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**Department of Education**  
REGION IV-A CALABARZON  
**SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BATANGAS**

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
No. 313, s. 2026

**2026 DIVISION SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FAIR**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents  
Chief- Curriculum Implementation Division (CID)  
Chief- School Governance and Operations Division (SGOD)  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Public and Private Secondary School Heads  
All Others Concerned

1. The Department of Education (DepEd) shall conduct the National Science and Technology Fair (NSTF) for School Year (SY) 2026-2027. DepEd recognizes the importance of organizing a Science and Technology Fair (STF) as it encourages students to develop essential research skills, such as critical thinking and problem-solving, and promotes innovation and creativity. These skills are critical for academic success and can help students prepare for future academic and career pursuits.

2. In light of this, SDO Batangas, through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID), announces the conduct of the Division Science and Technology Fair (DSTF) with the theme "*Seeds of Science: Nurturing Knowledge for All*". The DSTF Research Congress and Presentation will be on September 3, 2026, at Balayan East Central School, Balayan, Batangas.

3. The following are the enclosures for reference:

- Enclosure No. 1: Guidelines on the Conduct of 2026 DSTF
- Enclosure No. 2: Timeline of Activities
- Enclosure No. 3: Division Management Team
- Enclosure No. 4: Submission Form for the Official List of Participants
- Enclosure No. 5: Program Matrix

4. For the school delegation, the costs associated with food, travel, and other incidental expenses for official participants in this activity will be charged to local or MOOE funds, following standard government accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Similarly, for the Division Technical Working Group, expenses related to food, DSTF materials, travel, and other incidental costs will be covered by Division MOOE funds, also subject to the usual government accounting and auditing guidelines.

5. This memorandum shall serve as a Travel Order of the participants and technical working group.



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6. For questions and clarifications, please contact **EMERSON B. DALANGIN** – Division Science Coordinator, or **DAVID M. NUAY** - Chief Education Supervisor of Curriculum Implementation Division at (043) 722 1840 loc. 213 or via email at [sdobatangas.cid.@deped.gov.ph](mailto:sdobatangas.cid.@deped.gov.ph).
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**MARITES A. IBAÑEZ, CESO Vg**  
Schools Division Superintendent<sub>y</sub>

Encl. 1 As Stated

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subject:

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**Enclosure 1: General Guidelines on the Conduct of 2025 Division Science and Technology Fair (DSTF)**

**GUIDELINES ON THE CONDUCT OF 2026 DSTF**

1. The competition is open to Grades 9-12 learners of both public and private high schools in the Division of Batangas who have not reached the age of 20 on or before May 1 of the current school year.
2. Learners may work individually or in teams with 2-3 members from the same school. Each learner is only allowed to submit one (1) research project in one (1) of the five (5) research categories: Life Science, Physical Science, Robotics and Intelligent Machines, Mathematics and Computational Sciences, and Science Innovation Expo. The project should include no more than 12 months of continuous research and should not include research activities performed before January of the previous school year.
3. School heads are requested to submit the soft copies of entries and other documents at [emerson.dalangin@deped.gov.ph](mailto:emerson.dalangin@deped.gov.ph) **on or before July 17, 2026 by 5 p.m.**, using the designated format found in the handbook. Failure to submit the report and projects on time shall result in the school's disqualification from participating in the division fair. The STF handbook can be accessed at <https://bit.ly/SMTF-Handbook> for further guidelines and information.
4. The documents of the submitted entries in Science and Mathematics will be screened by the Division Scientific Review Committee. The list of qualified entries shall be announced in a separate memorandum.
5. The top 5 qualifiers from the initial screening will advance to the Division Science and Technology Fair (DSTF) for the actual validation, showcasing, and screening of the project.
6. Participation in this activity is voluntary and no registration fee will be collected.



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Enclosure 2: Timeline of Activities

**Timeline of Activities**

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Responsible Office / Unit</b>
Online Submission of Entries per Sub-office	July 17, 2026	Schools, PSDS and CID
Preliminary Screening of Sub-office Entry for Each Contest Category	July 20-30, 2026	CID and DRC
Announcement of Qualified Entries for the Division Science and Technology Fair	July 31, 2026	CID
Division Science and Technology Fair	September 3, 2026	CID



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Enclosure No 3: Division Management Team for 2025 DSTF

**Division Management Team**

MARITES A. IBAÑEZ, CESO V  
Schools Division Superintendent

RHINA O. ILAGAN, CESE  
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent

JOFIT P. DAYOC, CESE  
OIC -Assistant Schools Division Superintendent

DAVID M. NUAY  
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OIC- SGOD Chief Education Supervisor

EMERSON B. DALANGIN  
Division Science Coordinator

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Enclosure No. 4: Submission Form for the Official List of Participants

**LIST OF PARTICIPANTS**

School ID: \_\_\_\_\_ School Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
School Head: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

EVENT CATEGORY	NAME OF LEARNER	GRADE LEVEL	COACH
<b>Life Science Category (Individual)</b>	1.		
<b>Life Science Category (Team)</b>	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
<b>Physical Science Category (Individual)</b>	1.		
<b>Physical Science Category (Team)</b>	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
<b>Robotics and Intelligent Machines Category (Individual)</b>	1.		
<b>Robotics and Intelligent Machines Category (Team)</b>	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
<b>Mathematics and Computational Science Category (Individual)</b>	1.		
<b>Mathematics and Computational Science Category (Team)</b>	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
<b>Science Innovation Expo (Individual)</b>	1.		
<b>Science Innovation Expo (Team)</b>	1.		
	2.		
	3.		



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Enclosure No. 5: Program Matrix

**2026 DSTF MATRIX OF ACTIVITIES**

Time	Activity	Remarks / In-charge
7:00-8:00	Registration	
8:00 - 9:30	Opening Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Anthem</li> <li>• Opening Prayer</li> <li>• CALABARZON Hymn</li> <li>• Batangan Hymn</li> <li>• DepED Quality Policy</li> </ul>	AVP – ICT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome Remarks</li> </ul>	Gina M. Aseremo Principal IV  Riza Gusano PSDS
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening Remarks</li> </ul>	Rhina O. Ilagan PhD ASDS
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Statement of Purpose</li> </ul>	David M. Nuay CID Chief
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inspirational Message</li> </ul>	Marites A. Ibañez, CESO V SDS
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intermission Number</li> </ul>	Select Students
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contest Announcements</li> </ul>	Master of Ceremony
9:30 - 10:00	Health Break	
10:00 -12:00	Contest Proper (Individual Category)	
	Life Science	Room 1
	Physical Science	Room 2
	Robotics and Intelligent Machines	Room 3
	Mathematics and Computational Science	Room 4
	Science Innovation Expo	Room 5
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch Break	
1:00 - 4:00	Contest Proper (Team Category)	
4:00 - 5:00	Awarding and Closing Program	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nationalistic Song</li> </ul>	AVP
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awarding</li> </ul>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closing Remarks</li> </ul>	Jofit P. Dayoc, CESE OIC-ASDS



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