

March 16, 2016

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Dear Dr. San Antonio,

The RnV Professional Training Center will hold a National Seminar - Workshop in Teaching Reading to Beginning and Struggling Readers with the theme "*Finding Ways to Get Every Child Learn How to Read*" to be held on the following dates and venues:

- July 8-10, 2016 – Tagaytay City (specific venue to be announced later)
- July 15-17, 2016 – Queen Margarett Hotel Downtown, Lucena City

The Seminar-Workshop aims the following:

1. Clarify issues in the teaching and assessment of reading among beginning and struggling readers;
2. Identify reasons why some students find it difficult to read;
3. Demonstrate effective teaching strategies for both beginning/slow readers and struggling readers;
4. Plan exemplary beginning reading lessons, and
5. Prepare appropriate materials/devices for the reading lessons.

The target participants are school heads/principals, school administrators, supervisors, heads/coordinators, elementary, secondary and tertiary level teachers in English/Filipino and interested students from both public and private schools.

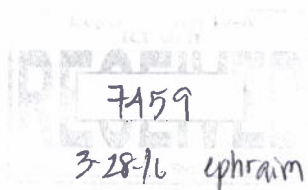
A registration fee of Php3000 will be charged to cover the seminar kits, lunch, snacks and certificate.

In line with this, I would like to request in your good office for an endorsement/approval inviting your teachers to participate in the said seminar-workshop. The National Advisory as well as the program of this activity are herewith attached.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

  
**Richard M. Muñoz**  
President / Owner / CEO



*To: SDSs  
For your appropriate  
action please.  
Thank you!  
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DepEd Advisory No.77, s. 2016

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In compliance with DepEd Order No. 8, s. 2013  
this Advisory is issued for the information of DepEd officials,  
personnel/staff, as well as the concerned public.

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**NATIONAL SEMINAR-WORKSHOPS OF THE RnV PTC PROFESSIONAL  
TRAINING CENTER**

The RnV Professional Training Center (RnV PTC) will hold a series of *National Seminar-Workshops* on the following dates and venues with corresponding objectives and participants:

Activity	Date and Venue	Objective	Participant
<b>Seminar-Workshop on Trends in Science Education</b>  <b>Theme:</b> <i>Preparing teachers for the Challenges of ASEAN Integration and Globalization</i>	<b>May 23-25, 2016</b> Daet, Camarines Norte (specific venue to be announced later)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To help the teacher participants gain knowledge about ASEAN integration and globalization</li> <li>To prepare Science teachers for the challenge of globalization</li> <li>To enable them to explore innovation in Science to prepare teachers in facing globalization</li> </ul>	Science Teachers (Kindergarten, Primary, Elementary and Secondary levels Science Coordinators/Education Program Supervisors, Head Teacher Principals, and other interested individuals
	<b>June 24-26, 2016</b> Tagaytay City (specific venue to be announced later)		
<b>Seminar-Workshop on Academic Enhancement through Innovative Instruction and Active In-depth Approaches in depth Approaches in Teaching and Learning</b>  <b>Theme:</b> <i>Rethinking Pedagogy for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning</i>	<b>May 28-30, 2016</b> Naga City (specific venue to be announced later)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To explain to them the essential features of active in-depth learning</li> <li>To help them identify obstacles or barriers that prevent educators from using active learning strategies and identify approaches to overcome these barriers</li> <li>To enable them use tools and strategies to transform the classroom from a passive learning environment into one that engages, stretches and builds students' learning capacities</li> </ul>	Teachers, Administrators, and Education Supervisors from both public and private elementary and secondary schools and other interested individuals
	<b>June 24-26, 2016</b> Tagaytay City (specific venue to be announced later)		
<b>Seminar-Workshop in Teaching Reading to Beginning and Struggling Readers</b>  <b>Theme:</b> <i>Finding Ways to Get Every Child Learn How to Read</i>	<b>July 8-10, 2016</b> Tagaytay City (specific venue to be announced later)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To clarify to them the issues in the teaching and assessment of reading among beginning and struggling readers</li> <li>To help identify to them the reasons why some students find it difficult to read</li> <li>To help them demonstrate effective teaching strategies for both beginning/slow readers and struggling readers</li> <li>To enable them to plan exemplary beginning reading lessons</li> <li>To encourage them to prepare appropriate materials/devices for the reading lessons</li> </ul>	Preschool Teachers, English/Filipino Teacher (Elementary, Secondary and Tertiary) coordinators, school heads, supervisor, undergraduate and Graduate learners majoring in early childhood/pre-school education and English/Filipino from both public and private elementary and secondary schools other interested individuals
	<b>July 15-17, 2016</b> Lucena City, Quezon (specific venue to be announced later)		

