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**DISABILITY-INCLUSIVE TRAININGS IN SCIENCE AND  
MATHEMATICS EDUCATION**

The Department of Science and Technology (DOST)-Science Education Institute (SEI), in partnership with International Council for Education of People with Visual Impairment (ICEVI), DepEd and Resources for the Blind, Inc. (RBI), crafted a training specifically designed for elementary mathematics teachers of low vision and visually-impaired students. This year, a training titled “Disability-Inclusive Trainings in Science and Mathematics Education” will be conducted on August 18-26, 2021, 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM via Zoom.

In this regards, the following teachers are invited to join:

| Division        | School                                                  | Name of Teachers                                |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Cabadbaran City | Cabadbaran South Central Elementary School              | 1. Sheila Mae A. Abella<br>2. Ana T. Pascua     |
| Bayugan City    | Bayugan West Central Elementary School with SPED Center | 1. Mary Ann M. Alimpoos<br>2. Chenani P. Sarong |

Registration to the training is free and each participant will be provided with one-time communication allowance for the four online sessions. For queries and clarifications, you may contact Ms. Mary Angelica Palomo at 09772587615 or at [seid.trainingunit@gmail.com](mailto:seid.trainingunit@gmail.com).

Attached in this advisory are the references and programs of activities.

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Dear **Dr. Fetalvero**:

The Science Education Institute of the Department of Science and Technology (DOST-SEI) wishes you well as the academic community embraces the changes that this pandemic has brought upon us. DOST-SEI is continuously finding ways to help our teachers in this trying time. In support to Republic Act 7277 or the Magna Carta for Disabled Persons, we have been providing training to receiving teachers of low vision and visually impaired students on strategies to make science, technology and mathematics subjects meaningful and accessible to the learners. In cooperation with the Department of Education (DepEd) and Resources for the Blind, Inc. (RBI), the project has already capacitated about 300 science and mathematics teachers nationwide since 2014.

In 2019, the DOST-SEI, in partnership with International Council for Education of People with Visual Impairment (ICEVI), DepEd and RBI, crafted a training specifically designed for elementary mathematics teachers of low vision and visually-impaired students. The training aims to empower these teachers with effective teaching strategies and train them on how to maximize use of assistive materials and teaching aid in their mathematics lessons. Last year, to be able to respond to the needs of the time, and still be of service to our teachers and our PWD learners, we conducted the training via online platform to selected teachers from Visayas.

This year, we are glad to inform you that we will be conducting the same training via online with selected teachers from Mindanao. Dubbed as **"Disability-Inclusive Trainings in Science and Mathematics Education"**, the training will be held on **August 18-26, 2021, 1:00-5:00PM via Zoom**. With the assistance of RBI, forty (40) teachers from schools with visually impaired enrollees from the Regions IX, X, XI, XII, CARAGA, and BARMM were identified as participants to the said training.

In this regard, we would like to invite the following teachers from your Region:

| Division        | School                                | Name of Teacher                                   |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| CABADBARAN CITY | Cabadbaran South Central Elem. School | 1. ABELLA, SHEILA MAE A.<br>2. PASCUA, ANA T.     |
| BAYUGAN CITY    | Bayugan West CES SPED Center          | 1. ALIMPOOS, MARY ANN M.<br>2. SARONG, CHENANI P. |

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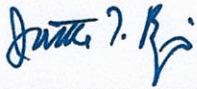
Participants are requested to:

- Ensure that internet connections are reliable and/or secure
- Use Laptop/Personal Computer during the online training
- Keep reference materials related to the subject they teach at hand
- Keep art materials (e.g. scissors, paper, glue, string, etc.) at hand

Should you have further query/clarification, you may contact our staff, Ms. Mary Angelica (Lycka) Palomo, at mobile number 0977 258 7615; or at email address [seid.trainingunit@gmail.com](mailto:seid.trainingunit@gmail.com).

Thank you and we look forward to your usual support.

Very truly yours,



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