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Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF PANABO CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief, Curriculum Implementation Division (CID)
Chief, Schools Governance and Operations Division (SGOD)
Education Program Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Concerned

Subject : **CALL FOR INTERESTED SCHOOLS IN THE FREE INSTALLATION AND SYSTEM UPGRADE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH-BASED OPENLY OPERATED KIOSKS (STARBOOKS)**

Date : February 17, 2025

Attached is the letter of Engr. Judy Donna dA. Nueva Ecija, Provincial Director of the Department of Science and Technology – Provincial Science and Technology Office – Davao Del Norte, encouraging schools to avail of the updated version of the Science and Technology Academic and Research-Based Openly Operated Kiosks (STARBOOKS), a free digital library providing offline and online access to a wide range of Science, Technology, and Innovation resources in text, audio, video, and interactive formats.

DOST XI shall manage the installation and system upgrade at no cost for schools meeting the computer specifications outlined below:

Computer Units	Minimum Requirements	Recommended Requirements
Operating System	Windows 10 64-bit	Windows 11 64-bit
Processor	Core i5 (12 th gen) or AMD Ryzen 5 (8 cores)	Core i7 (14 th gen) or AMD Ryzen 7
RAM	16 GB	32 B or more
Storage Drive	500 GB SSD	500 GB SSD or more
Storage Free Space	300 GB	500 GB

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Schools meeting the computer specifications are instructed to coordinate with Ylcy B. Manguilimotan, EPS in Science. Priority consideration shall be given to schools with feedback on or before **March 13, 2025**.

Other details of this activity are in the enclosure.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


JINKY B. FIRMAN PhD., CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent

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12 February 2025

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Department of Education – Division of Panabo City
Panabo City, Davao del Norte

Attention: **YLCY B. MANGUILIMOTAN, PhD**
Science Education Program Supervisor

Dear **SDS Firman**:

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For more information and to request a STARBOOKS Virtual Walkthrough, kindly visit www.starbooks.ph or fill out this form: <https://tinyurl.com/STARBOOKS-Walkthrough>. Please note that schools which respond on or before March 15, 2025, will be given priority consideration.

Should you have any questions or require further assistance, please feel free to contact our SSCP Focal, Antonette Rita Marie Blanco through this telephone number (084) 216-415, or email us at psdo.davaodelnorte@region11.dost.gov.ph.

Thank you very much for being our constant partner in education through Science, Technology, and Innovation.

Very truly yours,


ENGR. JUDY DONNA dA. NUEVA ECIJA
Provincial S&T Director

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