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the no-disruption-of classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

More information may be inquired from:

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## Program of Activities

### 3-Day National Seminar - Workshop in Teaching Reading to Beginning and Struggling Readers

#### Theme:

*"Finding Ways to Get Every Child Learn How to Read"*

DAY 1		
TIME	ACTIVITIES	SPEAKER
7:00 – 8:00	Registration/Opening Program	
8:00 – 10:00	1 <sup>st</sup> Plenary Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↓ What Does Research Tells Us About Reading?</li> <li>↓ Reading 101 – The Basics of Teaching Reading</li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
10:00 – 10:30	<b>B R E A K</b>	
10:30 – 12:00	Continuation of Plenary Session) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↓ Book – Print Awareness</li> <li>↓ Alphabetic Principle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Alphabet Sequence</li> <li>▪ Upper Case &amp; Lower Case</li> </ul> </li> <li>↓ Phonics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Sound-Symbol Correspondence</li> </ul> </li> <li>↓ Sight Words Phonemic Awareness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Isolation</li> <li>▪ Identification</li> <li>▪ Categorization</li> </ul> </li> <li>↓ Phonological Awareness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Blending</li> <li>▪ Segmentation</li> <li>▪ Addition</li> <li>▪ Deletion</li> <li>▪ Substitution</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
12:00 – 1:00	<b>L U N C H</b>	
1:00 – 3:00	WORKSHOP: A READING EXPERIENCE Exemplars of Teaching Reading in the Mother Tongue, Filipino and English <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↓ Skills on Focus: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Book-Print Awareness</li> <li>2. Alphabetic Principle</li> <li>3. Phonics</li> <li>4. Phonemic Awareness</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
3:00 – 3:30	<b>B R E A K</b>	
3:30 – 5:00	WORKSHOP: A READING EXPERIENCE Exemplars of Teaching Reading in the Mother Tongue, Filipino and English <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↓ Skills on Focus: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Phonological Awareness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Blending</li> <li>▪ Segmentation</li> <li>▪ Addition</li> <li>▪ Deletion</li> <li>▪ Substitution</li> </ul> </li> </ol> </li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado

DAY 2		
TIME	ACTIVITIES	SPEAKER
8:00 – 10:00	2 <sup>nd</sup> Plenary Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fluency</li> <li>• Vocabulary Development</li> <li>• Spelling</li> <li>• Writing</li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
10:00 – 10:30	<b>B R E A K</b>	
10:30 – 12:00	↓ Enhancing Comprehension	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
12:00 – 1:00	<b>L U N C H</b>	
1:00 – 3:00	WORKSHOP: A READING EXPERIENCE Exemplars of Teaching Reading in the Mother Tongue, Filipino and English <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↓ Skills on Focus <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Vocabulary Development</li> <li>2. Enhancing Fluency</li> <li>3. Spelling</li> <li>4. Writing</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
3:00 – 3:30	<b>B R E A K</b>	
3:30 – 5:00	WORKSHOP: A READING EXPERIENCE Exemplars of Teaching Reading in the Mother Tongue, Filipino and English <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>↓ Skill on Focus <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Activities for Developing Comprehension</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
DAY 3		
TIME	ACTIVITIES	SPEAKER
8:00 – 10:00	Informal Assessments	Prof. Shirley T. Equipado
10:00 – 10:30	<b>B R E A K</b>	
10:30 – 12:00	<i>Culminating Activity</i>	
12:00	Lunch	
1:00 – 2:30	<b>CLOSING</b>	