



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

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2026-78

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
CID Chief
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads
Teachers
All Others Concerned

Subject : **UPSKILLING OF THE REGIONAL QUALIFIERS TO THE 2026 NATIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (NFOT)**

Date : March 24, 2026

Relative to DepED Memorandum No. 019 s. 2026 on the 2026 National Festival of Talents (NFOT) dated March 10, 2026, this office informs the conduct of upskilling of regional qualifiers in order to enhance the skills and competencies of the student participants beginning March 25 to April 14 for Pinasayaw, Likhawitan, and Techno Fusion. Identified training venues are Digos City National High School and Pedro V. Basalan Elementary School.

The division participants to this activity are the 2026 NFOT qualifiers, their respective coaches, and the concerned Education Program Supervisors. Monitoring will be conducted by Division Education Program Supervisors to ensure the quality of the training sessions and to provide necessary technical assistance.

Further, all shall be entitled to service credits (in case the dates fall under legal holidays and Saturdays) in accordance with DepEd Order 53, s. 2003 entitled: Updated Guidelines on the Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Teachers and Compensatory Time-Off (CTO) as per Civil Service Commission (CS) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004 on Non-Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered. Service credits shall also be granted to teacher-coaches and trainers as compensation for the conduct of the upskilling.

For immediate dissemination and compliance.

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**SCHEDULE OF UPSKILLING OF THE REGIONAL QUALIFIERS FOR 2026
NATIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (NFOT)**

EVENTS	LEARNER	SCHOOL	COACH	TRAINER	EPS
Pinasayaw	1. Jemaima D. Diez 2. Stephanie V. Mier 3. Nashalyn M. Batomalaque 4. Mr Stellavent B. Diosana 5. Juliana Faith L. Dingcong 6. Charel H. Villa 7. Queencybelle C. Argallon 8. Kate Gianelle T. Condez 9. Restina Wee 10. Lorraine D. Mainit 11. Dositi V. Dodoso 12. Kiesha Bliss D. Sadili 13. Wencee Kate C. Eting 14. Avril Kate B. Dagasdas	Digos City National High School	Jestonie A. Ampoon	Edmar Lloyd Alimento Grace Labanon Ericson Senon Mary Flora Bill Mahinay	Angel V. Bisaga, Jr.
Likhawitan	1. Chynna Juliana S. Tinagan 2. Blue Nhieza T. Pabalan 3. Princess Kate M. Castardo 4. Jewel Anne G. De Leon	Digos City National High School	Art Albert R. Antipuesto Jefferson G. Bancoro	Noel Villarta	Angel V. Bisaga, Jr. Rowena M. Magdayao
Techno Fusion	1. Quoleen M. Bucol 2. Renzielle Euff T. Palmares	Pedro V. Basalan Elementary School	Marive C. Alcomendras	Juvic Sucayre	Elizabeth F. Quiñones