

Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**  
**ORD-2023-356**

**TO :** **SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS**  
 SDO Pasig City  
 SDO Quezon City

**FROM :** **WILFREDO E. CABRAL, CESO III**  
 Regional Director

**SUBJECT :** **DEVELOPMENT OF TWO ASSESSMENT MATRICES AND TOOLS FOR ALS MICRO-CERTIFICATION**

**DATE :** May 8, 2023

1. The Department of Education through the Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE) and the United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) Philippines, through the University of Melbourne, Australia, in partnership with the Assessment, Curriculum and Technology Research Center, University of the Philippines, will conduct an Online Workshop on the Development of Two Matrices and Tools for Alternative Learning System (ALS) Micro-Certification on May 9-10, 2023 ( Initial Review Workshop) and May 16-17, 2023 (Final Review Workshop).
2. The activity aims to add two new sets of tools that will focus on Leadership and Problem-Solving capabilities essential for successful employment.
3. In connection with this, the BAE invites the following personnel to participate in the above-mentioned activity. The link will be sent to the email address of the confirmed participants.

Rose Ann Cabayu	ALS Teacher	Quezon City
Margie Canaria	ALS Teacher	Quezon City
Carlo Dalimit	ALS Teacher	Quezon City
Adrian Petalio	ALS teacher	Quezon City
Christine Banzuela	ALS Teacher	Pasig City

4. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

**MEMORANDUM**  
**DM-CT-2023-073**

**TO :** **REGIONAL DIRECTORS**  
Regions III, V, VI, VII, X, XI and NCR

**FROM :**   
**GINA O. GONONG**  
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Teaching 

**SUBJECT :** **DEVELOPMENT OF TWO ASSESSMENT MATRICES AND TOOLS FOR ALS MICRO-CERTIFICATION**

**DATE :** **April 28, 2023**

The Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE) and the United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) Philippines, through the University of Melbourne, Australia, in partnership with the Assessment, Curriculum and Technology Research Centre, University of the Philippines, shall conduct the Development of Two Assessment Matrices and Tools for Alternative Learning System (ALS) Micro-certification.

The study seeks to add two new sets of tools that will focus on Leadership and Problem Solving capabilities essential for successful employment.

In preparation for the pilot study, the research team shall conduct the below workshops. The co-design workshop was already conducted virtually on April 13-14, 2023.

Workshops	Schedules	
	Leadership	Problem Solving
<p><b>Initial review</b>  Participants will review and suggest enhancements to the draft definition and assessment matrix developed by the research team. A second draft of the assessment matrix will be produced from this workshop.  <b>Participants:</b> Same participants in the 1<sup>st</sup> workshop: 6 participants = 3 ALS teachers and 3 experts e.g., employers, work supervisors, recruiters, HR personnel</p>	<p>May 9, 2023  (Tuesday)  10:00-12:00NN</p>	<p>May 10, 2023  (Wednesday)  10:00-12:00NN</p>
<p><b>Final review</b>  New participants will be invited to join the previous participants to review the revised draft assessment matrix  <b>Participants:</b> 4-5 experts who did not participate in the previous workshops and 1-2 experts who previously participated</p>	<p>May 16, 2023  (Tuesday)  10:00-12:00NN</p>	<p>May 17, 2023  (Wednesday)  10:00-12:00NN</p>

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In this connection, the following ALS Teachers are requested to participate in the said workshops:

Region	Schools Division Office	Name of ALS Teacher	Capability
III	Aurora	Froilan A. Cack	Leadership
III	Aurora	Jessica E. Caanawan	Problem Solving
V	Iriga City	Isidro Candido	Problem Solving
VI	Bacolo City	Jason Mel Parcon	Leadership
VII	Lapu-lapu City	Jessa Abellanosa	Leadership
X	Misamis Oriental	Betsy E. Madroño	Problem Solving
X	Cagayan de Oro City	Maribel Calo	Problem Solving
XI	Tagum City	Alfredo J. Macayan III	Leadership
XI	Davao City	Georly Mae Q. Dabalos	Leadership
NCR	Quezon City	Rose Anne Cabayu	Leadership
NCR	Quezon City	Margie Canaria	Leadership
NCR	Quezon City	Carlo Dalimit	Problem Solving
NCR	Quezon City	Adrian Petalio	Problem Solving
NCR	Pasig City	Christine Banzuela	Problem Solving

Participants must send their confirmation on or before April 12, 2023 through [irene.barzaga@deped.gov.ph](mailto:irene.barzaga@deped.gov.ph).

The link and time of the workshops will be sent to the email addresses of confirmed participants.

For further information, please contact **Dr. Marlene Ferido** at [m.ferido@actrc.org](mailto:m.ferido@actrc.org) or **Ms. Irene D. Barzaga** at [irene.barzaga@deped.gov.ph](mailto:irene.barzaga@deped.gov.ph).

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