



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
 REGION I



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 550, s. 2026

VIRTUAL ORIENTATION FOR THE ARAL SUMMER PROGRAM

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. In reference to Memorandum DM-OULS-2026-154 from the Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems dated 29 April 2026, the Department of Education, through the National Educators Academy of the Philippines, shall conduct the Virtual Orientation for the ARAL Summer Program on May 04, 2026, from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM, via the DepEd Philippines Facebook Page.

2. The said orientation is anchored on the ARAL Law, or the Academic Recovery and Accessible Learning Act, Republic Act No. 12028, and aims to provide field implementers with a common understanding of the key features, implementation guidelines, and operational processes of the ARAL Summer Program.

3. The activity is expected to strengthen the readiness of regional and division personnel in supporting the implementation of the program, particularly in clarifying roles and responsibilities, delivery mechanisms, support systems, and other implementation requirements.

4. The orientation shall cover the following key components:
- Rationale of ARAL Summer;
 - Policy Statement of ARAL Summer;
 - DepEd Summer Programs;
 - Participation of Learners in the Summer Programs;
 - Program Implementation;
 - Structure of Summer Remediation Program Sessions;
 - Program Support; and
 - Incentives for Summer Remediation Program Teachers.

5. In this regard, all Schools Division Offices are directed to ensure the participation of concerned personnel, particularly the CID and SGOD Chiefs, ARAL focal persons, SARP focal persons, SHS focal persons, and other personnel involved in the implementation, monitoring, and technical assistance for the Summer Programs.

6. Participants are advised to ensure stable internet connectivity and availability for the entire duration of the orientation. They are likewise encouraged to log in at least 10 to 15 minutes before the start of the session to avoid technical delays and ensure smooth access to the live broadcast.



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7. For questions or clarifications regarding the national orientation, concerned personnel may coordinate with the National Educators Academy of the Philippines through neap.qad@deped.gov.ph or through the official landline at (02) 8633-7207.

8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Encl.: None

Reference: As stated

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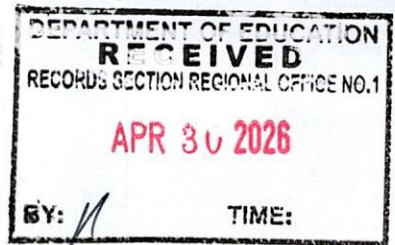
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MEMORANDUM
DM-OULS-2026-154

TO : Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
HRDD and CLMD Chiefs
CID and SGOD Chiefs
ARAL Focal Persons/Reading Focal Persons
All Others Concerned

FROM : *Carmela Oracion*
CARMELA C. ORACION
Assistant Secretary
Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems

SUBJECT : CONDUCT OF VIRTUAL ORIENTATION FOR THE ARAL
SUMMER PROGRAM

DATE : 29 April 2026

1. Pursuant to the ARAL Law (Academic Recovery and Accessible Learning Act, Republic Act 12028), the Department of Education (DepEd), through its training arm the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), shall conduct a **Virtual Orientation for the ARAL Summer Program** on **May 04, 2026, from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM**, via the **DepEd Philippines Facebook Page**.
2. The activity aims to provide orientation on the key features, implementation guidelines, and operational processes of the ARAL Summer Program to ensure alignment and readiness among field implementers.
3. Participants are expected to gain a clear understanding of their roles and responsibilities, as well as the program's delivery mechanisms and support systems, to ensure effective and standardized implementation across regions and divisions.
4. The orientation will cover the following key components:
 - a. Rationale of ARAL Summer
 - b. Policy Statement of ARAL Summer
 - c. DepEd Summer Programs
 - d. Participation of Learners in the Summer Programs



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- e. Program Implementation
 - f. Structure of Summer Remediation Program Sessions
 - g. Program Support
 - h. Incentives Summer Remediation Program Teachers
5. Participants are advised to ensure stable internet connection and availability during the entire duration of the orientation. They are likewise encouraged to log in at least 10 to 15 minutes before the start of the session to avoid technical delays and ensure smooth access to the live broadcast.
 6. All concerned offices are enjoined to support the dissemination of this activity and ensure that identified participants are properly informed and prepared for the orientation. Likewise, technical assistance at the field level shall be extended as necessary to facilitate participation.
 7. For any concerns or clarifications, please feel free to contact **Ms. Anna Maria Patricia V. Santos** or **Mr. John Emmanuel B. Ignacio**, of NEAP-Quality Assurance Division through email neap.qad@deped.gov.ph, or via our office landline at (02) 8633-7207.
 8. The Academy looks forward to your full support, cooperation, and active participation in this undertaking as we collectively advance the implementation of the ARAL Program.
 9. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



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