



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Region III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF BULACAN

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 256 s. 2022

**2022 SPED PROGRAM SUPPORT FUND ALLOCATION
TO THE SCHOOLS WITH SPED PROGRAM**

To: Division Chiefs
Education Program Supervisors
Secondary and Elementary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. This has reference to the Sub-Allotment Release Order No. OSEC-3-22-3783 amounting to Two Million, Three Hundred Twenty Thousand Pesos (Php 2, 320,000.00) issued by the Budget Division Finance Service to cover funding requirements for the Program Support Fund allocation to the Schools Division Office and 48 elementary and 7 secondary schools with Special Education (SPED) Program.
2. The Department of Education (DepEd) through the Bureau of Learning Delivery-Student Inclusion Division (BLD-SID) seeks to address the significant challenges in Special Education through:
 - 1.2.1 Providing intervention by ensuring learners with disabilities/difficulties have access to suitable service/ s towards their inclusion in the general education classes;
 - 1.2.2 Removing barriers to learning by embedding inclusive practices in all schools;
 - 1.2.3 Raising expectations and achievement by developing teaching skills and strategies focusing on progress learners make; and
 - 1.2.4 Strengthening collaboration and linkages with parents and the community.
3. Relative to this, the following schools with Learners with Disabilities are the recipients of this special support fund (please refer to the attached Memorandum-CI-2022-176, dated April 25, 2022, re: Recipients of the Fiscal Year 2022 Special Education Program Support Fund).
4. As stated in DO 42, s. 2021, the allowable expenses are the following:
 - 4.1 Formal assessment or rehabilitation of LWDs by Medical or Allied Medical specialists;
 - 4.2 Acquisition of specialized materials, devices and equipment that are intended for Instructional Purposes of Learners with Disability/Difficulty instructional purposes provided that the amount do not exceed Php 15,000.00 (please refer to Inclosure No.1);
 - 4.3 Attendance of SPED teachers and receiving teachers and other concerned school personnel in specialized trainings on inclusive and special education conducted by NEAP accredited service providers;
 - 4.4 Immersion of LWDs to different work industry possible employment and their participation to sports, academic and co-curricular activities toward holistic development;
 - 4.5 Communication expenses of SPED implementers subject to reimbursement and/or liquidation and existing DepEd policy on communication expense.





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5. The PSF shall only be utilized to support the implementation of the program based on the items reflected in the School Annual Implementation Plan (SAIP).
6. To guide the recipient schools with Learners with Disability on how to utilize the PSF, the following activities are suggested to conduct:
 - 5.1 Identify the reported LWDs in the school LIS; and
 - 5.2 Prepare the profile of these learners as to their:
Name, Grade Level, Age, Gender, Teacher, Type of Disability, and Needed Assistance/Equipment.
7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is hereby enjoined.


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Inclosure No. 1 to Div. Memorandum No. 256s. 2022

List of Suggested Eligible Expenses

A. For Visually Impaired	Generic/Any Kind of Disability
1. Magnifying glass	1. Printer
2. Magnifying glass with light	2. Laminator
3. Screen Readers	3. Sound System
4. Optical Character Recognition	4. External Hard Drive
5. Low Vision and Talking Calculator	5. Coupon Bond
6. Portable Recorder	6. SMART TV
7. Ariadne GPS	
8. Braille Printers	Physical Disability
9. Pencil Claw	1. Crutches
10. Bin Bag Chair	2. Cane
11. Sensory Materials	
12. Braille Key Board Stickers	Sports Materials – for any kind of disability
	1. For HI – adapted chess board
Formal Assessment	2. Goal ball
Neurodevelopmental - ASD, ID, GDD, BP/ HI	
	Life Skills
Autism	1. Cooking Utensils/Equipment
Specialized Table and Chair	2. Garden Tools
	3. Home Furniture

