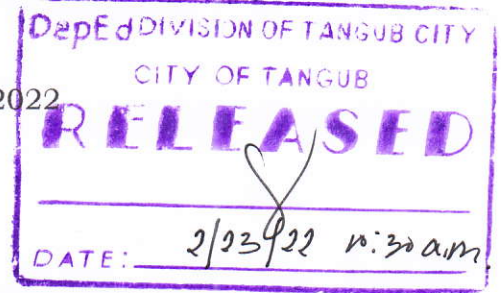




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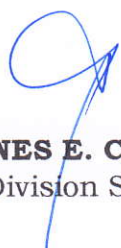
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 49, s. 2022

DISSEMINATION OF REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 102, S. 2022
(COMMENCEMENT OF THE EXPANDED PHASE OF THE LIMITED FACE-TO-FACE CLASSES IN REGION X)

To: Chief Education Supervisors (CID and SGOD)
District In-Charge
Elementary and Secondary School Heads
This Division

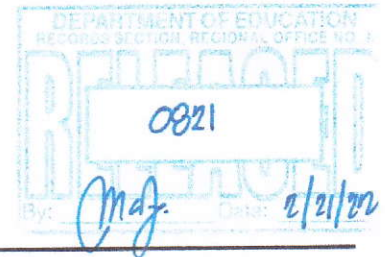
1. Given the President's approval of the recommendation for the progressive expansion of the face-to-face classes, Education Secretary Leonor Magtolis Briones has authorized all the regional directors to commence the progressive expansion phase of face-to-face classes for both public and private schools.
2. See attached **REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 102, S. 2022** for your reference.
3. Wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


AGUSTINES E. CEPE, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent





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REGION X - NORTHERN MINDANAO



Office of the Regional Director

February 18, 2022

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
No. 102, s. 2022

**COMMENCEMENT OF THE EXPANDED PHASE OF THE LIMITED
FACE-TO-FACE CLASSES IN REGION X**

To: Assistant Regional Director
Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned


1. The Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF), in its Resolution No. 161-A, s. 2022, issued on February 14, the provinces and cities within Region X under Alert Level 2.
2. Given the President's approval of the recommendation for the progressive expansion of face-to-face classes, Education Secretary Leonor Magtolis Briones has authorized all regional directors to commence the progressive expansion phase of face-to-face classes for both public and private schools.
3. Following the latest IATF issuance, all schools division superintendents shall commence the expanded limited face-to-face classes of the schools included in the approved schools for limited face-to-face classes; Provided, that pending the issuance of a Revised Joint Memorandum for the expansion phase, the main protocols and standards in the DepEd-DOH Joint Memorandum Circular 001, s. 2021 shall remain applicable as appropriate, with the following main parameters for inclusion:
 - a) Expansion schools must be compliant with the School Safety Assessment Tool (SSAT) standards;
 - b) Schools must be in areas under alert levels 1 and 2 based on the periodic risk assessment by the Department of Health;
 - c) Schools may already include other grade levels based on the capacity of schools;



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- d) Schools or divisions applying for expansion must have secured the concurrence of the local chief executive in the city or municipality. The schools must also have taken the proper coordination with their respective barangay officials;
 - e) Students participating in the face-to-face classes must have the written consent of their parents;
 - f) Schools have the flexibility in contact time for teaching and learning, provided that the school personnel and learners do not eat their meals in the school premises, except during managed recess; and,
 - g) Only vaccinated teachers will participate in the face-to-face classes and vaccinated learners are preferred. Unvaccinated learners with parents' consent, however, who desire to participate in class will still be accommodated.
4. This Office directs the immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum.



DR. ARTURO B. BAYOCOT, CESO III
Regional Director

* Commencement of the Expanded Phase of the Limited Face-to-Face Classes in Region X

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