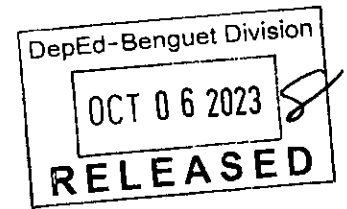




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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 360, s.2023

2023 DIVISION CONTEST/SHOWCASING OF TALENTS OF KINDERGARTEN LEARNERS

- TO: Chief Education Supervisors CID and SGOD
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors and Public Schools District In-charge
Elementary School Heads
All Others Concerned
1. Pursuant to the MATATAG AGENDA particularly on **Take** good care of learners and in support to the 30th National Children's Month Celebration, with the theme "Kalusugan, Kaisipan at Kapakanan ng Bawat Bata Ating Tutukan," the Schools Division of Benguet through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) will be conducting an Online Division Contest/Showcasing of kindergarten learners.
 2. The objectives of this activity are to:
 - a. Acknowledge the significance of children in our lives and society as a whole.
 - b. Showcase skills and talents of kindergarten learners.
 - c. Develop/Strengthen sportsmanship among the learners; and
 - d. Increase collaboration between and among teachers, parents and Guardians.
 3. All elementary schools shall conduct school level activities in celebration of the Filipino Children's Month this November which includes showcasing of talents among the kindergarten learners.
 4. First placers in the school shall participate in the district level activities. Similarly, the first-place winners for each category in the district shall qualify for the division level contest. Each district shall submit three (3) participants for the three events.
 5. Please be guided by the general contest guidelines/mechanics:
 - a. Contestants are currently enrolled in public schools for SY 2023 – 2024.
 - b. Contestant is allowed to participate in **ONE** category only.
 - c. Contestant is given freedom to choose his/her own piece for Poem Recitation aligned with the theme with the help of his/her parent/guardian/ teacher which could be either in English, Filipino and Mother Tongue.



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- d. A time limit of three (3) to five (5) minutes will be allotted for the actual Poem Recitation.
- e. The song titled “A Whole New World” is the contest piece for solo with Karaoke background.
- f. For the Dance contest, “Galaw - galaw Pilipinas” will be the contest piece to be recorded through “Tiktok” in a normal speed. The time limit of three (3) to five (5) minutes performance shall be observed.
- g. Each entry shall be submitted through video, with maximum resolution of 720p (16:9) to optimal 1080p (16:9) and maybe saved in. vmw, .mov, .mp4, or .mpg file formats.
- h. Mechanics in the conduct of the contest per category is to be followed strictly.
- i. Winners per category will be identified by the Board of Judges.
- j. First to third placers learner-winners will receive cash incentives from the Provincial Special Education Fund (SEF) and Certificate of Recognition, and Certificate of Participation for other participants. Teachers/Coaches will receive Certificate of Recognition/Participation.
- k. The decision of the board of judges is final.

6. The winners for each category will be chosen based on the following criteria:

Category	Criteria	Percentage
Poem Recitation	Voice clarity and projection	20%
	Diction	20%
	Alignment to the theme	15%
	Expression and showmanship	15%
	Performance (Level of Confidence, Eye Contact)	20%
	Costume	10%
	*One (1) point deduction from the overall score will be given to the to the contestant that will not perform within the allotted time.	
Solo Singing	Vocal Technique ((voice quality, breath support, intonation, diction, articulation)	40%
	Performance (expressing the meaning, timing):	40%
	Mastery	20%
Dance	Mastery	40%
	Performance (expressing the meaning and timing)	40%
	Costume	20%
	Time	10
	*One (1) point deduction from the overall score will be given to the to the contestant that will not perform within the allotted time. .	

7. Timeline of Activities is presented in **Enclosure I** for guidance.



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8. All entries must be submitted online through the link: tinyurl.com/4ayt9zme or onsite on or before **November 13, 2023**, until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Late submission of entries will not be considered.
9. The technical working group to this event are enumerated in enclosure 2.
10. Meals and snacks of the participants for the activities shall be charged against the 2023 Provincial Special Education Fund while travel and incidental expenses shall be charged against available local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
11. Should there be any queries and/ or clarifications, please feel free to contact The Division Kindergarten coordinator at erlinda.quinuan@deped.gov.ph.
12. Immediate and widest dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.


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Enclosure 1: SDO Memorandum No. 340, S2023

TIMELINE OF ACTIVITIES

Date	Activities	Participants	Venue	In-Charge
October 2-6, 2023	Information dissemination	SDO and District Kindergarten Coordinators, PSDSs/PSDIs School Heads, Kindergarten Teachers	Online/ Onsite Memorandum	SDO Kindergarten Coordinator
November 6-10, 2023	School Contest / Show casing of talents	School Heads, Teachers, Kindergarten Learners	School	School Head
November 13, 2023	Submission of entries to the district	School Heads, District Kindergarten Coordinators	District	District Kindergarten Focal Persons
November 13-14, 2023	Judging of school entries to the district	District Kindergarten Coordinators, Identified Judges	District	District Kindergarten Coordinators
November 15, 2023	Submission of entries to the Division Office	SDO and District Kindergarten Coordinators	Online/ Onsite	SDO and District Kindergarten Coordinators
November 17, 2023	Judging of submitted district entries	SDO and District Coordinators for Kindergarten,	Onsite-TBA	SDO Kindergarten Coordinator
November 20-24, 2023	Awarding of Winners	SDO Coordinator for Kindergarten, CES-CID, SDS	Division Memorandum	SDO and District Coordinators for Kindergarten,



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Enclosure 2 : SDO Memorandum No. 360, s2023

TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP

Category	Name	Designation
Dance		
Chairman	Remedios B. Lamsis	SP1, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, La Trinidad
Members:	Jenneth M. Bastian	SP1, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Kabayan
	Vilma E. Balaodan	SP1, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Bakun
Poem Recitation		
Chairman	Lavi C. Pistula	SP1, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Sablan
Members:	Agustina Mendoza	HT2, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Bokod
	Marcia P. Igualdo	HT3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Buguias
Solo Singing		
Chairman	Josefa A. Belleza	SP3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Tublay
Members:	Mildred Marquez	SP1, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Tuba
	Philip Fowaya/ Christine Puguon	HT3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Itogon 1
Documenters		
Chairman	Trining M. Cagas	HT3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Atok
Members:	Gemma P. Diclas	T3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Kibungan
	Alicia Anasan	HT3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Mankayan
Program Committee		
Chairman	Noemi Mary C. Lenneng	SP1, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Kapangan
Members:	Jocelyn P. Buslotan	HT3, Dist. Kinder Coordinator, Itogon 2



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