



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
DIGOS CITY DIVISION

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2026-084

To : Curriculum Implementation Division Chief
Education Program Supervisor

Subject : **PARTICIPATION TO THE NATIONAL MARKET SCOPING OF SUPPLEMENTARY LEARNING RESOURCES (SLRs) 2026**

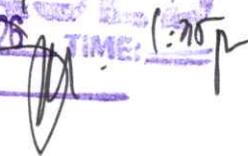
Date : February 25, 2026

Pursuant to Regional Memorandum CLMD-2026-059, re: **Participation to the National Market Scoping of Supplementary Learning Resources (SLRs) 2026 in Partnership of National Book Development Board (NBD)**, this Office advises the identified personnel **Leilani T. Señires** to attend the activity on March 11-13, 2026, in a venue within National Capital Region.

Travel and incidental expenses will be covered by local funds, while the Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR) will provide accommodation. All expenses are subject to applicable government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Immediate dissemination and compliance of this Memorandum is desired.


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

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DAVAO REGION

February 12, 2026

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
CLMD-2026-059

PARTICIPATION TO THE NATIONAL MARKET SCOPING OF
SUPPLEMENTARY LEARNING RESOURCES (SLRs) 2026

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. Pursuant to BLR-2026-02-0289, re: **Request for the List of Participants for the 2026 National Market Scoping Activity of Supplementary Learning Resources (SLRs) in Partnership of National Book Development Board (NBDB)**, this Office advises the identified participants to attend on March 11-13, 2026 in a venue within National Capital Region.
2. List of participants and other details are enclosed.
3. Travel and other incidental expenses shall be charged against local funds while BLR will provide the accommodation, all subject to the usual government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
4. Immediate dissemination and compliance of this Memorandum is directed.

ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Director IV

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List of Participants to the National Market Scoping of SLRs

Office/Station	Name	Designation
Regional Office	Analiza C. Almazan	EPS, LRMS
	Peter M. Cainglet	Librarian II
Davao City	Rosalie G. Antipuesto	Librarian II
	Venus De Castro	Hub Librarian
Digos City	Leilani Señeres	EPS, LRMS
Davao del Sur	Alpha Amor Manglicmot	Librarian II
Davao Occidental	Arlene Lastimoso	Librarian II
Davao del Norte	Edgar Manaran	EPS, LRMS
	Charline V. Udani	Librarian II
Davao de Oro	Leah Baruiz	Librarian II
Davao Oriental	Juessa Estrella	Librarian II
Samal City	Franlo Bucog	Librarian II
Mati City	Arnel S. Zaragosa	EPS, LRMS
	Ailyn V. Ponce	Librarian II
Panabo City	Djhoanne Aguilar	EPS, LRMS
	May H. Zarate	Librarian II
Tagum City	Jeffrey Santiago	Librarian II

Prepared by:


Analiza C. Almazan
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Office of the Director
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TO : **ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS**

FROM : **ATTY. SOZETTE T. GANNABAN-MEDINA**
 Officer-in-Charge
 Office of the Director IV

SUBJECT : **REQUEST FOR THE LIST OF PARTICIPANTS FOR THE 2026 NATIONAL MARKET SCOPING ACTIVITY OF SUPPLEMENTARY LEARNING RESOURCES (SLRs) IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE NATIONAL BOOK DEVELOPMENT BOARD (NBDB)**

DATE : **February 10, 2026**

The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Learning Resources (BLR), will conduct the *National Market Scoping Activity of Supplementary Learning Resources (SLRs) in Partnership with the National Book Development Board (NBDB)* in conjunction with the **2026 Philippine Book Festival from March 12 to 15, 2026**, at the **Megatrade Hall, SM Megamall, Ortigas Center, Mandaluyong City**. This activity will also serve as the venue for identifying book titles for school libraries and library hubs. In line with this, the BLR will likewise conduct an adjoining activity titled "**National Market Scoping for Supplementary Learning Resources (SLRs) in Partnership with the National Book Development Board (NBDB)**" from **March 11 to 13, 2026**, at a venue within the **National Capital Region (NCR)**.

