



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION III – CENTRAL LUZON
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SCIENCE CITY OF MUÑOZ

21 September 2026

SCHOOLS DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 314,

s. 2026

**KUMUSTAHAN ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE GMRC/VALUES
EDUCATION CURRICULUM AND THE CHARACTER-BASED
EDUCATION UNDER PROJECT M.Y. H.E.A.R.T.**

To: Chief Education Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary Schoolheads
All Others Concerned

1. To ensure the effective integration and sustained implementation of Character-Based Education anchored on the division flagship initiative, Project M.Y. H.E.A.R.T. (*Molding Youth's Heart through Exemplary Actions, Values, and Right Character Development*), this Office, through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID), shall conduct a Division-wide Kumustahan on the Implementation of Character-Based Education on September 23–24, 2026, from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Conference Hall of Muñoz Central School.

2. This activity aims to:

- a. provide updates on policy direction, curriculum development, and school-level implementation status of Good Manners and Right Conduct (GMRC) and Values Education (VE) under Project M.Y. H.E.A.R.T.;
- b. identify operational gaps, challenges, and best practices across grade levels to bridge implementation gaps;
- c. adjust existing division and school action plans based on gathered feedback and contextualized learner needs; and
- d. provide targeted Technical Assistance (TA) to GMRC/VE coordinators on pedagogical strategies, assessment practices, and character development integration across learning areas.

3. The participants in this activity are the GMRC/VE Coordinators from public elementary to secondary schools and two school heads from the GMRC/VE core group.

4. To ensure an organized flow of discussion, the schedule of activities, and program matrix, are detailed in Enclosure No. 1 of this Memorandum.



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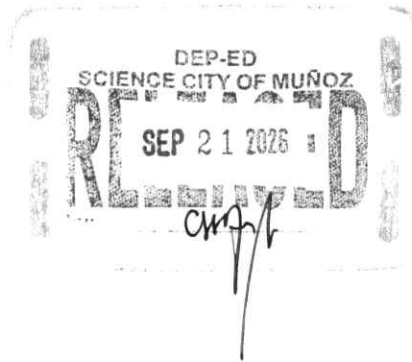
5. Expenses incurred relative to the conduct of this activity, including meals and travel expenses of participants, shall be charged against the School MOOE, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

6. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

GMRC/VE	KUMUSTAHAN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE
CID/MDS	02/September 23-24, 2026 (3-5pm)





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Enclosure No. 1 to Division Memorandum No. 314, s. 2026

ACTIVITY MATRIX

Day 1 Sept. 22, 2026 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.		
Time	Activity / Topic	In-Charge
3:00-3:10	Preliminaries	MARGARIE D. LUCERO, PhD Principal I
3:10 -4:10	Updates on Policy Directions, Curriculum Development and School-Level Implementation Status of Good Manners and Right Conduct (GMRC) and Values Education (VE) under Project M.Y. H.E.A.R.T.	MERCEDITA D. SALDERO EPS-1, GMRC/VE
4:10-5:00	Sharing of identified gaps, challenges, and best practices across grade levels	MARGARIE D. LUCERO, PhD Principal I
Day 2 September 23, 2026 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.		
3:00-3:10	Preliminaries	ALJOHN U. FEBRERO, PhD Principal I
3:10 -4:30	Provision of Technical Assistance to Ensure Proper Implementation of GMRC/VE Curriculum and Focusing on Pedagogical Strategies, Assessment Practices, Mandatory Service sLearning Activities for Grade 10 VE Learners, and Character-Based Education Program (Project MY HEART)	MERCEDITA D. SALDERO EPS-1, GMRC/VE
4:30-5:00	Plan Adjustment and Ways Forward	ALJOHN U. FEBRERO, PhD Principal I