


Marian Patricia Bea U. Francisco, PhD
Dean, School of Deaf Education and Applied Studies

YOUNG DEAF SUMMIT “DEAFxGEN: Deaf Futures Reimagined”	
NOVEMBER 26, 2025 9:00AM – 3:00PM DAVAO CITY	
PROGRAMME	
TIME	ACTIVITY
9:00AM - 9:20AM	Registration
9:20AM – 9:40AM	Opening Prayer National Anthem House Rules
9:40AM – 10:00AM	Welcome Remarks Allan G. Farnazo, CESO IV Director, DepEd Region XI Dr. Marian Patricia Bea Francisco Dean, School of Deaf Education and Applied Studies
10:00AM - 10:15AM	• Group Photo • Raffles • Games • Preparation for plenary sessions (Deaf students & parents)/ Breaktime

	SESSION 1- Deaf Students	SESSION 2- Teachers & Parents
10:15AM - 11:15AM	Career Orientation & Deaf Awareness Facilitator: Mr. Bronson Escalderon	School of Deaf Education and Applied Studies Program Presenter: Dr. Marian Patricia Bea Francisco Ms. Rochelle Martin
11:15AM-12:00PM	Experience Like No Other in Benilde SDEAS Alumni Experience Sharing	Deaf Awareness Orientation Facilitator: Mr. Francis Ethelbert Pagaduan

12:00PM - 1:00PM	LUNCH	
1:00PM-1:45PM	Future-Ready Deaf Leaders: Leading with Balance and Purpose Moderator: Mr. Bronson Escalderon Panelist: Inah Abrasaldo Leezan Bacus Franzlin Banua	Filipino Sign Language Facilitator: Mr. Shaquille De Guzman Assistant: Christine Abigail Baculio
1:45PM-2:20PM	Games	
2:20PM - 2:50PM	Announment: Benilde Admission	
2:50PM-3:00PM	• Raffle • Provide snacks • Wrap up	