Relative to this, kindly identify participants and submit the list using the attached template as *Annex A*. For the prescribed number of participants, please refer to *Annex B* which indicates the allocation for your Region. A separate memorandum will be issued to provide further details.

The participants shall be composed of the following:

1. For Regional Offices (ROs), delegation shall consist of the Regional LR Supervisor and Regional Librarian
2. For Schools Division Offices (SDOs), participants shall be primarily the Library Hub Librarian and/or SDO Librarian depending on the slot available. The LR Supervisor may designate to attend in case of unavailability of aforementioned personnel.

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Please be informed that the identified participants shall attend the online training sessions with the NBDB being the official scopers during the PBF. Only those completed the training modules shall attend the market scoping activity and receive a certificate. Attached herewith is the official course syllabus. Each identified participant shall strictly follow the schedule, outline, and assigned homework relative to the training.

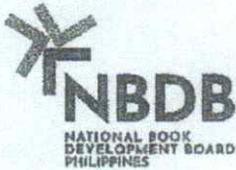
We would appreciate receiving the copy of Annex A in **MS Excel** format **on or before February 13, 2026**. Kindly send the files at email address blr.od@deped.gov.ph copy furnish blr.lrqad@deped.gov.ph, robert.martin001@deped.gov.ph and lamiciyn.dacles@deped.gov.ph.

Additionally, all Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) Chiefs and SDO LR Supervisors are advised to attend the online training sessions.

For any query or clarification, kindly coordinate with the **Bureau of Learning Resources-Office of the Director** through e-mail address blr.od@deped.gov.ph or call at telephone numbers (02) 8634-1072/8631-6922.

For information and strict compliance.

Gingoog City		1
Iligan City		1
Malaybalay City		2
Oroquieta City		1
Ozamis City		1
Tangub City		1
Valencia City		2
Region XI		
Davao de Oro		1
Davao del Norte		2
Davao del Sur		1
Davao Occidental		1
Davao Oriental		1
Davao City	2	2
Digos City		1
Mati City		2
Panabo City		2
Samal City		1
Tagum City		1
Region XII		
Cotabato		1
Saranggani		1
South Cotabato		2
Sultan Kudarat	2	2
General Santos City		2
Kidapawan City		2
Koronadal City		2
Tacurong City		2
CARAGA		
Agusan del Norte		1
Agusan del Sur		2
Dinagat Islands		2
Surigao del Norte		2
Surigao del Sur		1
Bayugan City	2	1
Bislig City		1
Butuan City		1
Cabadbaran City		1
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Surigao City		2
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10 February 2026

ATTY. SUZETTE T. GANNABAN-MEDINA

Officer-in-Charge
Bureau of Learning Resources

Dear **Attorney Gannaban-Medina**,

Greetings from the **National Book Development Board (NBDB)**!

We are respectfully submitting the updated **official course syllabus** on **Book Selection** as part of the National Market Scoping for the Supplementary Learning Resources for Public School Libraries and Library Hubs.

The purpose of this short course is to equip the DepEd scopers with skills and a deep understanding of the selection, evaluation, and procurement of appropriate books for learners. This course shall be considered as professional development training.

Rest assured that we remain steadfast in providing technical assistance or clarification should this be required. For inquiries, please contact us at policy@books.gov.ph.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,


MA. DIVINER CARAELE
Officer-in-Charge, NBDB

OFFICIAL COURSE SYLLABUS

Program Title	Book Selection
Implementing Office	National Book Development Board (Professional Development) and DepEd BLR
Mode of Delivery	Online
Total Duration	15 Hours (5 Sessions, 3 Hours Each)
Schedule	19 February, 27 February, 02 March, 05 March, 09 March 2026 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM Extra Module 6- 11 March 2026 (day before PBF; face-to-face)
Homework Policy	All homework is due ONE (1) day before the next scheduled class and must be sent to research@books.gov.ph .
Zoom link (recurring meeting)	(to be sent to confirmed participants)

Note: Use of personal computers is necessary for training purposes. Please learn how to use White Board on Zoom.

I. COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course **equips scopers with the skills and systems-level understanding necessary to select, evaluate, and procure appropriate books for students.** The course integrates student voice, market awareness, author engagement, and structured scoping learning to support book purchasing decisions.

II. COURSE OBJECTIVES

By the end of the program, participants will be able to:

- Book Trends and Genre Relevance;
- Understand habits and decision-making in selection decisions;
- Integrate student reading data into selection decisions;
- Identify appropriate sourcing channels for book purchases;
- Evaluate books and catalogs using professional criteria;
- Learn how to use the New Scoping Tool;
- Understand the difference between fast pass books and titles for evaluation; and
- Create a robust shortlist.

III. COURSE STRUCTURE AND SESSION OUTLINE

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
Before 19 February 2026			<p>Please work on the following and turn it in by 17 February 2026. Students who have not finished will not be allowed to join the class or the scoping at the Philippine Book Festival.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Survey Response - The Survey will take you 30-45 minutes to finish, and submission is automatic once finished. Link here: https://bit.ly/ScopersSurvey Inventory List - This will take you one week to finish if your library or school currently does not have a list. Please prepare early. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Library Hub or School Holdings Inventory List (Note: If you do not have a template, 		<p>Accomplished Pre-work Survey and Inventory Template for Book Holdings.</p> <p>Deadline: Before 17 February 2026</p>

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
			<p>please use this template: https://bit.ly/BookHoldings b. Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Prerequisite, Last Name, Region. For example: Prerequisite, Tugade, NCR</p>		
MODULE 1- 19 February 2026	MODULE 1: FOUNDATIONS, CONTEXT, AND STUDENT VOICE (3 Hours)	Deadline: 17 February 2026. 1. Survey Response 2. Holdings/ Inventory List	<p>Part A: Foundations and Context</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Course orientation and expectations • Online learning tools and collaboration norms • Landscape of SLR book procurement by region • Identification of key challenges in school book purchasing (budget, diversity, relevance) • Group sharing and synthesis • Your favorite Author <p>Part B: Trends and Practical Application</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Preferences Survey • Book trends by key stage (Key Stage 1-4) • Importance of student voice in book selection 	NBDB Executive Director Charisse Aquino-Tugade	<p>Administer the Student Reading Preferences Survey (minimum 50 students per grade level, if possible)</p> <p>Link here: https://bit.ly/3OrtTlm</p> <p>Deadline:</p>

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finalization of a Student Reading Preferences Survey 		<p>25 February 2026</p> <p>Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Reading Preferences, Last Name, Region.</p> <p><u>For example:</u> Reading Preferences, Tugade, NCR</p>
MODULE 2 – 27 February 2026	MODULE 2: WHERE BOOKS COME FROM AND HOW TO BUY THEM (3 Hours)	Student Reading Preferences Survey (minimum 50 students per grade level, if possible) Link here:	<p>Part A: Book Availability and Distribution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draft Book List Discussion Recap of Book Trends Educational and trade book publishers (local and international) Distributors, vendors, and catalog review Fast Pass- Awards and Existing Catalogs 	TBD	Develop your DRAFT Book List with a minimum of 5 titles per key stage, including title, author, age/grade, genre,

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
		<p>https://bit.ly/3OrTLm</p> <p>Deadline: 25 February 2026</p>	<p>Part B: Your First Evaluation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Preferences- Discussion • Interactive-based purchasing activity • Personal and school-based purchasing practices • Selection and justification of top book choices by key stage 		<p>and brief rationale</p> <p>Deadline: 27 February 2026</p> <p>Link here: https://bit.ly/ScopersBookList</p> <p>(This will be your working draft until the end of the course)</p> <p>Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 1, Last Name, Region. For example: Book List</p>

