



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

**OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT**

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

CID-2026-045

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
 CID and SGOD Chief  
 Public Schools District Supervisors  
 Public and Private School Heads and Academic Coordinators  
 All Education Program Supervisors  
 All Others Concerned

Subject : **DIVISION ORIENTATION ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STRENGTHENED SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (SSHS) CURRICULUM**

Date : March 4, 2026

Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 012, s. 2026 on the Full Implementation of the Strengthened Senior High School Curriculum, and in alignment with the policy directions set forth in DepEd Memorandum No. 048, s. 2025 on the Pilot Implementation of the Strengthened SHS Curriculum, this Office hereby calls for the attendance of all Private and Public Senior High School (SHS) School Heads and SHS School Focal Persons to a Division Orientation on the Implementation of the Strengthened Senior High School (SSHS) Curriculum, on Wednesday, March 4, 2026, from 1:30 PM to 5:00 PM at the Division Conference Room, Schools Division Office of Digos City.

The orientation aims to provide participants with a clear understanding of the strengthened curriculum framework, implementation guidelines, preparatory requirements, and support mechanisms to ensure a smooth and coordinated rollout across all Senior High Schools in the Division.

Attendance shall be **in person** to facilitate immediate clarification of concerns and alignment of school-level implementation plans. In view of the participants' absence from their respective schools during the activity, **School Heads are hereby directed to make prior arrangements to ensure that classes continue and learning delivery remains uninterrupted**, in adherence to the **No Class Disruption Policy**.

The **List of Participating Schools** and the **Orientation Flow** are attached as **Enclosures 1 and 2**, respectively, for guidance and reference.

For strict compliance.

DepEd Schools Division of Digos City  
 RECORDS SECTION

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DATE: 04 MAR 2026 TIME: 10:21 AM

BY:

For and in the absence of the  
 Schools Division Superintendent

**SOLLIE B. OLIVER, JD, MATE**

Chief- School Governance and Operations Division  
 Officer-In-Charge

Enclosed: As stated.  
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**Enclosure 1: List of Participating Schools**

**Private Senior High Schools**

1. Asian Institute of Technology-Digos, Inc.
2. Southwill Learning Center, Inc.
3. Cor Jesu College, Inc.
4. University of Mindanao – Digos College
5. Holy Cross Academy, Inc.
6. Philippine International Technological School, Inc.
7. Digos Central Adventist Academy, Inc.
8. Southern Mindanao Computer College, Inc.
9. Mary Mediatrix of All Graces Academy, Inc.
10. Polytechnic College of Davao del Sur, Inc.
11. Davao Del Sur Institute of Languages and Technological College, Inc.
12. Saver's Technological College of Davao, Inc.
13. Prime Innovations School of South Davao, Inc.

**Public Senior High Schools**

1. Digos City NHS (Davao Del Sur NHS)
2. Goma NHS
3. Kapatagan NHS
4. Ruparan NHS
5. Matti NHS
6. Soong NHS
7. SHS in Digos City

**Facilitators**

1. CID Chief
2. Division SHS Focal
3. Secondary Public Schools District Supervisors
4. All Education Program Supervisors
5. Division Guidance Coordinator II
6. Division Private School Focal



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**Enclosure 1: Conference Flow**

**Topic:** Orientation on the Implementation of the Strengthened SHS Curriculum  
**Time:** 1:30 PM – 5:00 PM

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Details / Focus</b>	<b>Person(s) Involved / Method</b>
1:30 – 1:45 PM	Registration	Attendance and distribution of materials	Secretariat
1:45 – 1:55 PM	Opening Prayer & National Anthem	Formal opening of the orientation	AVP / PMT
1:55 – 2:05 PM	Acknowledgment of Participants	Recognition of participants	CID Representative
2:05 – 2:20 PM	Welcome Message	Importance of readiness for SSHS implementation	CID Chief
2:20 – 2:45 PM	Policy Overview of the Strengthened SHS Curriculum	National directives, scope, and timeline	EPS – Secondary
2:45 – 3:30 PM	Key Features of the SSHS Curriculum	Tracks, electives, learner pathways, and reforms	EPS – Secondary
3:30 – 3:45 PM	Health Break	—	—
3:45 – 4:15 PM	School-Level Preparations	Curriculum mapping, class programming, staffing	PSDS / CID
4:15 – 4:30 PM	Presentation of School Preparation Plan Template	Guidelines on accomplishing the SSHS readiness plan	CID / SGOD
4:30 – 4:45 PM	Furnishing and Submission of Preparation Plans and Timeline	Timeline, submission process, and reporting requirements	CID
4:45 – 4:55 PM	Open Forum	Clarifications and discussion	All Participants
4:55 – 5:00 PM	Closing Message	Key reminders and next steps	ASDS / CID Chief

