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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
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To: Schools Division Superintendent) Division of Agusan del Sur
All Others Concerned) Division of Surigao del Norte
) Division of Surigao del Sur

NOMINATION OF PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS FOR THE
EY AI LEAD PROGRAM 2026-2027

1. **Activity.** In line with the commitment of the Department of Education to promote innovation, digital literacy, and STEM education among learners and teachers, the Department of Education Regional Office XIII (Caraga) invites eligible schools to participate in the EY AI Lead Program for School Year 2026–2027, an Artificial Intelligence (AI) and STEM learning initiative organized by Junior Achievement of the Philippines in partnership with EY GDS Philippines.

2. **Objective.** The program aims to equip participating teachers and learners with knowledge, skills, and experiences in AI, innovation, and technology-enhanced learning.

3. **Requirements.** The identified Schools Division Offices are requested to **nominate two secondary schools** with demonstrated interest and capacity in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM), digital innovation, robotics, coding, research, or other technology-related learning initiatives. The required information is summarized in the Table below:

Required Information	Remarks
Name of two participating schools	Division-endorsed schools
Division Focal Person	Name, designation, contact number, and email
School Focal Person	One per participating school
Confirmation of participation	For inclusion in official coordination channels

4. **Submission.** All required information shall be submitted to the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) via email on or before **October 8, 2026**, to facilitate regional consolidation and coordination with the program organizers.

5. **Inquiries.** For clarifications and other concerns, please contact the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD) through Maria Ruth R. Edradan, Education Program Supervisor, via email at **maria.edradan@deped.gov.ph** or mobile number **0909-840-2679**.



6. **Compliance.** Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this this Memorandum are highly desired.

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