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NEGROS ISLAND REGION
DIVISION OF ESCALANTE CITY



January 28, 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
NO. 042, s. 2026

**SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION REVIEW (PIR) 2025: SHS
CAREER PATHWAYS AND STRATEGIC PLANNING**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Division Chiefs
Education Program Supervisors
Secondary School Heads
All others concerned

1. In line with the continuous improvement of the Senior High School (SHS) Program in the Schools Division of Escalante City, this Office will conduct a **Senior High School Program Implementation Review on February 5–6, 2026 at Palmas del Mar Resort, Bacolod City**, to provide venue for collaborative reflection, data-driven analysis, and sharing of evidence-based practices and interventions to strengthen SHS program implementation and improving learner outcomes across the division.
2. Specifically, the activity aims to:
 - a. Review the status of SHS program implementation of the Division, including curriculum delivery, learner outcomes, work immersion performance, industry partnerships and career pathway alignment;
 - b. Assess accomplishments, challenges, and best practices based on school-level data;
 - c. Analyze tracer study results;
 - d. Identify strategic interventions and action plans to further strengthen SHS program delivery, improve learner outcomes and be guided toward sustainable career pathways; and
 - e. Strengthen the capacity of School Heads to implement evidence-based planning, monitor program performance, and foster continuous improvement across all SHS schools in the Division.
3. Attached are the list of participants for the PIR, Activity Matrix, and SHS PIR Templates and Tracer Study Forms for reference and compliance.
4. All participants are advised to bring a laptop, extension cord, internet modem and to come prepared with accomplished data using the prescribed SHS PIR template. Schools shall also utilize the tracer study instrument to track SHS learners in their respective schools for the previous school year and present their accomplishments for School Year 2025–2026 during the activity.
5. The first meal to be served will be **breakfast on February 5, 2026**, and the last meal will be **lunch on February 6, 2026**.
6. In preparation for the conduct of the activity, the **Program Management Team (PMT)** and **Learning Facilitators** will have a **Walkthrough-Conference on February 2, 2026, 2:00 p.m. at the CID Office**.



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7. It is understood that in the conduct of this activity, there shall be no discrimination on account of age, school, gender, civil status, disability, religion or other similar factors/ personal circumstances that run counter to the principles of equal opportunity.
8. Expenses incurred in the conduct of the activity shall be chargeable against Learners' Support Fund, Division/School MOOE and/or Local Funds or any other available funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
9. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired.


PETER J. GALIMBA

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent ✓

Enclosure : As stated.
Reference : None
Allotment : 1-2-3-6-7-8

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

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PIR

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**LIST OF PARTICIPANTS FOR THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM
IMPLEMENTATION REVIEW (PIR) 2025: SHS CAREER PATHWAYS
AND STRATEGIC PLANNING**

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1	Peter J. Galimba	OSDS	OIC-SDS
2	Marites C. Capilitan, PhD	OSDS	OIC-ASDS
3	Ivy Joy A. Torres, PhD	CID	Chief Education Program Supervisor- CID
4	Alicia A. Olid, PhD	SGOD	OIC- Chief Education Program Supervisor- SGOD
5	Mae Joy M. Tan, PhD	CID	Education Program Supervisor -AP/ Division SHS Coordinator
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7	Alma C. Sinining	CID	Education Program Supervisor -EsP
8	Prilyn S. Albarico, EdD	CID	Education Program Supervisor -Math
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16	Rosalinda M. Gargarita, PhD	Japitan NHS	TIC
17	Jessie T. Rebutada	Langub NHS	TIC
18	Glen A. Gabriel	Mabini NHS	Principal II
19	Floyd G. Cabus	Paitan IS	Principal I
20	Jess Anthony O. Añonuevo	Malasibog IS	Principal I
21	Jesus V. Tabelino	Escalante NHS	Principal IV
22	Junelie P. Aguilar, PhD	Washington NHS	Assistant School Principal II
23	Renonie P. Omay	Cervantes NHS	TIC
24	Loida C. Aro	Old Poblacion NHS	Principal I
25	Sheila M. Carambacan	Floro T. Bongco FS	Assistant School Principal II
26	Rizalina P. Maxilom	Dian-ay NHS	Principal I
27	Cristofer R. Neniell	Tamlang NHS	TIC
28	Margarette Joy R. Anig-ig	Libertad NHS	TIC
29	Ronald L. Mahinay	Pinapugasan NHS	TIC
30	Pedro S. Casipong	Magsaysay NHS	Assistant School Principal II
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PMTs / Technical Working Group			
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33	Mishaël Abela, MD	SGOD	Medical Officer III
34	Noreilaine Faith Z. Pabuaya, RN	SGOD	Nurse II
35	Cyrus Yonel D. Lao	SGOD	Planning Officer III
36	Antonio B. Rebutada	SGOD	EPS II- HRD
37	Edrick C. Miano	SGOD	SEPS -HRD
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39	Alne Melinda P. Causapin	SGOD	SEPS - SOCMOB
40	Bonie Alegarbes	SGOD	Driver