**Expected Outputs**

- Shared understanding of SSHS policy and implementation guidelines
- Identified school readiness actions and timelines
- Strengthened coordination between schools and the Division Office
- Accomplished and submitted School SSHS Preparation Plan



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DepEd MEMORANDUM  
No. **012**, s. 2026

**FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STRENGTHENED SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL  
CURRICULUM IN SCHOOL YEAR 2026-2027**

To: Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
Minister, Basic Higher and Technical Education, BARMM  
Bureau and Service Directors  
Regional Directors  
Schools Division Superintendents  
Public and Private Secondary School Heads  
State/Local Universities and Colleges Heads  
Attached Agencies  
All Others Concerned

1. In line with the continuing efforts of Department of Education (DepEd) to improve the relevance, responsiveness, and quality of Senior High School education, DepEd announces the **full implementation of the Strengthened Senior High School (SHS) Curriculum in Grade 11 starting school year (SY) 2026-2027.**
2. The Strengthened SHS Curriculum introduces key structural, instructional, and content reforms to foster mastery of foundational skills, enhance learner choice based on ability and aspirations, and improve workforce readiness. These changes are designed to ensure that learners acquire relevant skills and competencies aligned with the demands of higher education, middle skills development, employment, and entrepreneurship.
3. Anchored in DepEd Memorandum No. 048, s. 2025 titled Pilot Implementation of the Strengthened Senior High School Curriculum for Grade 11 in School Year 2025-2026, DepEd officially launched the Strengthened SHS Curriculum in SY 2025-2026 for Grade 11 learners in 891 pilot schools.
4. **In light of the successful implementation of the pilot, all public and private SHSs are directed to implement the Strengthened SHS Curriculum for incoming Grade 11 learners starting SY 2026-2027,** while Grade 12 learners in SY 2026-2027 shall continue to take the existing SHS curriculum.
5. **Pilot schools that implemented the Strengthened SHS Curriculum for Grade 11 in SY 2025-2026 shall continue the pilot for their Grade 12 learners in SY 2026-2027.** Likewise, they are expected to continue implementing the Strengthened SHS Curriculum for their incoming Grade 11 learners in SY 2026-2027.

6. In preparation for the full implementation, DepEd offices across all governance levels are encouraged to undertake necessary preparatory activities. These may include curriculum mapping, academic and operational planning, orientation for school leaders and teachers, coordination with relevant partners, and other initiatives to support the implementation of the Strengthened SHS curriculum.
7. Technical assistance packages, including guidance on school planning and workforce management, as well as training packages for core subjects and electives, will be made available online for both public and private schools.
8. Further guidelines on the implementation of the Strengthened SHS Curriculum shall be issued through subsequent DepEd issuances, including guidance on offering a new track, such as Academic or Technical Professional (TechPro), or additional TechPro electives.
9. For any related questions or concerns, please contact the **Technical Working Group for the Strengthened SHS Program** through email at [strengthenedshs@deped.gov.ph](mailto:strengthenedshs@deped.gov.ph).
10. This Memorandum shall take effect 15 days after its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation and after its publication on the DepEd website. Certified copies of this Memorandum shall be registered with the Office of the National Administrative Register (ONAR) at the University of the Philippines Law Center (UP LC), UP Diliman, Quezon City.
11. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



**SONNY ANGARA**  
Secretary

Reference:

DepEd Memorandum (No. 048, s. 2025)

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under the following subjects:

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