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NATIONAL ONLINE SPELLING BATTLE 2026

Attached is Advisory No. 215, s. 2025 titled National Online Spelling Battle 2026 of the Lyceum De Abuid Inc. and the corresponding Competition Guide. The event is scheduled to be held on January 17, 2025 via Zoom and the Gascloud Learning Management System.

The Schools Division Superintendents are authorized to exercise discretion in addressing this matter.

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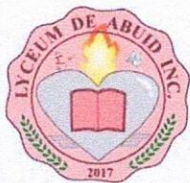
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Subject: Request for Regional Dissemination -National Online Spelling Battle (NOSB 2026)

Dear Regional Director,

Warm greetings of respect.

I am Dr. Sheryl Fu Abuid, Organizer of the National Online Spelling Battle (NOSB) 2026. In reference to DepEd Advisory No. 215, s. 2025, which is posted on the official DepEd website and constitutes nationwide dissemination, we humbly seek the support of your esteemed office in the promotion of this academic initiative across your region.

The NOSB 2026 is a national competition that promotes spelling proficiency, language development, confidence, and academic excellence among Filipino learners from kindergarten to Grade 12. It aims to inspire students to maximize their potential while exhibiting sportsmanship and a passion for learning.

In this regard, we respectfully request the assistance of your good office in disseminating this information to both public and private schools within your region and in encouraging their participation.

For your reference, please find the attachments:

- DepEd Advisory No. 215, s. 2025
- NOSB 2026 Competition Guidelines

Should additional coordination be needed, we would be honored to assist through: lyceumdeabuidinc17@gmail.com.

We sincerely appreciate your continued leadership in advancing the quality of education in the country. It would be an honor to collaborate with your region in promoting meaningful learning opportunities for our Filipino learners.

Thank you very much, Director. Please accept our highest respect.

Respectfully yours,

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Lyceum De Abuid Inc.



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THE FIRST NATIONAL ONLINE SPELLING BATTLE 2026

COMPETITION GUIDE

EMPOWERING STUDENTS NATIONWIDE TO SPELL, SPEAK, AND SUCCEED!



JANUARY 31, 2026
Start at 08:00am



**VIA ZOOM AND
GAS CLOUD LMS**

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**OPEN TO ALL K-12 LEARNERS, BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS
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COMPETITION OVERVIEW

The National Online Spelling Battle (NOSB) 2026 is a groundbreaking nationwide online spelling competition open to Kinder to Grade 12 learners from both public and private schools across the Philippines. Proudly organized by Lyceum De Abuid Inc., this pioneering academic event aims to promote English proficiency, spelling mastery, and academic excellence through an engaging, interactive, and competitive virtual platform.

Taking place on January 31, 2026, the competition will be conducted via Zoom and the GAS CLOUD Learning Management System, providing equal participation opportunities to students regardless of geographical location.

This competition is officially approved and covered by a DepEd Advisory, viewable at the Department of Education official website, reinforcing the event's legitimacy and importance in the educational community.

VISION

To cultivate a nation of confident, articulate, and globally competitive learners through spelling excellence and meaningful academic engagement.

MISSION

To provide every Filipino learner with a platform to showcase linguistic skill, develop confidence, and strengthen command of the English language through a highly innovative academic challenge.

A HISTORIC FEATURE

A key highlight of NOSB 2026 is the use of TEXT-TO-SPEECH TECHNOLOGY, where a Virtual Spelling Bee Master will deliver every word with:

- Proper pronunciation
- Part of speech
- Meaning
- Usage in a sentence

This innovation promotes accuracy, fairness, and a high-quality learning experience for all participants.

THE CREATORS OF THE NATIONAL ONLINE SPELLING BATTLE (NOSB) 2026

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NATIONAL ONLINE SPELLING BATTLE
JANUARY 31, 2026, via Zoom and the Google LMS



A distinguished assembly of educational leaders united by one mission — to empower young learners and transform the future of Philippine education through innovation, excellence, and advocacy:

Get ready to spell your way to victory and be part of history in the National Online Spelling Battle 2026!

General Mechanics

1. The **National Online Spelling Battle (NOSB) 2026** is open to all **Kinder 1 to Grade 12** learners from public and private schools nationwide.
2. The competition will take place on **Saturday, January 31, 2026, via Zoom and the GASCLOUD LMS.**
3. Schools may send an **unlimited number of participants.**
4. Each participant must pay a **registration fee of ₱300.00.**
5. **Registration and payment are strictly online.** No face-to-face registration or physical cash payment will be accepted. The **deadline for registration and payment is , January Saturday 26, 2026.**
6. Registration and payment may be processed by any participant, **parent, guardian, or teacher.**
 - **Login credentials and competition updates will only be issued to those who have completed registration and payment on or before the deadline.**
7. Once officially registered, participants must ensure they have the **required setup and materials as described in the NOSB guidelines** to prepare for the competition.
8. **A Pre-Competition Briefing will be held on Monday, January 28, 2026, at 6:00 PM, via GASCLOUD LMS.** Attendance is highly encouraged as this session will cover essential competition guidelines and procedures.
9. For inquiries, participants may contact or message the organizers through the official Facebook page of **Lyceum De Abuid Inc.**

REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

REGISTRATION STEP	PARTICULARS
Register your participants online via the GASCLOUD Registration Portal.	- Log in to the GASCLOUD registration portal and follow the instructions provided. - Fill out the online registration form accurately. Review and double check all information before submitting. No corrections or edits will be allowed after submission.
Pay the registration fee and submit proof of payment.	- Pay the ₱300.00 per participant through the official e-payment channels. No cash or face-to-face payments will be accepted. Upload and send proof of payment to LYCEUM DE ABUID INC messenger on or before the registration deadline.
Wait for contest links, login credentials, and updates.	-Once your registration and payment are verified, the zoom links, login credentials, and competition announcements will

	be sent directly to registered emails address. Regularly check your email and messenger to avoid missing important announcements and reminder.
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PAYMENT METHODS (ONLINE ONLY)

BPI Account Name: Sheryl Fu Abuid	Gscash Account Name: Sheryl Fu Abuid
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No other payment channels are authorized. Cash / walk-in payments will NOT be accepted.

NOSB 2026 SPELLING BEE MECHANICS

1. General Guidelines

- The National Online Spelling Battle (NOSB 2026) is a premier virtual spelling competition **utilizing text-to-speech technology via GASCLOUD LMS.**
- The competition is open to **Kinder to Grade 12 learners** and ensures a **fair, standardized, and competitive spelling format.**

2. Word Categories & Scoring

Each participant will be given 30 spelling words, classified into three levels of difficulty:

<i>Category</i>	<i>Easy</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Difficult</i>
Number of Words	10	10	10
Points per Correct Answer	1	2	3

3. Audio Playback Rules

- Contestants must **press the audio button** to hear the spelling item.
- The audio may be played **TWICE only per word.**
- Contestants may begin answering while the audio is playing.

4. Answering Format

- Contestants **will click the correct spelling** from the choices shown on the screen.
- After submitting an answer, contestants may proceed to the next item.
- **Answers cannot be changed once submitted, and contestants cannot return to previous items.**

5. Time Limit

- Contestants must finish the test within **one (1) hour.**
- The system will automatically notify **contestants 5 minutes before time is up.**

6. System Security and Disqualification Rules

- Opening other **tabs, windows, screens, or applications** during the competition is strictly prohibited.
- The system will automatically detect such actions and issue warnings.
- After **three (3) warnings**, the contestant will **be logged out and disqualified.**

NOSB 2026 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Time Level

9:00 – 10:00 AM	Grade 7 to Grade 12
10:30 – 11:30 AM	Grades 4 to Grades 6
12:00 NN – 01:00 PM	Grades 1 to Grade 3
1:30 PM- 2:30 PM	KINDER

Join NOSB 2026 and prove you are among the nation's top spellers!

COMPETITION SETUP

The graphic features the title "National Online Spelling Battle 2026" in a colorful, stylized font. Below the title, it states "You need to have the following setup for the contest". The setup includes three main components: 1. "TWO DEVICES" with a callout "One for the GASCLOUD LMS and the other for Zoom", illustrated with a laptop and a smartphone. 2. "HEADSET" with a callout "This is REQUIRED in the competition", illustrated with a headset icon. 3. A photo of a child wearing a headset and using a laptop, and another photo of a child using a smartphone.

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS & SETUP

To ensure smooth participation in NOSB 2026, participants are advised to prepare the following:

DEVICE

- Laptop / Desktop (recommended)
- Tablet (allowed)
- Mobile phone (allowed — if the participant has stable access to Facebook and the competition platforms)

Any device may be used if it can access Zoom, GASCLOUD LMS, and Facebook reliably.

INTERNET

- Stable internet connection is needed for the entire duration of the competition.

- Mobile data is allowed, if the connection is stable enough for Zoom and GAS CLOUD LMS.

If the participant can access Facebook smoothly using their connection, they can already join.

AUDIO

- Working speakers or headphones
- Device volume must be loud and clear

POWER

- Fully charged device
- Preferably connected to a charger throughout the competition

ENVIRONMENT

- Well-lit area
- Quiet room
- Clean and distraction-free background

Dress Code

- School Uniform with ID

CODE OF CONDUCT

To ensure fairness and competition, participants must strictly observe the following:

Be in a quiet room free from disturbances

Cameras must be always turned ON

Microphones must remain muted unless instructed otherwise

No other gadgets or screens may be used except the competition device

No assistance from any individual (parent, teacher, or guardian) is allowed during the spelling battle

Any form of cheating or system violation will result in immediate disqualification.

REMINDER

Once registration and payment are completed, participant substitution is NOT allowed, except in extreme cases and only with prior approval from the LDAI organizer.

- No refunds will be issued for non-appearance, withdrawal, change of mind, or failure to attend after registration.

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

All participants will receive: Digital Certificate of Participation

The following awards will also be given:

Excellence Award — **Top 3 Scorers per Level**

Awarded to the Top 3 highest scorers in each Academic Level:

- Kinder
- Grade 1-Grade 6
- Grade 7-Grade 12

The Top 3 scorers per level will be officially declared as the **National Winners of NOSB 2026**.

Most Supportive School Award

For the school with the highest number of registered participants

Medals and certificates of winners will be sent via courier

The official list of National Winners (Top 3 per level) will be posted on the official Facebook page of Lyceum De Abuid Inc.

Join NOSB 2026 and showcase your spelling skills in the most exciting online spelling battle in the country!

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