



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION XI  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DAVAO ORIENTAL

**Office of the Schools Division Superintendent**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM  
SGOD-2025-153

To : PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERVISORS  
PUBLIC SCHOOL HEADS  
ELEMENTARY/SECONDARY/PRIMARY/INTEGRATED SCHOOLS  
DISTRICT/SCHOOL DRRM COORDINATORS

Subject: **NATIONAL DISASTER RESILIENCE MONTH (NDRM) 2025 OBSERVANCE  
RE: THE PROVINCIAL SCHOOL DRRM SUMMIT 2025**

Date : July 14, 2025

This activity is in line with the month-long observance of the National Disaster Resilience Month (NDRM) 2025, with the theme: ***“KUMIKILOS para sa Kahandaan, Kaligtasan, at Katatagan.”***, and also supports the 10-Point Agenda of Hon. Governor Nelson L. Dayanghirang, anchored on the advocacy of ***“Gobyernong Nagkakaisa para sa Ligtas na Davao Oriental (GNLD).”***

The **Provincial Government of Davao Oriental**, through the **Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (PDRRMO)**, will host a **one-day Provincial School DRRM Summit** on **July 23, 2025, at 8:00 AM**, to be held at the **Provincial Capitol, City of Mati, Davao Oriental**.

This summit aims to showcase the resilience, preparedness, and proactive engagement of learners from various municipalities across the province. The event will feature **three competition categories**, with **one (1) student representative per municipality** for each:


- **Quiz Bee** – for **Elementary** learners (Grades 4–6)
- **Essay Writing** – for **Junior High School** students
- **Photo Mosaic Creation** – for **Senior High School** students

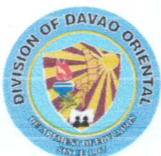
For detailed mechanics and guidelines for each category, please refer to the attached documents. Please be reminded that all participants must be accompanied by their **COACHES**.

Travel, meal, and incidental expenses shall be charged against the school MOOE, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. You are also advised to coordinate with your Local DRRM Office (LDRRMO) for transportation arrangements to the venue.

Should you have any concerns, contact the Division DRRM Coordinator Mc Adrian Nove B. Cobero at **09617826853** or the Division YFD Coordinator, Mr. Michael Mangkikis at **09103112255**.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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# Mechanics: DRRM Quiz Bee for Elementary Students

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## 1. Participants

- The competition is open to Grade 4 to Grade 6 students.
- Each municipality shall be represented by one (1) contestant/student.
- A total of 11 participants/students who will take part in the contest.

## 2. Coverage

Questions will focus on Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM) topics, including but not limited to:

- Types of natural and human-induced disasters
- Basic safety and emergency procedures (e.g., duck-cover-hold, go-bag items)
- DRRM agencies (e.g., NDRRMC, PAGASA, PHIVOLCS)
- Climate change and environmental protection
- School- and community-based preparedness efforts

## 3. Format

The competition shall consist of three (3) rounds:

- Easy Round – 5 to 10 questions (1 point each)
- Average Round – 5 to 10 questions (2 points each)
- Difficult Round – 5 to 10 questions (3 points each)

Questions will be read twice only, and students will have 10–15 seconds to write their answers on their answer boards or sheets.

## 4. Scoring and Tie-Breaker

- Scores will be tallied after each round.
- In case of a tie after the final round, a tie-breaker question will be asked.
- The first to raise the correct answer within the time limit wins.

## 5. Conduct and Decorum

- Cheating or prompting from the audience will result in disqualification.
- The decision of the judges is final and irrevocable.
- Participants must observe honesty, sportsmanship, and respect at all times.

## **6. Awards**

- Certificates will be awarded to all participants.
- Top 3 scorers will receive prizes and certificates of recognition.
- Group documentation and awarding will follow after the event.

# Mechanics: DRRM Essay Writing Contest for Junior High School Students

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## 1. Participants

- The contest is open to Junior High School students (Grades 7 to 10).
- Each participating municipality shall be represented by one (1) student.
- A total of 11 participants/students who will take part in the contest.

## 2. Theme

- The essay shall revolve around the theme of National Disaster Resilience Month 2025 theme:

***“KUMIKILOS para sa Kahandaan, Kaligtasan, at Katatagan”***

## 3. Format and Guidelines

- Essays must be written in English.
- Entries should be original, creative, and relevant to the theme.
- Word count: 300–500 words.
- Writing period will be conducted on the spot within a 2-hour time limit.
- Participants are requested to bring their own laptop.

## 4. Judging Criteria

- Content and Relevance – 40%
- Originality and Creativity – 25%
- Organization and Coherence – 20%
- Grammar and Style – 15%

## 5. Awards

- Certificates will be given to all participants.
- Top 3 winners will receive special awards and certificates of recognition.
- Winning entries may be published or displayed during the culmination program.



# Mechanics: DRRM Photo Mosaic Contest for Senior High School Students

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## 1. Participants

- The contest is open to Senior High School students (Grades 11 and 12).
- Each participating municipality shall be represented by one (1) student.
- A total of 11 participants/students who will take part in the contest.

## 2. Theme

- The photo mosaic shall revolve around the theme of National Disaster Resilience Month theme:

***“KUMIKILOS para sa Kahandaan, Kaligtasan, at Katatagan”***

## 3. Guidelines

- Participating student will create a photo mosaic using printed photos, drawings, or cutouts and, other recyclable materials arranged to form a single cohesive image.
- The final output must be mounted on a **20 x 30-inch illustration board** to be provided by the host hence, **other materials will be provided by the participating school.**
- Participants may use any combination of materials (photos, magazine cutouts, colored paper, **recycled materials**) and other coloring supplies.
- All entries must be original and made by the participants themselves.
- Offensive or graphic content is strictly prohibited.
- The participants will be given 3 hours to finish their output.

## 4. Judging Criteria

- Relevance to Theme – 40%
- Creativity and Originality – 30%
- Visual Impact – 20%
- Clarity of Message – 10%

## **5. Awards**

- Certificates of participation will be given to all groups.
- Top 3 winning groups will receive special awards and certificates of recognition.
- Selected entries may be displayed during the culminating activity.