



Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

MIMAROPA REGION
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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VIRTUAL ORIENTATION AND PROVISION OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM (ALS) SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (SHS)

TO: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent Chief Education Supervisors Education Program Supervisors Public Schools District Supervisors School Heads of Senior High Schools All Others Concerned

- 1. Republic Act 11510 also known as the ALS Act defines Alternative Learning System as a parallel learning system that provides a viable alternative to the existing formal instruction. The ALS program caters to out-of-school children in special cases, out-of-school youth, and out-of-school adults which include, among others, indigenous peoples, learners with disabilities, teenage mothers, socioeconomically disadvantaged learners, children in conflict with the law, persons deprived of liberty, rebel returnees, learners in emergency situations, and other marginalized sectors who have not completed basic education and are enrolled in the ALS Program.
- 2. Currently, only the Basic Literacy Program, Accreditation and Equivalency (elementary and junior high school) Program are being implemented. ALS Junior High School Program completers have the option to enroll in the formal Senior High School (SHS) Program. However, only few of them continue and finish Grade 12 due to varied economic and personal reasons. Therefore, there is a need to develop a contextualized ALS SHS Curriculum that provides a practical option to the existing SHS formal instruction.

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- 3. In support to the implementation of ALS SHS in our Division, all Public Schools District Supervisors (PSDSs) and School Heads of SHS are encouraged to attend to Online Orientation and Provision of Technical Assistance on the Implementation of ALS SHS to be rendered by the Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE) personnel on July 22, 2022 (8:00-10:00 AM)
- 4. The meeting link shall be sent to the participants through Messenger account of SHS Heads two (2) hours before the activity.
- 5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are directed.

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