



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
 REGION I



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 657, s. 2024

**CONDUCT OF THE GAWAD TEODORA ALONSO 2024
 (6TH NATIONAL COMPETITION ON STORYBOOK WRITING)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents


1. The Department of Education, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division-Learning Resource Management Section announces the Conduct of the Regional Activities relative to the Gawad Teodora Alonso 2024 (6th National Competition on Storybooks Writing).
2. The GTA 2024 aims to:
 - a. appreciate the role of stories and illustrated storybooks as tools in the development of reading and of learning curricular content standards;
 - b. harvest original stories that demonstrate learning competencies of the K to 10 MATATAG Curriculum;
 - c. recognize the skills and talents of classroom teachers, nonteaching personnel, education leaders, and learners in the production of storybooks for basic education; and
 - d. contribute to the treasury of content materials for utilization as reading resources and transformation to engaging media.
3. Below is the recommended timeline of activities:

	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4	Category 5	Category 6
	Storybooks for Young Readers	Storybooks for Beginning Readers	Storybooks for Emergent Readers	Storybooks for Habit and Hobby Readers	Storybooks for Young Readers	Storybooks for Young Readers by Young Writers
Judging at the Division Level	To be determined by the Schools Division Office					
Submission to the Regional Office c/o LRMS	August 9, 2024	August 9, 2024	August 9, 2024			
Judging at Regional Level	August 14-16, 2024	August 14-16, 2024	August 14-16, 2024			
Consolidation of Results	August 19-20, 2024	August 19-20, 2024	August 19-20, 2024			
Enhancement and printing of the	August 21-23, 2024	August 21-23, 2024	August 21-23, 2024			

Regional entries						
Awarding Ceremony	To be announced through a separate memorandum					

4. Per information from the Bureau of Learning Resources, the 2024 General Guidelines and Standards of the Gawad Teodora Alonso (6th National Storybook Writing Competition) is enroute for approval. While waiting for the release of the said guidelines, the SDOs are advised to refer to DepEd Memorandum No. 056 s. 2023 titled "Conduct of the Gawad Teodora Alonso 2023" in the initial preparation of entries.
5. Program Support Fund will be downloaded to the Schools Division Offices for the Division Level Storybook Writing Competition.
6. For more information, please contact the Chief Education Supervisor of the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) at telephone number (072) 682-2324 local 120 or at Learning Resource Management Section (LRMS) through the Education Program Supervisor-LRMS at telephone number (072) 682-2324 local 121 or email at lrmds.region1@deped.gov.ph.
7. For information and guidance.

For the Regional Director:


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Encl: None
 Reference: DepEd Order 56 s. 2023
 To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
 Under the following subjects:

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