



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON



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Regional Memorandum
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**SUBMISSION OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISIONS' DATA ON
LEARNERS AT RISK OF DROPPING OUT (LARDO)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. To comply with Memorandum DM-LS-2025-160 issued by the Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems (OULS), Schools Division Offices are hereby directed to submit updated data on Learners at Risk of Dropping Out (LARDO) covering SY 2024-2025 and the first semester of SY 2025-2026, as of August 30, 2025.
2. The Division Planning Officers, in coordination with ALS Division Coordinators and other concerned focal persons, are directed to accomplish the report using the LARDO template that can be downloaded from bit.ly/R4A-PARDO-SARDO. The instructions for accomplishing the report are also provided in the same file.
3. The accomplished SDO Report shall then be uploaded to the same drive (bit.ly/R4A-PARDO-SARDO) on or before **November 26, 2025**, following the file name format: **(SDO Name).LARDO2025**. Only SDO consolidated reports shall be accepted as official documents. School Reports that will directly be submitted shall not be honored.
4. For concerns and other questions, please coordinate with this Office through pprd.calabarzon@deped.gov.ph
5. Immediate and strict compliance by all concerned is earnestly desired.


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TO : REGIONAL DIRECTORS

FROM : CARMELA C. ORACION
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**SUBJECT : REQUEST FOR THE REGIONAL DATA ON LEARNERS
AT RISK OF DROPPING OUT (LARDO)**

DATE : November 4, 2025

In support of the Department's ongoing commitment to strengthen learner retention and reduce dropout rates, the Bureau of Learning Delivery – Innovation Unit (BLD-IU) is requesting all Regional Offices and their respective Schools Division Offices to submit updated data on **Learners at Risk of Dropping Out (LARDO)** covering **School Year 2024–2025** and the **first semester of School Year 2025–2026, as of August 30, 2025.**

The data will serve as a critical input for policy formulation, enhancement of intervention strategies, and the effective implementation of the Flexible Learning Program and other learner support mechanisms.

To ensure consistency in the submission of the requested data, please accomplish the **LARDO Regional Monitoring Template**, which comprises the following relevant information:

1. Total enrollment by grade level (male/female);
2. Number of learners at risk of dropping out (male/female);
3. Breakdown of causes (health, family, economic, behavioral, academic, environmental, others);
4. Interventions implemented;
5. Identification tools used; and
6. Learner Enrollment Status.

The online template may be at <https://tinyurl.com/2025LARDOS>. The BLD-IU would appreciate receiving the data on or before December 1, 2025.

For questions or clarifications, you may contact **Ms. Angelika D. Jabines**, Senior Education Program Specialist, BLD-IU, at +63 995 904 4259 or via email at adm.bld@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

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