

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

CONDUCT OF THE CLASSROOM-BASED SESSION AGAINST ONLINE SEXUAL
ABUSE OR EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN (OSAEC) AND CHILD
SEXUAL ABUSE OR EXPLOITATION (CSAEM)

1. This refers to the Memorandum DM-OUOPS-2025-11-01288 issued by the Office of the Undersecretary for Operations through the Learner Rights and Protection Division (LRPD) requiring schools to conduct the Classroom-based Learning Session relative to Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation (CSAEM) any day in March 2025, in compliance with Presidential Proclamation No. 417 **"Declaring the Second Tuesday of February of every year as Safer Internet Day for Children [in the] Philippines."**
2. The presentation desk and, session guides can be accessed through this link: <https://tinyurl.com/2025AntiOSAECDraft>. For guidance on implementing the classroom-based session guides, an instructional video has been prepared and can be accessed through this link: <https://bit.ly/SIDPhOrientation>.
3. Schools must submit a report on the number of learners reached per grade level or those who attended the classroom-based sessions by filling out the Google Form at <https://bit.ly/SIDPh25ReportingForms>.
4. To comply with the Data Privacy Act, teacher-designates and guidance advocates who will be handling learner disclosures must complete the non-disclosure agreement.
5. All Schools Division Offices (SDO) must submit consolidated and validated school reports to the Regional Office at shiela.abenido@deped.gov.ph.
6. For clarifications and concerns, please contact the Regional Learners Rights and Protection Focal Person, Dr. Adrilene Mae J. Castaños, at adrilenemae.castanos@deped.gov.ph.
7. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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Encl.: As stated.

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TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS
SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERVISORS
SCHOOL HEADS
LEARNER RIGHTS AND PROTECTION FOCAL PERSONNEL
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

FROM : **MALCOLM S. GARMA**
Assistant Secretary, Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Undersecretary for Operations

SUBJECT : CONDUCT OF THE CLASSROOM-BASED SESSION AGAINST
ONLINE SEXUAL ABUSE OR EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN
(OSAEC) AND CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE OR EXPLOITATION
MATERIALS (CSAEM)

DATE : February 19, 2025

In compliance with Presidential Proclamation No. 417 "Declaring the Second Tuesday of February of Every Year as Safer Internet Day for Children [in the] Philippines," and in line with the promulgation of the Implementing Rules and Regulation (IRR) of Republic Act No. 11930, entitled "An Act Punishing Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Anti-Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials (CSAEM)," the Department of Education (DepEd) is mandated to ensure the implementation of anti-OSAEC and CSAEM policy in schools through its Learner Rights and Protection Division (LRPD). In line thereto, the LRPD in collaboration with the Curriculum and Teaching Strand and in partnership with the Stairway Foundation Inc. proposes the conduct of a classroom-based learning session to increase awareness against OSAEC and CSAEM through integration in appropriate subject areas its core messages at the elementary and secondary levels.

These learning sessions will directly reach our learners, equipping them with knowledge and tools and increasing their awareness against OSAEC and CSAEM. The session guides can be accessed through this link:
<https://tinyurl.com/2025AntiOSAECDraft>.

For guidance on how to implement the classroom-based session guides, an instructional video is prepared, kindly refer to this link:
<https://bit.ly/SIDPhOrientation>.

Moreover, to ensure the implementation of anti-OSAEC and CSAEM policies in Schools, an instructional classroom-based session of the anti-OSAEC and CSAEM shall be conducted for each key stage and shall be delivered by the class advisers during their Homeroom subject. The classroom-based session shall be delivered during any day of March.

To ensure the effectiveness and efficiency of the conduct of the said activity, the different governance levels are expected to answer the data collection forms. Accordingly, in compliance with the Data Privacy Act, teacher-designates and guidance advocates who will be handling learner disclosure are requested to fill out the non-disclosure agreement. Kindly refer to the link below for the copy of the reporting forms and the non-disclosure agreement.

<https://bit.ly/SIDPh25ReportingForms>

For compliance.

Thank you very much.