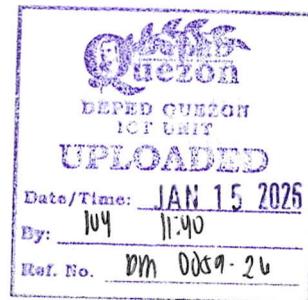




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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

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**DISSEMINATION OF TIMELINE FOR THE POLICY AND RESEARCH PROGRAM
(PRP) IMPLEMENTATION, CY 2026**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
Division Chiefs
Public Schools District Supervisors
Elementary and Secondary School Heads
School Heads in-Charge of Research in the District
Researchers
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 16, s. 2017 (Research Management Guidelines), this Office, through the School Governance and Operations Division – Planning and Research Section (SGOD-PAR), hereby announces the **Implementation Timeline of the Policy and Research Program (PRP) for Calendar Year 2026**.
2. The Policy and Research Program (PRP) refers to research activities **funded under the Basic Education Research Fund (BERF)** across each BERF funding cycle.
3. Kindly refer to the attached regional memorandum, which is self-explanatory, for further details and guidance.
4. For wide dissemination to all concerned.


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 (PRP) IMPLEMENTATION, CY 2026**

To **Schools Division Superintendents**
RO Functional Division Chiefs

1. In compliance with DepEd Order No. 16, s. 2017 *Research Management Guidelines*, this Office through the Policy, Planning, and Research Division (PPRD), announces the schedule of activities for the **Policy and Research Program (PRP)** implementation for CY 2026.
2. All concerned are advised on the following schedule and timelines.

ACTIVITY	DATE	TEAM/INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED
Meeting on the Evaluation of the Research Proposals under the 11th BERF Cycle	February 11, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat
Announcement of the 11th BERF Cycle Grantees	February 27, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat
Initial Presentation of the 11th BERF Cycle Grantees	March 4-16, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat ▪ 11th Cycle BERF Grantees
Proposal Presentation of Research under the 11th Basic Education Research Fund (BERF)	March 16-17 and 27, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat
Monitoring the Status of the Approved Research Papers under the Basic Education Research Fund (BERF)	June 22-30, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat ▪ SEPS for P&R, ▪ BERF Grantees
Call for Proposals for the 12th BERF Cycle	July 10, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat
In-house Evaluation of the Completed Research Under the 11th BERF Cycle	September 16-18, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat



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ACTIVITY	DATE	TEAM/INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED
Commencement Activity for the 11th BERF Cycle Grantees (Batch 1)	October 1-2, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat ▪ SEPS for P&R ▪ BERF Grantees
Initial Online Assessment of the 12th BERF Cycle Research Proposals	October 8-9, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat
In-house Evaluation of the Research Proposals under the 12th BERF Cycle	November 4-6, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat
Announcement of 12th BERF Cycle Grantees	November 20, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat
Initial Presentation of the 12th BERF Cycle Grantees	November 23-25, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat
Monitoring and Evaluation of RO and SDOs' Research Management Implementation	November 7-27, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Secretariat
Proposal Presentation of Research under the 12th Basic Education Research Fund (BERF)	December 9-10, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat ▪ SEPS for P&R ▪ BERF Grantees
Commencement Activity for the 11th BERF Cycle Grantees (Batch 2)	December 1-2, 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RRC Members ▪ RRC Secretariat ▪ SEPS for P&R ▪ BERF Grantees

3. Other updates shall be announced through separate communication.
4. For other concerns, you may contact **Mr. Lorenzo Ruiz C. Costo**, Education Program Specialist II through email pprd.calabarzon@deped.gov.ph or call **(02)8682-2114 local 470**.
5. For dissemination to and compliance of all concerned.


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