



Republic of the Philippines
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Cordillera Administrative Region
Schools Division of Tabuk City



Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
NO. 476 s. 2026

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FAIR ENTRY EVALUATION AND SELECTION

To: Public Schools District Supervisors
All Public and Private Secondary School Heads
All others Concerned

1. The Division Office through the Curriculum and Implementation Division shall conduct a Science and Technology Fair Entry Evaluation and Selection (STF) with the theme: ***"Leveraging Scientific Innovation for a Sustainable and Progressive Philippines"*** this November 14-15, 2026 at Tabuk City National High School.
2. This year's STF aims to evaluate and select the most qualified Science and Technology Fair entries that exemplify scientific excellence, innovation, and relevance for advancement to the next level of competition. Specifically, to:
 - a. identify and select the most outstanding Science and Technology Fair entries that demonstrate innovation, creativity, scientific inquiry, and relevance to real-world problems.
 - b. ensure a fair, transparent, and objective evaluation process based on the established criteria and standards for science and technology research and innovation projects.
 - c. recognize and showcase the scientific talents and competencies of learners in conducting research, developing innovations, and applying scientific knowledge and technological skills.
 - d. determine the official entries that will represent the school, district, or division in higher-level Science and Technology Fair competitions.
3. The STF will involve the following events:

TUKLAS- a STEM research competition with four (4) categories: Physical Science, Life Science, Robotics and Intelligent Machine and Mathematics and Computational Science.



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STEM Innovation Expo- a STEM Innovation competition that aims to recognize the most creative and market viable project addressing major issues in food safety, water conservation, renewable energy, cyber security, road safety, health, disaster mitigation, agriculture and environment.

4. The participants from each STEM implementing school shall only be the 1st rank in the different categories.

a.	Life Science (Individual & Team)
b.	Physical Science (Individual & Team)
c.	Robotics and Intelligent Machine (RIM)-(Individual & Team)
d.	Mathematical and Computational Science (Individual & Team)
e.	STEM Innovation Expo (Individual & Team)
f.	Research Innovation and Scientific Exploration (Individual and Team)

5. The schools shall submit 1 entry for each event before October 30, 2025, soft and hard copies (3 sets) for judges to read and evaluate the manuscripts. Soft copies of the manuscripts shall be emailed to this address: cresencia.naoy@deped.gov.ph.
6. The mechanics and criteria of the different contested activities and the investigative project template shall follow the 2025 NSTF rules. Enclosed with this memorandum are Enclosures 1 and 2 or the mechanics of the activities and judging criteria, and list of TWGs.
7. For wide dissemination and appropriate action.

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Enclosure 1. Mechanics and Judging Criteria (Please see annex) or download the School, Division, Regional and National Science and Technology Fair Handbook, First Edition May 2023

Enclosure 2. STF List of Technical Working Group

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