



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education

NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF MUNTINLUPA CITY

Office of the Schools Division  
Superintendent

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MEMORANDUM  
NO. 473 s. 2026

**INVITATION FOR APPLICATION AND PARTICIPATION IN THE PHILIPPINE SCIENCE  
HIGH SCHOOL-NATIONAL COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION (PSHS-NCE)**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisor (CID and SGOD)  
Education Program Supervisors and Public Schools District Supervisors  
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads/OICs  
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to DILG-NCR Memorandum *subject*: "Call for Application and Participation in the Philippine Science High School -National Competitive Examination (PSHS-NCE)" dated September - 22, 2026, from Ms. Mary Anne B. Planas, CESO V, City Director – OCDMC, the scheduled PSHS-NCE on January 30, 2027, with the application period from April 06, 2026 to November 07, 2026, for the information and guidance of all concerned.
2. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**VIOLETA M. GONZALES CESO VI**  
Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: As stated,

Reference:

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
Under the following subjects:

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ABSO / INVITATION FOR APPLICATION AND PARTICIPATION IN THE PHILIPPINE SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL-NATIONAL  
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION (PSHS-NCE)

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT**  
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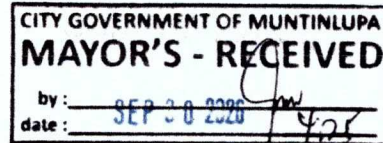
September 30, 2026

**HON. ROZZANO RUFINO B. BIAZON**

City Mayor  
Muntinlupa City

Attention : **MS. NOEMI M. GONZALES**  
Head, Public Information Office (PIO)

**MS. VIOLETA M. GONZALES, CESO VI**  
Head, Schools Division Office of Muntinlupa



*Dear Mayor Biazon,*

Greetings from the DILG Muntinlupa Field Office!

We are respectfully forwarding the attached issuance for your information and appropriate action.

| Document                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Summary                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Action Required                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
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| <b>DILG NCR Memorandum</b><br><br>Subject:<br><b>"Call for Application and Participation in the Philippine Science High School -National Competitive Examination (PSHS-NCE)"</b><br><br>Date<br>September 22, 2026 | The attached Advisory pertains to the upcoming <b>Philippine Science High School-National Competitive Examination (PSHS-NCE) 2027</b> , administered by the <b>DOST-Philippine Science High School System (DOST-PSHS)</b> .<br><br>The DOST-PSHS is the country's premier public secondary school system for students with high aptitude in science and mathematics and is mandated to develop gifted Filipino youth in <b>science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM)</b> . | The City Government of Muntinlupa, through the Public Information Office (PIO), in coordination with the Schools Division Office-Muntinlupa City (SDO-Muntinlupa), is respectfully requested to:<br><ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Widely disseminate the information on the PSHS-NCE 2027, including the examination date and application period, through appropriate official information and communication channels of the City Government and concerned schools;</li> <li>2. Facilitate the dissemination of the information to qualified students, particularly those who may have limited access to information regarding the examination and application process;</li> <li>3. Encourage eligible students to apply and participate in the PSHS-NCE, subject to the qualifications and requirements prescribed by the DOST-PSHS;</li> <li>4. Coordinate, as may be appropriate, with the DOST-Philippine Science High School System and the Schools Division Office-Muntinlupa City for the further dissemination of official information and guidance to prospective applicants; and</li> <li>5. Consider posting and sharing the attached information through official City Government social media pages, websites, school communication channels, and other appropriate platforms to maximize reach among prospective applicants and their parents/guardians.</li> </ol> <p>For inquiries, Dr. Ronnalee N. Orleza, Executive Director, PSHS System, may be reached through email at <a href="mailto:morteza@pshssystem.edu.ph">morteza@pshssystem.edu.ph</a></p> |

Thank you, Sir, and more power!

