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Department of Education
Region VI – Western Visayas
DIVISION OF AKLAN
Kalibo, Aklan

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 359, s. 2019

DIVISION TRAINING-WORKSHOP ON INQUIRY-BASED AND GAME-BASED SCIENCE TEACHING FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS

To: **Chief Education Supervisors**
Education Program Supervisors
Senior/Education Program Specialists
Public Schools District Supervisors
School Heads of Public Integrated and Elementary Schools

1. The K to 12 Science curriculum is learner-centered and inquiry-based, emphasizing the use of evidence in constructing explanations. In view of this, there is a need to enhance teachers' competence in teaching Science using this approach. Hence, a live-out **DIVISION TRAINING-WORKSHOP ON INQUIRY-BASED AND GAME-BASED SCIENCE TEACHING FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS** with special emphasis on least mastered skills and competencies will be conducted on the following dates. Venue will be announced later.

    a. **November 13-15, 2019 –** Batch 1 (please see attached Districts)
    b. **November 20-22, 2019** – Batch 2 (please see attached Districts)

2. The core concept behind game-based learning is teaching through repetition, failure and the accomplishment of goals. Games that are planned and designed well will offer enough difficulty to keep it challenging while still being easy enough for the learner to win while learning. Game-based learning takes this same concept and applies it to teaching a curriculum. Students work toward a goal, choosing actions and experiencing the consequences of those actions. They actively learn and practice the right way to do things. The result is active learning instead of passive learning.

3. Participants to this training-workshop are the Education Program Supervisor in Science, Division Science Coordinators, one (1) district Science Coordinator,

three (3) Grade 4, three (3) Grade 5, and three (3) Grade 6 Science teachers per district. There should be ten (10) teacher participants per district.

4. No registration fee shall be charged. Incidental expenses shall be charged against school MOOE subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. The training matrix, executive/working committee members and pre-registration form are found in Enclosures 1, 2, and 3 of this Memorandum.

6. Confirmation of participation should be done by submitting the enclosed pre-registration form to Dr. Mary Cherry Lynn M. Dalipe, Education Program Supervisor in Science, DepED Division Office, Kalibo, Aklan **on or before November 08, 2019.**

7. Immediate and wide dissemination of the content of this Memorandum to all concerned is strongly desired.

FOR THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT:

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Enclosure No.1 359 , 2019

TRAINING WORKSHOP ON PLAY-BASED AND GAME-BASED INQUIRY LEARNING FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS (BATCH 1)

a. **Date**: November 13-15, 2019
b. **Venue**: to be announced later
c. **Participants**: one (1) district Science Coordinator, three (3) Grade 4, three (3) Grade 5, and three (3) Grade 6 Science teachers per district. There should be ten (10) teacher participants from the districts of:

1. Altavas
2. Balete
3. Banga
4. Batan
5. Buruanga
6. Ibajay East
7. Ibajay West
8. Kalibo I
9. Kalibo II
10. Lezo

2. **TRAINING WORKSHOP ON PLAY-BASED AND GAME-BASED INQUIRY LEARNING FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS (BATCH 2)**

a. **Date**: November 20-22, 2019
b. **Venue**: to be announced later
c. **Participants**: one (1) district Science Coordinator, three (3) Grade 4, three (3) Grade 5, and three (3) Grade 6 Science teachers per district. There should be ten (10) teacher participants from the districts of:

1. Libacao
2. Madalag
3. Makato
4. Malay
5. Malinao
6. Nabas
7. New Washington
8. Numancia
9. Tangalan