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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 1299 s. 2026

GRANT OF VACATION SERVICE CREDITS TO PARTICIPANTS OF THE AI LITERACY MASTERCLASS SERIES: EMPOWERING EDUCATORS, TRANSFORMING LEARNING, SHAPING THE FUTURE

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents
Regional Functional Division Chiefs
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is an Advisory from the National Educators Academy of the Philippines dated November 6, 2026 titled Grant of Vacation Service Credits to Participants of the AI Literacy Masterclass Series: Empowering Educators, Transforming Learning, Shaping the Future.

2. Attention is particularly invited to paragraphs 1 - 4 of the said Advisory.

3. Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP) shall be exercised to underscore the Department's policy of no discrimination against any personnel for professional learning and development regardless of age, gender, civil status, disability, region, ethnic group, and political beliefs.

4. For clarifications, contact **Ms. Katherine Y. Sedillo, CES-HRDD or Mr. Zegric S. Laguda, SEPS – NEAP-R.**

5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are directed.

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Encl: As stated
Reference: Advisory, DM_OUHROD-2026-466
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:
PERFORMANCE TRAINING ORIENTATION
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In reference to **Memorandum DM-OULS-2026-466,** entitled "*Implementation of AI Literacy Masterclass Series: Empowering Educators, Transforming Learning, Shaping the Future,*" dated October 26, 2026, the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP) announces the grant of Vacation Service Credits to eligible teacher-participants who attended the officially authorized professional development sessions conducted under the said program.

The following sessions and their corresponding training hours shall serve as the basis for the grant of Vacation Service Credits:

Date	Title of Session	Number of Hours
Nov 07, 2026	Masterclass on Building AI Fluency	8 hours
Nov 14, 2026	Masterclass on Responsible AI Classroom Practice	8 hours

Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 013, s. 2024, teachers whose participation in officially authorized activities falls on class suspensions or cancellations, weekends, holidays, or during the vacation period shall be entitled to Vacation Service Credits, subject to existing rules and regulations.

The grant of service credits shall be based on actual attendance and participation in the identified sessions, subject to the applicable guidelines and validation of attendance records.

For further details and clarifications, please contact the National Educators Academy of the Philippines – Professional Development Division (NEAP-PDD) through email at neap.pdd@deped.gov.ph or through telephone number (02) 8715-9919.

For information, guidance, and compliance.

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