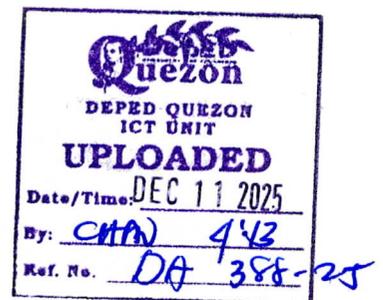




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INVITATION TO BIOTA CALABARZON REGIONAL CONFERENCE 2025

The Biology Teachers Association of the Philippines, Inc. will conduct a Regional Conference with the theme “Mainstreaming Planetary Health in Biology Education”. In relation, the organization is inviting educators, researchers, and advocates to join the said activity.

Please be advised that participation to the said activity should be **voluntary**, and other related costs which may be incurred by the applicants shall be on **personal expense**. They are also reminded to **strictly observe Time-On-Task Policy**, and **strict compliance to No Disruption of Classes Policy of the Department as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 09, s. 2005**.

For further details, please see attached document for reference.

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Dear Superintendent Bautista,

Warm greetings from BIOTA CALABARZON!

We cordially invite educators, researchers, students, and advocates to participate in the BIOTA CALABARZON Chapter Regional Conference, themed "Mainstreaming Planetary Health in Biology Education."

This year's conference brings together educators, researchers, and advocates to explore how biology instruction can respond to the urgent challenges of planetary health—bridging ecological understanding with public well-being, sustainability, and resilience, in alignment with key Sustainable Development Goals such as SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being), SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 13 (Climate Action), SDG 14 (Life Below Water), and SDG 15 (Life on Land).

 Date: 24 January 2026

 Venue: Institute of Biological Sciences, University of the Philippines Los Baños

 Format: In-person

 Highlights include:

- Plenary talks from leading experts in planetary health and biology education
- Parallel sessions on biodiversity and environment, teaching pedagogy and bio-research
- Poster presentations by students and educators
- Networking opportunities with fellow biology educators and researchers

We respectfully invite your office to endorse this activity among biology teachers in your region and to encourage interested high school students to participate as poster presenters. This is a valuable opportunity to showcase student-led inquiry and deepen engagement with planetary health themes.

For inquiries or registration details, please contact the undersigned.

Let us work together to make biology education a powerful force for planetary well-being.

Sincerely,


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