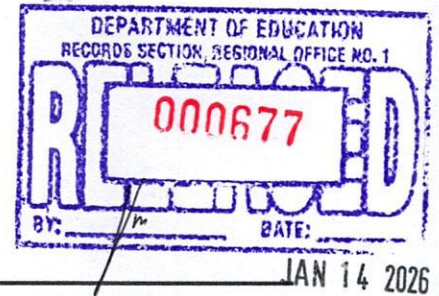




Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION I



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
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**REGIONAL TRAINING ON STRENGTHENING GENDER-FAIR EDUCATION**

To: Schools Division Superintendents


1. This Office, through the Gender and Development Focal Point System (GFPS) and the Human Resource Development Division (HRDD), will conduct the **Regional Training on Strengthening Gender-Fair Education** at the National Educators Academy of the Philippines – Region I (NEAP-RI), San Vicente, City of San Fernando, La Union on **February 18–20, 2026**.
2. The training aims to equip newly installed school principals with the essential knowledge and skills to foster an inclusive, equitable, and gender-responsive learning environment, enabling all learners to reach their full potential
3. Participants are new school principals with less than one (1) year experience and who have not attended any regional training on Gender and Development (GAD). The number of participants from each Schools Division Office (SDO) is as follows:

Alaminos City	2
Batac City	2
Candon City	2
Dagupan City	2
Ilocos Norte	2
Ilocos Sur	2
Laoag City	2
La Union	2
Pangasinan I	3
Pangasinan II	3
San Carlos City	2
San Fernando City	2
Urdaneta City	2
Vigan City	2

4. All SDOs, through their designated focal persons for GAD, are requested to submit names of identified participants through the link: <https://tinyurl.com/GFE-Participants> on or before **January 30, 2026**.
5. The Opening Program shall be on Day 0, February 17, 2026 at 2:00 p.m The first meal to be served will be dinner on Day 0, and the last meal will be lunch on Day 3.

6. The travel expenses of identified participants shall be charged against SDO/School GAD Fund or other local funds subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
7. This memorandum serves as authority to travel of the participants.
8. For queries and other concerns, please contact HRDD through (072) 682-23-24 local 122 or e-mail [hrdd.region1@deped.gov.ph](mailto:hrdd.region1@deped.gov.ph).
9. For information and compliance.



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