



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BATANGAS

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 739 s. 2025

2025 GAWAD BALISONG WINNERS

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief – Curriculum Implementation Division
OIC Chief – Schools Governance & Operations Division
Public Schools District Supervisors/ Coordinators
Elementary and Secondary Schools Heads
All Others Concerned

1. This Schools Division would like to congratulate the 2025 Gawad BALISONG Awardees with Distinction.

No.	CATEGORY	FULL NAME	SCHOOL	SUB-OFFICE
1	Outstanding Elementary School Teacher	MARY JOY M. EXCONDE	Padre Imo Luna Memorial Elementary School	San Jose
2	Outstanding Secondary School Teacher	KHRISTMAS C. TORRES	Gov. F. Leviste Memorial National High School	Lemery
3	Outstanding Elementary School Master Teacher	EDMOND R. ESCABOSA	Rosario East Central School	Rosario East
4	Outstanding Secondary School Master Teacher	CHRIS B. DE JESUS	Taysan San Jose Integrated NHS	San Jose
5	Outstanding Special Needs Education (SNEd) Teacher	SAERYL V. MUECO	Rosario East Central School	Rosario East
6	Outstanding Multigrade Teacher	RICHELLE R. BELEN	San Pedro Elementary School	Tingloy
7	Outstanding Alternative Learning System (ALS) Teacher	BENJIE P. BATHAN	Rosario West Central School	Rosario West
8	Outstanding Elementary School Head	MA. RITA LUZ M. DE PADUA	Bilaran Elementary School	Nasugbu East



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9	Outstanding Secondary School Head	JOVITA M. LANDICHO	Bauan National and Vocational Integrated High School	Bauan West
10	Outstanding Education Program Supervisor	ELIZABETH R. TOLENTINO	Curriculum Implementation Division	SDO Batangas
11	Outstanding Teaching Related Personnel	MARLON R. PIÑON	Dr. Juan A. Pastor Integrated National High School	Ibaan
12	Outstanding Non-Teaching Personnel Level 1	MARK ALSON S. DINO	Gov. F. Leviste Memorial National High School	Lemery
13	Outstanding Non-Teaching Personnel Level 2	JAMES ANGELO T. AÑO	School Governance and Operations Division	SDO Batangas
14	Outstanding Researcher-Elementary Level	RICH MICHAEL C. CANELA PHD	Mahabang Gulod Elementary School	Agoncillo
15	Outstanding Researcher-Secondary Level	REN C. CARE	Bulihan Integrated Senior High School	Rosario West
16	Outstanding Researcher-Related Teaching	LUISITO L. CANTOS	Mabini Sub-Office	Mabini
17	Best Performing Public Elementary School	TAYSAN CENTRAL SCHOOL	Belinda D. Arellano	Taysan
18	Best Performing Public Secondary School	MAABUD INTEGRATED NHS	Melani L. Higuit	San Nicolas

MARITES A. IBANEZ, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

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