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Department of Education



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2009 NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LEARNING DIFFICULTIES

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. The Department of Education (DepED) through the Special Education Division, Bureau of Elementary Education (SPED-BEE) in coordination with the National Association of Special Educators (NASE) and the Philippine Association for the Retarded, Inc. (PAR, Inc.) will hold the 2009 National Conference on Learning Difficulties at Teachers Camp, Baguio City on May 14-16, 2009.
2. The theme of the conference is "Including Children with Learning Difficulties in the Mainstream". It aims to:
 - a. provide participants knowledge on providing education intervention and skills for productive life for children with disabilities; and
 - b. enhance knowledge on managing programs/services for other children with special needs in the mainstream classes.
3. Participants to this activity are special education and regular teachers, school administrators from public and private schools, education supervisors in SPED at the division and regional offices, chiefs/assistant chiefs of the elementary and secondary education divisions, schools division superintendents and assistant schools division superintendents. Public school participants are allowed to attend **on official business**. Private school participants may make arrangements with their respective schools/institutions.
4. A registration fee of Four Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (P4,500.00) shall be charged to live-in participants which shall include board and lodging for three (3) days, conference kits, handouts, certificates, supplies and materials and professional fees/honoraria of speakers, resource persons, consultants and facilitators. The first meal to be served is breakfast on May 14 and last meal is p.m. snacks on May 16, 2009.
5. The program of activities is found in Enclosure No. 1 while the pre-registration form is in Enclosure No. 2. Pre-registration is encouraged to facilitate the preparation of materials. The form should be sent to the Special Education Division, Bureau of Elementary Education, DepED Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City. For more information, please contact the SPED Division at telefax nos.: (02) 633-72-70 and 631-99-93.
6. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


TEODOSIO C. SANGIL, JR.
Undersecretary

Encls.:

As stated

Reference:

None

Allotment: 1- -(D.O. 50-97)

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

CONFERENCES

OFFICIALS

SPECIAL EDUCATION

SOCIETY or ASSOCIATIONS

TEACHERS

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(Enclosure No. 1 to DepED Memorandum No. 136, s. 2009)

2009 National Conference on Learning Disability
Teachers' Camp, Baguio City
May 14-16, 2009

TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Theme: "Including Children with Learning Disability

Objectives:

- a. Provide participants knowledge on providing education intervention and skills for productive life for children with disabilities; and
- b. Enhance knowledge on managing programs/services for other children special needs in the mainstream classes.

DAY 1: May 14, 2009: Sub-Theme: Full Participation: Self Advocates

Morning Session

- Registration
- Opening Program
- Break
- Group Dynamics

Afternoon Session

- Panel Discussion
- Break
- Workshop
- Creative Presentation of Workshop Output
- Fellowship

DAY 2: May 15, 2009 – Sub-Theme: Advocacy for Empowerment

Morning Session

- Panel Discussion
- Break
- Concurrent Session

Afternoon Session

- Plenary Session
- Open Forum

DAY 3: May 16, 2009- Sub-Theme: Children with LD in the Mainstream

Morning Session

- Panel Discussion
- Break
- Concurrent Session

Afternoon Session

- Closing Program

(Enclosure No. 2 to DepED Memorandum No. 136, S. 2009)

2009 National Conference on Learning Disability
Teachers' Camp, Baguio City
May 14 – 16, 2009

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

(Please accomplish and send/fax to SPED Division 633-7270/631-9993 on or before April 30, 2009)

Name: _____ Gender: _____

Designation: _____ Division: _____

Institution/School: _____ Phone No. _____

Address: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone No: _____ Cell No.: _____

Registration Fee P4,500.00

Payment: _____ Cash _____ Check

Payable to:
Philippine Association for the Retarded, Inc.