Very truly yours,

**MARY ANNE B. PLANAS, CESO V**  
City Director

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## ADVISORY

**TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY AND MUNICIPAL MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS, AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

**SUBJECT : CALL FOR APPLICATION AND PARTICIPATION IN THE PHILIPPINE SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL-NATIONAL COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION (PSHS-NCE)**

**DATE : 14 September 2026**

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This refers to the upcoming Philippine Science High School–National Competitive Examination (PSHS-NCE) scheduled on 30 January 2027, with the application period from 6 April to 7 November 2026.

The Department of Science and Technology–Philippine Science High School System (DOST-PSHS) serves as the country's premier public secondary school system for students with high aptitude in science and mathematics. It is mandated to identify, nurture, and develop gifted Filipino youth who can contribute to national development, particularly in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

In this regard, all Local Chief Executives and Local Government Units (LGUs) are encouraged to widely disseminate information on the PSHS-NCE and encourage qualified students in their respective localities to apply for and take the examination, particularly those in communities where access to information may be limited.

The results of the PSHS-NCE may likewise serve as a useful reference for LGUs in assessing learning gaps, academic competencies, and the developmental needs of their youth. For inquiries and further information, please coordinate directly with Dr. Ronnalee N. Orleza, Executive Director of the PSHS System, through [morteza@pshssystem.edu.ph](mailto:morteza@pshssystem.edu.ph).

All DILG Regional Directors are hereby directed to ensure the widest dissemination of this Advisory to all LGUs within their respective areas of jurisdiction.

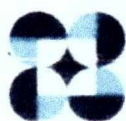
For appropriate action.

**MARLO L. IRINGAN**  
 Undersecretary for Local Government

Encl: Letter Request from DOST

DMS No.: 2026-08-03-154  
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Republic of the Philippines

## DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

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23 July 2026

**SECRETARY JUANITO VICTOR C. REMULLA**

Department of the Interior and Local Government

DILG-NAPOLCOM Center, EDSA corner Quezon Avenue,  
Quezon City



Dear **Secretary Remulla**:

Warm greetings from the Department of Science and Technology (DOST)!

The DOST requests the assistance and endorsement of the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) in encouraging local government units (LGUs) nationwide to promote the application for and participation in the Philippine Science High School (PSHS)-National Competitive Examination (NCE).

As the country's premier public secondary school system for students with high aptitude in science and mathematics, the DOST-PSHS System is mandated to identify, nurture, and develop gifted Filipino youth who will contribute to national development, particularly in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. In this regard, may we respectfully request the DILG to issue an advisory or endorsement encouraging local government units to disseminate information on the PSHS-NCE and to encourage qualified students in their respective localities to apply for and take the examination.

For the upcoming PSHS-NCE, the application period is from April 6 to November 7, 2026, while the examination will be administered on January 30, 2027. The support of local government units will significantly broaden awareness of this opportunity and help reach deserving learners, particularly those in communities where access to information may be limited.

Moreover, the results of the PSHS may serve as a useful reference for local government units in assessing the learning gaps, academic competencies, and developmental needs of their youth population. Such information may also provide valuable inputs to local education planning, policy formulation, and the development of interventions aimed at strengthening science and mathematics education in their respective localities.

We believe that this partnership will contribute not only to expanding access to quality science education but also to supporting evidence-based local educational initiatives for the benefit of Filipino learners.

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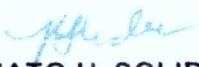
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In view of the foregoing, we would like to seek your favorable endorsement of this initiative. We would be happy to formalize this partnership through a memorandum of agreement

Should you have any inquiries or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Ronnalee N. Orleza, Executive Director of the PSHSS, at [ronnalee@pshtsystem.edu.ph](mailto:ronnalee@pshtsystem.edu.ph)

Thank you for your kind consideration and support

Very truly yours,

  
**RENATO U. SOLIDUM, JR.**  
Secretary



## Outlook

## CALL FOR APPLICATION AND PARTICIPATION IN THE PHILIPPINE SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL- NATIONAL COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION (PSHS-NCE)

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