



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF NORTHERN SAMAR

August 2, 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 231 s. 2021

2021 STUDENTS' RESEARCH CONGRESS

TO : CID Chief
Division SHS Coordinator
Division Research Coordinator
Education Program Supervisors
SHS Secondary School Heads
SHS Research Coordinators/Coaches/Advisers
All Other Concerned

1. To enhance the Senior High School research outputs, this Division, will conduct the **2021 Students' Research Congress** on August 19 to 20, 2021 (live out) on a venue to be announced later.
2. All Senior High Schools are requested to submit at least one Research Paper (one copy only c/o **Mrs. Anecita B. Marzol, Division SHS Coordinator**) conducted by their Research students this School Year 2020-2021 in order to select the top ten (10) Best Research Papers. Deadline for submission of the Research Papers will be on August 5, 2021.
3. The Activity aims to:
 - a) provide an avenue among student-researchers to show off their researches that manifest scientific process and
 - b) focus on showcasing their critical thinking and problem solving skills through quantitative, qualitative or mixed method research conducted by the Senior High School students within this school year.
4. The proponents of the ten selected researches shall represent the school in the Division Research Congress. Each research shall be presented by a maximum of three (3) students only and they will be accompanied by one chaperone, which may be the research adviser or the coach.



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5. The research shall be presented in an Oral and Poster Presentations. Hard copies of the research paper and also shows in the slide deck the gist for the oral presentation shall contain the following parts for judging:
- Background of the Problem
 - Conceptual Framework
 - Definition of Terms, Significance of the Study, Scope and Limitation of the Study
 - Research Design, Population and Sampling
 - Data Collection Procedure (instruments used)
 - Data Interpretation and Analysis
 - Summary of Findings, Conclusions, and Recommendations
 - References and used the criteria stipulated in the Division Memorandum
6. At the end of the Research Conference/Congress the judges will be selecting for Top Three (3) research papers using the following criteria:
- **Research 35 %** (Clear research topic and objectives, coherence of problem methods, and results; adequacy of methods and ethics; clear procedures; wide variety of valid sources and literature as evidence and complete list of references)
 - **Thinking 25%** (Effective communication of the relevance of the research; addressed potential impact of the research; well-developed and well-explained analysis, conclusion and recommendations with intellectual honesty)
 - **Composition 15%** (Appropriate citations and easy to understand; appropriate grammar and vocabulary; logical flow of arguments; appropriate statistics, tables, and graphs)
 - **Delivery 15%** (Good graphics and aesthetics; appropriate language and style; organization of ideas; effective communication and delivery; evident mastery of subject matter ; and
 - **Poster 10%** (Use one-piece vertical (portrait) tarpaulin layout measuring 5x2 feet; include the gist of the following: Background, Framework, Statement of the Problem, Research Methodology, Results, Conclusions, Recommendations, and references. Contents of the poster must be legible





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from a distance of 6 feet. Use of infographics is advised, presentable, clear and catchy.

- **A Total of 100% points**

7. All expenses incurred in the conduct of this Activity, will be charge against Division HRTD /CID Funds while the travelling expenses of all involved are charged against the school MOOE/local funds, all of which are subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
8. Strict adherence to the IATF/DOH established health protocols will be reinforced throughout the 2-day duration of the activity.
9. This **MEMORANDUM** will serve as the **TRAVEL ORDER** of all the participants.
10. For immediate dissemination and compliance.


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