



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF NORTHERN SAMAR

February 02, 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. Oleo, s. 2026

**COMPLIANCE WITH THE NATIONAL UPLOADING AND VALIDATION OF
THE WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE IN SCHOOLS (WinS) PROGRAM SY
2025-2026 AND SCHEDULE OF DIVISION VALIDATION ACTIVITIES FOR
SCHOOLS WITH THREE-STAR RATINGS (SY 2024-2025)**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief, Schools Governance & Operations Division
Head, Division Information and Communications Technology Unit
All School Health Section Personnel
Public School District Supervisors/ Principals In-Charge
Public Elementary & Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to the **Advisory dated January 21, 2026** issued by the **Bureau of Learner Support Services, Office of the Director**, relative to the opening of the **National Uploading and Validation of the Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene in Schools (WinS) Program for School Year 2025-2026**, all public elementary and secondary schools in this Division are hereby **directed to strictly comply** with the said issuance.
2. The National Uploading and Validation shall commence on **January 26, 2026** and shall continue until **March 31, 2026**, using the electronic Online Monitoring System (e-OMS).
3. To ensure **100% compliance and the timely conduct of validation activities**, all schools are hereby strictly directed to complete the uploading of their reports at least **one (1) week prior to the national-level closing of the e-OMS**. This is intended to prevent access and uploading issues caused by a surge of submissions near the deadline, which may result in delays or unsuccessful submission of reports, and to facilitate the division-level validation of Three-Star rated schools.
4. In addition, **the division-level validation of schools with Three-Star ratings for SY 2024-2025**, based on previously submitted reports, is scheduled on **February 11-13, 18-19, and March 11-12, 2026**. The list of schools scheduled for validation is attached for reference.
5. Accordingly, all concerned schools are instructed to observe the following:



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- a. Ensure that the latest version of the monitoring forms is used, particularly those that include the School-Based Feeding Program (SBFP) indicator requiring the number of beneficiaries disaggregated by sex.
 - b. In case of discrepancies between the offline monitoring form and the uploaded report in the e-OMS, the uploaded report shall serve as the official basis for the WinS star rating.
 - c. Non-DepEd elementary and secondary schools are required to upload a blank form only.
 - d. Any concerns related to uploading interruptions or system issues shall be coordinated through proper channels. Schools shall await further advisories from the Division and Regional WinS Coordinators should system maintenance be required.
6. All School Heads, WinS Coordinators, and concerned personnel are likewise **strongly encouraged to revisit DepEd Order No. 10, s. 2016 and DepEd Memorandum No. 194, s. 2018** for proper guidance on the implementation of the WinS Program and the Three-Star Approach (TSA).
 7. For clarifications and further information, you may contact **Ms. Nilma S. Regulacion**, Division Focal Person for the WinS Program, at cellphone number 0919-950-1184.
 8. Attached is the referenced BLSS Advisory for guidance and information.
 9. Immediate and strict compliance with this Memorandum is enjoined.


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By: 

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**INITIAL LIST OF SCHOOLS WITH THREE-STAR RATING AND SCHEDULES FOR
DIVISION VALIDATION ACTIVITIES
SY 2024-2025**

Date	Schools
February 11, 2026	Francisco Rosales Sr. National High School
February 12, 2026	San Isidro Agro-Industrial High School
	Pili Elementary School
February 13, 2026	Dancalan Integrated School
	Bobon Central School
February 18, 2026	Pambujan National High School
	San Roque Central Elementary School
February 19, 2026	Sumoroy Agro Industrial School
	Sangay Elementary School
March 11, 2026	Acedillo Elementary School
	Lipata Elementary School
March 12, 2026	Lavezares I Central School



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This Office officially announces the opening of the **National Uploading and Validation of the WASH in Schools (WinS) Program for SY 2025-2026**. The uploading will commence on **January 26, 2026** and continue until **March 31, 2026** in reference to DepEd Order No. 10, s. 2016 or the "Policy and Guidelines for the Comprehensive Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene in (WASH) in Schools (WinS) Program which established quality standards for water, sanitation, deworming and health education. The Three-Star Approach (TSA) is used by the WinS Program as an integrated system for monitoring, performance recognition and quality assurance guided by DepEd Memorandum No. 194, s. 2018.

Please be advised of the following:

1. Ensure that the downloaded monitoring forms are the latest version which includes the SBFP indicator requesting the number of beneficiaries disaggregated by sex.
2. In the event of a discrepancy between the result of the offline monitoring form and the uploaded monitoring at the e-OMS, the result on the uploaded report in the e-OMS shall be the official star rating. The star rating indicated on the uploaded form shall prevail.
3. For non-DepEd elementary and secondary schools, please upload a blank form only.
4. In the event of an uploading interruption, the issue will be coordinated directly with ICTS-SID. In case the ICTS-SID advises that system maintenance is required, Regional WinS Coordinators will be notified accordingly.

To be guided properly, all ROs and SDOs WinS Coordinators are highly encouraged to revisit DepEd Order No. 10, s. 2016 and DepEd Memorandum No. 194, s. 2018.

For clarification and further information, please contact **Ms. Magdalene Portia T. Cariaga**, Supervising Health Program Officer, **Mr. Vonerich B. Berba**, Education Program Specialist II, and **Mr. Dranoel Cyrus C. Baguio**, Technical Assistant II of BLSS-SHD through telephone number (02) 632-9935, mobile number 0915-564-4363, or via email at sbfp@deped.gov.ph.


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