Activity Matrix

Time	Activity	In-Charge
February 5, 2026		
7:30 – 8:30	Registration	Program Management Team
8:30 – 9:15	PART I Opening Program I. Philippine National Anthem II. Prayer III. Escalante Hymn IV. NIR Hymn V. Welcome Message VI. Acknowledgement of Participants VI. Statement of Purpose VII. Inspirational Message	Marites C. Capilitan, PhD OIC-ASDS Mae Joy M. Tan, PhD EPS – AP, Div. SHS Coor Ivy Joy A. Torres, PhD Chief Education Supervisor- CID Peter J. Galimba OIC-SDS
9:15 – 9:20	VIII. Health Break	
9:20 - 10:00	VIII. Session 1: Leveling of Expectations	Antonio B. Rebutada / Ederick C. Miano
10:00 -11:00	IX. Session 2: Presentation of SHS Learner Progress and Performance Indicators <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enrollment trends, retention and dropout rates, and completion rate Assessment outcomes, chosen pathways (4 exits: employment, entrepreneurship, middle-level skills, and higher education) 	Cyrus Yonel D. Lao Division Planning officer



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11:00 – 2:00	<p>X. Presentation of Schools on SHS Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">* SHS Implementation Curriculum Delivery* Learner support programs: Career guidance and Academic interventions* Work Immersion and Partnerships Review* Skills and Curriculum Quality Review<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Review of curriculum relevance to learner needs and labor market trends• Status of teacher training and professional development support	<p>Ivy Joy A. Torres, PhD CID- Chief</p> <p>Mae Joy M. Tan, PhD, RGC EPS- AP/ Div.SHS Coor.</p> <p>Marivic S. Portunes EPS – TLE / TLE/TechPro Coor.</p>
2:00 – 5:00	<p>XIII. Collaborative Planning and Intervention Mapping</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Development of actionable improvement strategies per school• Prioritization of resource requests and capacity-building needs <p>Policy and Compliance Review</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Updates on national and division policies affecting SHS implementation• Monitoring and evaluation standards for program delivery	<p>Peter J. Galimba OIC-SDS</p>



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Day 2 February 6, 2026		
8:00 – 8:15	I. MOL	PMT
8:15 – 9:15	II. Strategic Curriculum Alignment and Career Pathway Development <ul style="list-style-type: none">Ensuring that program offerings remain relevant to community needs, emerging labor markets, and learners' chosen pathways	Marites C. Capilitan, PhD OIC – ASDS
9:15 – 10: 15	III. Workplace Application Plan	Alicia A. Olid, PhD OIC- SGOD Chief
10: 15 – 11:15	Presentation of Outputs	
11:15 – 12:00	Closing Program	PMT
12:00 – 1:00	LUNCH	
1:00 – 5:00	Home sweet home	



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TEMPLATE

Senior High School Program Implementation Review(PIR)

Purpose: This template guides schools in presenting data and narratives on the implementation of the Senior High School (SHS) Program, focusing on curriculum delivery, learner support, work immersion and partnerships, and skills and curriculum quality.

I. SCHOOL PROFILE

Name of School: _____

School Head: _____

SHS Coordinator: _____

School ID: _____

School Address: _____

SSHSP Implementer: ☐ Yes ☐ No

SHS Tracks Offered: ☐ Academic ☐ TVL ☐ Sports ☐ Arts and Design

Strands / Specializations Offered:

II. Enrollment and Completion Data (Last 2 years)

School Year	Enrollees	Graduates	Dropouts	Completion Rate (%)
2024 – 2025				
2025 - 2026				

II. Enrollment, Dropout, and Retention Data (Last 2 Years)

School Year	Total Enrollment	Number of Dropouts	Dropout Rate (%)	Number of Retained Learners	Retention Rate (%)
SY 2024–2025					
SY 2025–2026					

Formula:

- Dropout Rate = $(\text{Number of Dropouts} \div \text{Total Enrollment}) \times 100$
- Retention Rate = $(\text{Number of Retained Learners} \div \text{Total Enrollment}) \times 100$



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B. Trend Analysis (Last 2 Years)

- Describe observable trends in dropout and retention rates over the last two years.
- Identify whether dropout cases are increasing, decreasing, or stable.