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
					1, Tugade, NCR
MODULE 3 – 02 March 2026	MODULE 3: MEETING AUTHORS AND BUILDING BOOK ADVOCACY (3 Hours)	Develop a Book List with a minimum of 5 titles per key stage, including title, author, age/grade, genre, and brief rationale Deadline: 27 February 2026 Link: <a href="https://bit.ly/Scope
rsBookList">https://bit.ly/Scope rsBookList (This will be your working draft until	Engagement with authors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet your Favorite Author and talk about books by genre • Exploration of author voice, intent, and audience • Book skimming and discussion of preferred titles • Analysis of emotional connection versus curriculum alignment 	TBD	

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
		<p>the end of the course)</p> <p>Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 1, Last Name, Region. For example: Book List 1, Tugade, NCR</p>			
<p>MODULE 4 - 05 March 2026</p>	<p>MODULE 4: AUTHOR ENGAGEMENT BY GENRE (3 Hours)</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engagement with authors 	TBD	<p>Revised Book List with up to 15 titles per Key Stage</p> <p>Deadline: 08 March 2026</p> <p>Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph</p>

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
					ov.ph with subject title: Book List 2, Last Name, Region. For example: Book List 2, Tugade, NCR
MODULE 5 – 09 March 2026	MODULE 5: SCOPING TOOLS, SHORTLISTING, AND PBF PREPARATION (3 Hours)	Revised Book List with up to 15 titles per Key Stage Deadline: 08 March 2026 Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 2, Last Name, Region. For example: Book List 2,	SCOPING TOOLS, SHORTLISTING, AND PBF PREPARATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction and demonstration of the scoping tool • Application of evaluation criteria¹ (level, genre, diversity, cost, relevance) • Reminder– Tools for Research and Fast Pass titles • Development of an initial shortlist by key stage 		Update Book List 3 per key stage Deadline: 11 March 2026 Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 3, Last Name, Region. For example: Book List 3, Tugade, NCR

¹ Based on DepEd D.O. 24, s. 2023

Session/ Date	Title	Pre-requisite	Outline	Instructor	Homework
		Tugade, NCR			
Module 6	MODULE 6 LET'S GET READY FOR PBF (3 Hours)	PRINT OUT Final shortlist per key stage Deadline: 11 March 2026	LET'S GET READY FOR PBF <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What to Expect at PBF • Review of Catalogs and • Review of Scoping Tool • Planning your two days • Your Final Book List • The final vetting process • Post Scoping Survey Link 		Update Final Book List per key stage Deadline: 30 March 2026 Email: Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Final Book List, Last Name, Region. For example: Final Book List, Tugade, NCR

IV. ASSESSMENT AND OUTPUTS

Participants are expected to complete the following outputs:

- Survey Response
- Student Reading Preferences Survey
- Inventory List of Library Hub/School
- Book List by Key Stage (3 Drafts)
- How to navigate the scoping tool for PBF

V. SUMMARY OF HOMEWORK

Module	Deadline	Homework	Email
Prerequisite Homework	17 February 2026	Pre-work Survey: https://bit.ly/ScopersSurvey	Fill out and submit the survey form
		List of Holdings/Inventory: https://bit.ly/BookHoldings	Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Prerequisite, Last Name, Region. <u>For example:</u> Prerequisite, Tugade, NCR
Module 1	25 February 2026	Student Reading Preferences Survey: https://bit.ly/3OrtTl.m	Administer the survey and submit a summary of responses.

Module	Deadline	Homework	Email
			Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Reading Preferences, Last Name, Region. <u>For example:</u> Reading Preferences, Tugade, NCR
Module 2	27 February 2026	Book List: https://bit.ly/ScopersBookList	Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 1, Last Name, Region. <u>For example:</u> Book List 1, Tugade, NCR
Module 4	08 March 2026	Revised Book List with up to 15 titles per Key Stage	Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 2, Last Name, Region. <u>For example:</u> Book List 2, Tugade, NCR
Module 5	11 March 2026	Updated Book List	Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Book List 3, Last Name, Region. <u>For example:</u> Book List 3, Tugade, NCR
Module 6	30 March 2026	Final Book List per Key Stage	Email to research@books.gov.ph with subject title: Final Book List, Last Name, Region. <u>For example:</u> Final Book List, Tugade, NCR