



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION X – NORTHERN MINDANAO
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF EL SALVADOR CITY

23 June 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 207, s. 2025

**WEARING OF ASEAN OR FILIPINIANA ATTIRE EVERY MONDAY
STARTING JUNE 2025**

To: **Asst. Schools Division Superintendent**
Chief CID, SGOD
Education Program Supervisors
SGOD Officials
All Others Concerned
This Division

1. Pursuant to **DepEd Memorandum No. 028, s. 2025** titled *Guidelines on the New Department of Education National Uniform for Teaching, Teaching-Related, and Non-Teaching Personnel*, and in consonance with **Civil Service Commission (CSC) Memorandum Circular No. 16, s. 2024** on the *Revised Dress Code for Government Officials and Employees*, this Office informs all personnel of the adoption of **ASEAN and Filipiniana attire every Monday** effective **June 30, 2025**.
2. All **classroom-based and office-based personnel** are encouraged to wear **ASEAN- or Filipiniana-inspired attire every Monday**, as part of the weekly uniform schedule established under DepEd Memorandum No. 028, s. 2025. This attire promotes cultural identity, pride in heritage, and professionalism in line with national and ASEAN values.
3. Since School Year 2025–2026 is considered a **transition period**, Personnel may still wear their existing uniforms during this time. Full implementation of the new uniform schedule, including Monday's ASEAN/Filipiniana attire, begins in **SY 2026–2027**.
4. Exemptions from wearing the prescribed uniform may be granted for reasons such as pregnancy, mourning, emergency situations, or other analogous circumstances. Requests for exemption must be submitted in writing to the Head of Office at least 15 days in advance. All submitted requests for exemptions are subject to approval. Non-wearing of the Filipiniana/Asean - inspired attire on Mondays without prior approved exemption shall be marked absent.
5. All are enjoined to **disseminate this memorandum widely** and ensure that the intent of both DepEd and CSC directives is understood and respectfully implemented in their respective schools and offices.

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6. All are reminded that this Office adheres to Equal Opportunity Principle (EOP). Hence, all decisions and actions shall be based solely on guidelines set forth, with no discrimination on the account of age, gender identity, sexual orientation, civil status, disability, religion, ethnicity, or political affiliation.
7. For information, guidance and strict compliance.

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Schools Division Superintendent

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Under the following subjects:
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