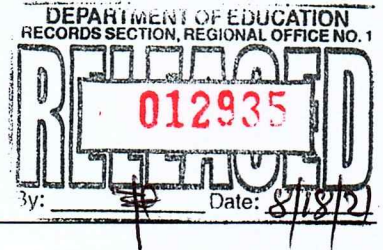




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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 909, s. 2021

**SUPPLEMENTARY GUIDELINES IN THE UTILIZATION OF ADDITIONAL
DOWNLOADED FUNDS FOR THE PROVISION OF QUARTERS 1 AND 2
LEARNING RESOURCES OF SY 2021-2022**

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. The Office of the Undersecretary for Finance and the Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction issued the Joint Memorandum DM-OUCI-2021-309 entitled Supplementary Guidelines in the Utilization of Additional Downloaded Funds for the provision of learning resources for Quarters 1 and 2 of SY 2021-2022.
2. The fund amounting to Php 1,731,794,777.00 under FY 2021 Flexible Learning Options Fund has been downloaded to the regions for the provision of learning resources. Additional funds of Php 2,789,757,455.00 shall be released to the regions. The allocation for Region 1 is Php145,154,619.00 (Please see Annex A) for reference
3. Attached is the Aide Memoire for the guidelines on how the nominees were chosen and the mechanics of choosing outstanding volunteer tutors along with the process being undertaken.
4. The nominations and online voting and the final selection of awardees have undergone a comprehensive procedure from last week of June 2021 to the entire month of July 2021 which engaged the learners, parents and teachers on online voting through the different social media accounts such as facebook, youtube and email accounts. After the final tally of Online Voting (50%) of the total score, the Top 5 nominees for the Quality Category and Subject Area Category officially became the Finalists to be qualified to the Second Phase which includes the Interview (20%) and the evaluation of the Video Presentation (30%) for the total score of 100%, with the exception of the Most Punctual Tutor and Most Reliable Tutor Awards. (Please see the details in the Aide Memoire).
5. The official board of judges for the interview and evaluation of the video presentation included the Lead of the ETUlay Program, one member of the EdTech Unit and a reputable head of an institution.

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6. The schedule for the entire selection process was purposely determined to coincide with the Fourth Quarter of the school year to commence the ETUlay Awards. Unfortunately, the call for lockdown in the National Capital Region (NCR) and other regions has prompted the ETUlay Awards Committee to move the date from August 20, 2021, together with the DepEd TV Awards to September 24, 2021 to give way to the preparations for the Awarding Ceremonies.

7. For queries on concerns on the above-mentioned subject, kindly contact Mr. Mark Anthony Jamisal, Educational technology Specialist through email address markanthony.jamisal@deped.gov.ph or at 0995-140-7791.

8. For immediate dissemination and appropriate action.

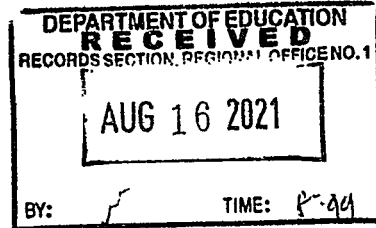


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Reference: As stated
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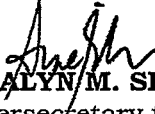


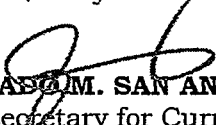
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JOINT MEMORANDUM
DM-OUCI-2021-309

TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
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CHIEF, CURRICULUM AND LEARNING MANAGEMENT
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FROM :  **ANNALYN M. SEVILLA**
Undersecretary for Finance

 **DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO** #
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SUBJECT : **Supplementary Guidelines in the Utilization of Additional Downloaded Funds for Provision of Quarters 1 and 2 Learning Resources of SY 2021-2022**

DATE : August 5, 2021

This memorandum is issued to establish the guidelines on the release and utilization of the downloaded funds for the provision of learning resources for Quarters 1 and 2 of SY 2021-2022.

The fund amounting to Php 1,731,794,777.00 under FY 2021 Flexible Learning Options Fund has been downloaded to the regions for the provision of learning resources. Additional funds in the total amount of Php 2,789,757,455.00 shall be released to the regions. The allocation per region is attached hereto for reference as Annex A.

The funds mentioned above shall be utilized for the same purpose and considerations provided under Joint Memorandum No. DM OUCI 2021-195 (Supplementary Guidelines in the Utilization of Downloaded Funds for Provision of Quarters 1 and 2 Learning Resources of SY 2021-2022) dated June 2, 2021, which states that the utilization of funds should be compliant with the provisions of the Department Order 18 s. 2020 (Policy Guidelines for the Provision of Learning Resources in the Implementation of the Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan [BE-LCP]) except the use of Special Education Fund (SEF) and/or actual contributions from external partners as the basis for the allocation formula to be used in distributing the fund to the school divisions. In addition, DM 2021-195 reiterates that the



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use of the fund shall also be guided by Memorandum No. OUF-2020-0614 (Clarifications on DepEd Order 18, s. 2020 and DepEd Order 32, s. 2020 [Guidelines on the Engagement of Services of Learning Support Aides to Reinforce the Implementation of the BE-LCP in time of COVID-19 Pandemic]) which clarifies the eligible activities that may be charged against the said funds.

DM OUCI 2021-195 was further elucidated by Joint Memorandum No. DM OUCI 2021-261 (Clarifications on DM-OUCI-2021-195 and Provision of Information for the Continuous Response of the Department to the Pandemic As Regards Learning Resources, Compliance with COA Rules and Other Regulations, and Submission of Reports) dated July 8, 2021, which provides information and clarifies certain aspects in the continuous response of the Department to the pandemic situation, more particularly the legal basis for the provision of learning resources, compliance with Commission on Audit (COA) Rules and Other Regulations, and reporting of data and expenditures.

Finally, for Monitoring and Evaluation of the said funds, the utilization of which shall be reported in the Statement of Expenditure (SOE) template provided under Joint Memorandum No. DM OUCI 2021-210 dated June 4, 2021.

For information and guidance.

Enclosures:

Joint Memorandum No. DM OUCI 2021-195
Joint Memorandum No. DM OUCI 2021-261
Joint Memorandum No. DM OUCI 2021-210
Memorandum No. OUF-2020-0614
DM-CI-2020-00245

Annex A

Funds for Downloading for the Provision of Quarters 1 and 2 Learning Resources of SY 2021-2022

REGIONS	AMOUNT
REGION I	145,154,619.00
REGION II	104,180,206.00
REGION III	304,814,179.00
CAR	45,334,658.00
REGION IV-A	381,100,455.00
REGION IV-B	103,334,550.00
REGION V	193,927,440.00
NCR	257,956,600.00
REGION VI	235,253,286.00
REGION VII	223,259,713.00
REGION VIII	151,205,159.00
REGION IX	120,666,116.00
REGION X	144,146,939.00
REGION XI	144,811,210.00
REGION XII	143,303,957.00
CARAGA	91,308,368.00
TOTAL	2,789,757,455.00