DIVISION MEMORANDUM
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ONLINE NATIONAL TRAINING FOR KINDERGARTEN REMOTE TEACHING AND LEARNING: DEVELOPMENTALLY APPROPRIATE RESPONSES IN THE TIME OF COVID-19

Tg: Assistant School Division Superintendent
CID & SGOD Chiefs
Education Program Supervisors and Division Coordinators
Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary School Heads
District Kindergarten Coordinators
All Kindergarten Teachers
All Others Concerned

1. To ensure the continuity of delivering quality basic education and in line with DM-CI-2020-00224, the Bureau of Learning Delivery Teaching and Learning Division (BLD-TLD) will conduct an Online National Training for Kindergarten Remote Teaching and Learning: Developmentally Appropriate Responses in The Time of Covid-19 on September 14-18, 2020 (1:00-4:30/afternoon session)

2. The training aims to:
   - review and revisit child development principles relevant and specific to Kindergarten teaching, learning and assessment, with emphasis on developmentally appropriate practices in the context of home-school collaboration;
   - explore ways to integrate Kindergarten curricular content and competencies through play-based learning at home;
   - strengthen the child’s critical thinking at home through stories and literacy conversations;
   - strengthen understanding of developing skills in the different domains of literacy appropriate for home-based learning;
• explore ways to enhance socio-emotional learning through appropriate
  and formative feedback; and
• explore ways to enhance different kinds and levels of thinking among
  learners.

3. Participants to this activity are the Division Kindergarten Coordinator,
   Elementary School Heads and all Kindergarten teachers. All participants shall join
   the designated FB Group a week before the training commences on September
   14, 2020; otherwise, they shall not be accepted on the day of the training. Meeting
   link and FB Group will be forwarded to CID GC and Kindergarten Coordinators GC
   via Facebook messenger.

4. The Division Kindergarten Team composed of LIBERTINE JOY G. BALDILLO,
   MA. YNEZ P. GALON and EMABELLE MAE AÑONUEVO, expected to have
   attended the 5-day training prior to September 14 will serve as facilitators in the
   selection and compilation of materials as outputs by the teachers relative to the
   training topics. These materials shall form part of the toolkit to be packaged by the
   National TWG and shall be disseminated once completed after all the cluster
   trainings have been conducted.

5. Widest dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are earnestly
desired.

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