



REMINDER

With the significant increase of content creators and/or social media influencers in the Department of Education – Schools Division of Northern Samar, the Office of the Schools Division Superintendent sternly reminds all teaching and non-teaching personnel of this Division to use all social media platforms with utmost prudence.

While this Office recognizes the use of social media as a medium for the Freedom of Speech and Expression as guaranteed by the 1987 Constitution, the field is informed that such rights, though fundamental, are not absolute and subject to reasonable restrictions and regulations, specially when such rights are exercised to defame or to make libelous remarks against others.

As Public Officials and Civil Servants, we are duty-bound to use social media platforms responsibly, in accordance to the Code of Conduct and Ethical Standards. It is imperative, therefore, that all employees of this Division must be critical, cautious, and mindful when engaging in online posting, discussions and sharing to ensure that our contribution add value to the online discourse.

We must set the standards in promoting and disseminating verified information. Together, we can all create an online environment that upholds trust and respect for both the learners (the core of our existence) and the general public.