



Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

REGION III- CENTRAL LUZON
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SCIENCE CITY OF MUÑOZ

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SCHOOLS DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 26, s. 2026

INTEGRATION OF SCHOOL SAFETY, SECURITY, AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS IN TEACHING AND LEARNING

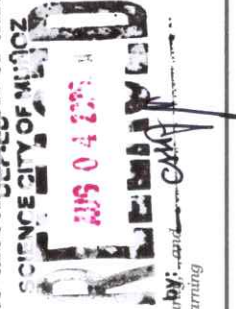
To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary Schoolheads
All Others Concerned

- Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 6, s. 2026 titled *Guidelines on Ensuring Safe and Motivating Learning Environment*, this Office, through the School Governance and Operations Division – Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (SGOD-DRRM) Unit, directs all schools to orient learners on the appropriate response procedures during active attack incidents by showing the instructional video developed by the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) during the Homeroom Guidance period on a weekly basis. This shall continue until learners have demonstrated adequate familiarity with the prescribed Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs).
- Anent to this, all teaching personnel are directed to conduct a Learning Action Cell (LAC) session to discuss the contents of the instructional video, the corresponding Standard Operating Procedures, and the roles and responsibilities of school personnel in ensuring an effective response to active attack incidents.
- The reference file for the activity can be found through the link <https://tinyurl.com/ActiveAttackGuide>.
- In addition, all schools are directed to strengthen their safety and security measures by ensuring the implementation of the following:
 - conduct regular bag inspections in accordance with DO 6, s. 2026;
 - enhance physical site hardening by ensuring that school perimeters are secure and that classrooms, offices, and other learning spaces are equipped with functional locks and other appropriate security measures;
 - ensure that updated emergency hotline numbers are prominently displayed in strategic and highly visible areas within the school;
 - disseminate and strictly implement the school's visitor and vehicle entry and access protocols;
 - post and regularly update Information, Education, and Communication (IEC) materials on the school's safety and security measures, emergency procedures, and established protocols in conspicuous locations;
 - prepare and maintain an Active Attack Contingency Plan; and
 - prepare for the conduct of Lockdown Drill to enhance the readiness of learners, teaching personnel, and non-teaching personnel in responding to security-related emergencies
- Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

Encl: None
Reference: DO 6, s. 2026
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
Under the following subjects:

SAFETY MEASURES

REA Integration of School Safety, Security, and Emergency Preparedness in Teaching and Learning
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