C. Common Reasons for Dropout (Based on Records and Interviews)

Reason for Dropout	SY 2022-2023	SY 2023-2024	SY 2024-2025	Remarks
Financial difficulties				
Health-related issues				
Family-related concerns				
Employment / Work demands				
Academic difficulty				
Transfer to another school				
Others (Specify)				

D. Intervention for Improving Retention

Identified Issue	Intervention Implemented	Responsible Person / Office

E. Assessment of Effectiveness of Interventions



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III. SHS Implementation (SY 2025-2026)

A. Curriculum Delivery

Brief description of curriculum implementation strategies and modalities, including but not limited to the following (specify as applicable):

- Mode of delivery (e.g., face-to-face, blended, flexible learning)
- Teaching strategies used (e.g., differentiated instruction, project-based learning, contextualized lessons)
- Integration of 21st-century skills and ICT in instruction
- Alignment of lessons with the Most Essential Learning Competencies (MELCs) and SHS curriculum guides
- Implementation of Harmonized Subject Offerings

B. Learner Support Programs

Career Guidance Activities: _____

Academic Interventions: _____

Guidance and Counseling: ☐ Available ☐ Not Available

Scholarships / Financial Aid: _____

C. Work Immersion and Industry Partnerships Linkages Review

Summary of work immersion implementation and partner engagement

- Partner Institutions / Companies:

D. Skills and Curriculum Quality Review

- Review of curriculum relevance to learner needs and labor market trends.
- Status of teacher training and professional development support.

E. SHS Teacher Demographic Profile

1. Number of SHS Teachers

Sex	Number of Teachers
Male	
Female	
Total	



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2. Educational Attainment of SHS Teachers

Highest Educational Attainment	Number of Teachers
Bachelor's Degree	
With MA Units	
Master's Degree (MA/MS/MEd)	
With PhD/EdD Units	
Doctorate Degree (PhD/EdD)	
Total	

F. Professional Development and Training

3. Trainings Attended on Content and Pedagogy

School Year	Type of Training	Level				Number of Teachers
		School	Division	Regional	National	
2024-2025	Content-Based Training					
	Pedagogy-Based Training					
	No Trainings Attended					
2025-2026	Content-Based Training					
	Pedagogy-Based Training					
	No Trainings Attended					

IV. Facilities and Learning Environment

- Availability of Classrooms: ☐ Adequate ☐ Inadequate
- Laboratories / Workshops: ☐ Adequate ☐ Inadequate
- ICT Facilities: ☐ Adequate ☐ Inadequate

V. INITIATIVES:

Name of Project Initiative/s on SHS
(Briefly describe)

C. CHALLENGES:

Top 3 challenges encountered in the implementation of SHS



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D. INITIAL GAINS/HIGHLIGHTS:

Enumerate best practices

E. PICTURES/MOVs:

Prepared by:

SHS Coordinator

School Head

Verified by:

EPS- AP /Div. SHS Coordinator

Evaluated :

CID Chief

Recommending Approval

OIC- ASDS

Approved:

OIC -SDS



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SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL TRACER STUDY

Purpose: This survey aims to gather information on the employment status, further studies, and preparedness of Senior High School (SHS) graduates, including those who received support from the JDVP program. Your responses will help improve SHS programs and related support initiatives.

Instructions: Please answer all questions honestly. Your responses will remain confidential.

Section A: Personal Information

1. Full Name: _____
 2. SHS Strand/Track Completed: _____
 3. Year Graduated: _____
 4. Contact Information (optional): _____
 5. Current Age: _____
-

Section B: JDVP Program Participation

6. Were you a recipient of the JDVP program?
 - ☐ Yes
 - ☐ No
 7. If yes, please indicate the type of support you received:
 - ☐ Financial Assistance
 - ☐ Skills Training
 - ☐ Employment Assistance
 - ☐ Other: _____
 8. How helpful was the JDVP program in preparing you for work, further studies, or life after SHS?
 - ☐ Very Helpful
 - ☐ Helpful
 - ☐ Fair
 - ☐ Not Helpful
-

Section C: Further Studies

9. Are you currently pursuing higher education?
 - ☐ Yes
 - ☐ No
 10. If yes, please indicate:
 - ☐ Name of Institution: _____
 - ☐ Course/Program: _____
 - ☐ Year Level: _____
 11. If no, what is the reason?
 - ☐ Financial constraints
 - ☐ Employment
 - ☐ Personal reasons
 - ☐ Others: _____
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Section D: Employment Status

12. Are you currently employed?
 - ☐ Yes, Full-time
 - ☐ Yes, Part-time
 - ☐ No



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13. If yes, please provide:

- Name of Company/Organization: _____
- Job Title/Position: _____
- Nature of Work/Industry: _____
- Monthly Income (optional): _____

14. Did your SHS strand/track or JDVP program help you in your current job?

- Yes
- No
- Explain: _____

Section E: Skills and Preparedness

15. Which of the following skills acquired in SHS are useful in your current situation?
(Check all that apply)

- Communication Skills
- Technical/Vocational Skills
- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving
- Leadership/Teamwork
- Entrepreneurship
- Others: _____

16. How well did SHS prepare you for:

Area	Very Well	Well	Fair	Poor
Higher Education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Entrepreneurship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Section F: SHS Program and JDVP Feedback

17. What do you consider the strengths of your SHS program and JDVP support (if applicable)?

18. What improvements can be made to better prepare students and JDVP recipients for life after SHS?

19. Any additional comments or suggestions:

Thank you for your time and valuable input!



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