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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Region IX, Zamboanga Peninsula
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE
Capitol Drive, Estaka, Dipolog City 7100

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

NO. 279 s. 2017

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TO : Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
Public Elementary and Secondary Teaching Personnel
This Division

FROM : **PEDRO MELCHOR M. NATIVIDAD, CSEE**
Officer-In-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT : **ADDENDUM TO DIVISION MEMORANDUM NO. 222, S. 2017 ENTITLED
SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER STORY WRITERS**

DATE : July 20, 2017

Attached is the Unnumbered Regional Memorandum from Dr. Isabelita M. Borres, CESO III, Regional Director, DepEd Region IX, on the *Search for Outstanding Public School Teacher Story Writers* in celebration of the upcoming Teachers' Day.

Interested public school teachers are to submit their entries to this division on or before August 30, 2017. Kindly direct your submissions to Dr. Fe G. Jebone, Education Program Supervisor, and Dr. Anita D. Subebe, Education Program Supervisor.

For any assistance, please contact the Human Resource Development Unit of this division at (065) 212 5131 or at mobile number 09175072793.

Widest dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS
This Region

FROM: DR. ISABELITA M. BORRES, CESO III
Regional Director

SUBJECT: ADDENDUM TO THE UNNUMBERED MEMORANDUM DATED JUNE 30, 2017 ENTITLED
SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER STORY WRITERS

DATE: JULY 12, 2017

1. The DepEd Regional Office IX will be conducting a Search for Outstanding Public School Teacher Story Writers with the theme: "My Life As A Teacher" in celebration of the upcoming Teachers' Day. This story should highlight her significant experience as a teacher when she was with the school children citing her accomplishments in terms of giving them inspiration.
2. This activity is done to showcase not only the teacher's writing ability but also to be able to inspire others through his/her story.
3. This contest is open to all public school teachers both Elementary and Secondary Levels within the region. Each division will submit two entries per District, one for elementary and one for secondary. The Division Committee will judge top 10 entries and will submit to the Regional Office on September 15, 2017. Declaration of winners will be on October 5, 2017 in celebration of World's Teachers Day.
4. The write-up must contain a maximum of 1000 words and minimum of 750 words with specs of font Times New Roman, font size 12 and 8x11 paper size with 1" margin on all sides, single spaced, English or Filipino.
5. Criteria for judging are as follows:

a.) Originality	-30%
b.) Organization	-25%
c.) Relevance	-30%
d.) Style/Tone	-15%
Total	100%
6. Regional Winners will receive a Plaque, Certificate of Recognition and Cash Gift worth P5,000 for the first prize, P4,000 for the second prize and P3,000 for the third prize in Elementary and Secondary Level. The 10 entries of the divisions will also receive a P500.00 cash gift each, a plaque and a Certificate of Recognition.



7. Contest winners will be featured in the Region's Official Newsletter as well as the Coffee Table Book published regularly by the region.
8. Please include a short biography of the teacher-writer with 2 x 2 photo.
9. Deadline for submission of entries to the Division Office is on August 30, 2017.
10. The 10 entries of the divisions must be forwarded to Ms. Dahlia A. Paragas, Public Affairs Service, Office of the Regional Director, Airport Rd., Tiguma, Pagadian City or email us at region9@deped.gov.ph or publicaffairs@deped.gov.ph. Please call or text the Office of the Public Affairs so we can document on time your submission of entries at (062)925-2275 or text 0998-998-2706.
11. Schedule of Awarding of Winners will be announced in December to culminate Education Week.
12. Widest dissemination of this Memorandum is enjoined.