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Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON

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Regional Memorandum
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REITERATION ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF HOMEROOM GUIDANCE PROGRAM (HGP) FOR S.Y. 2024-2025

To **Schools Division Superintendents**

1. In alignment with the Department of Education's primary goal of nurturing holistically developed Filipinos who possess self-understanding, problem-solving skills, informed decision-making abilities, academic excellence, future planning capabilities, and a deep respect for individual differences, we wish to reaffirm our commitment to the following directives:

- a. Pursuant to **DM-OUCI-2021-346: Revised Implementation of Homeroom Guidance during Crisis Situations for S.Y. 2021-2022:**

The Homeroom Guidance Program plays a pivotal role in fostering the holistic development of our learners, equipping them with the necessary skills to navigate crisis situations effectively. We will continue to implement this program with consistent dedication.

Non-implementation or improper implementation of Homeroom Guidance shall be subject to existing applicable administrative actions.

- b. In accordance with **DO 5 s.2024: Rationalization of Teachers' Workload in Public Schools and Payment of Teaching Overload:**

Class advising duties, as part of the ancillary tasks of teachers, shall be treated as a teaching load equivalent to one (1) hour per day or five (5) hours a week. Included in the five (5) hours is the prescribed time for the Homeroom Guidance Program (HGP).

- c. In line with **DO 10 s.2024: Policy Guidelines on the Implementation of the MATATAG Curriculum:**

This section discusses the time allotment for the MATATAG Curriculum and the National Learning Recovery Programs, i.e., the NRP, the NMP, and the Homeroom Guidance Program (HGP).

For Kindergarten, the HGP shall not be treated as separate activity that entails additional time, instead, it shall be naturally integrated into different activities as may deemed appropriate by the teacher.



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Time allotment for Grades 1 to 10:

Grade Level	Time allotment per day (Number of minutes)
1	40 (once a week)
2	40 (once a week)
3	45 (once a week)
4	45 (once a week)
5	45 (once a week)
6	45 (once a week)
7	45 (once a week)
8	45 (once a week)
9	45 (once a week)
10	45 (once a week)

2. With the above mentioned reiterations, we emphasize our steadfast commitment to the holistic development of our students, ensuring that they are well-equipped to understand themselves, address challenges, make informed choices, excel academically, plan for their future, and embrace the rich tapestry of individual differences.

3. For reference, HGP learning resources can be accessed through this link <https://tinyurl.com/HGP-SLM-2022>

4. For queries or concerns, please contact **Ms. Margaret P. Musa**, EPS-EsP/ GMRC/ Values Education, through clmd.calabarrzon@deped.gov.ph

5. Immediate and widest dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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