



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

April 1, 2024

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 115, s. 2024

**EVALUATION AND SELECTION OF THE BEST SCHOOLS DIVISION  
OF NORTHERN SAMAR SCHOOL PAPERS**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
CID and SGOD Chiefs  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Principals in-Charge  
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads  
School Paper Advisers  
All Others Concerned

1. In preparation for the conduct of the 2024 Regional Schools Press Conference (RSPC) in May 2024, which will also include the selection of the region's best school papers, this Office will be evaluating and selecting the Division's best school papers in six categories for English and Filipino on April 8, 2024 at the CID Office, DepEd Schools Division Office, Catarman, N. Samar.

2. As stipulated in the Proposed 2024 NSPC Guidelines for the School Paper Contest, the selection shall cover both elementary and secondary school papers in the following categories:

<b>ENGLISH</b>	<b>FILIPINO</b>
News Section	Balitang Pahina
Editorial Section	Pahinang Editoryal
Features Section	Pahinang Lathalain
Sports Section	Pahinang Pampalakasan
Science and Technology Section	Pahinang Agham at Teknolohiya
Layout and Page Design Category	Kategoryang Pag-aanyo at Disenyo ng Pahina

3. Submission of School Papers in every category shall be duly certified to be widely circulated, properly screened for plagiarism, and endorsed by the School Head, noted by the District Head. The entries must be submitted in PDF format through [cid.northernssamar@deped.gov.ph](mailto:cid.northernssamar@deped.gov.ph) or a flash drive by 12:00 noontime on April 8, 2024.

4. This Office shall select the top five school papers per category and medium.

5. The schools and school paper advisers with winning entries shall receive certificates of recognition. Should there be more than one school paper advisers listed in the publication, only the first school paper adviser mentioned shall receive the certificate.



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6. Members of the Technical Working Group who will facilitate the evaluation of the school papers are hereto listed as follows:

Jayrol I. Cabagtong	Rhodora Borja
Michael Jay Morales	Pepito Saldo
Felix J. Ladeno	Peter R. Bobiles
Sylvia D. Villanueva	Julito Lagrimas

7. Travelling expenses of the invited members of the technical working group shall be charged against school MOOE/local funds, subject to the existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

8. This Memorandum serves as Travel Authority of the identified TWG members.

9. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

  
**GAUDENCIO C. ALJIBE JR., PhD, CESO VI**  
OIC-Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: None  
References: Regional Memorandum No. 348, s. 2024  
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

SCHOOL PAPER

JOURNALISM

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