



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION V – BICOL
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
OSDS-SGOD-DM- 165 s. 2023

TO : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisor (CID and SGOD)
Public Schools District Supervisors of San Andres East and West
School Heads, **SAVS and Cabcab Central ES**
School DRRM Coordinators, **SAVS and Cabcab Central ES**
All Others Concerned Officials and Personnel

By Authority of the Schools Division Superintendent

FROM : **MA. LUISA T. DELA ROSA**
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Officer-In-Charge

SUBJECT : **Endorsement of the Batang Empowered and Resilient Team (BERT) Training and School Watching Application Field Testing**

DATE : May 03, 2023

1. Attached is the Letter from Save the Children signed by **Mr. Marlon Matuguina**, Program Manager, Risk Reduction and Resilience in Education and Governance requesting the participation of **20 selected students** from **San Andres Vocational School (10 learners)** and **Cabcab Central Elementary School (10 learners)** to participate in the **Batang Empowered and Resilient Team (BERT) Training and School Watching Application Field Testing** to be held in their respective schools.

2. The activity will be held on the following dates and venue:

| Name of School | Date of Activity |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| San Andres Vocational School | May 17-18, 2023 |
| Cabcab Central Elementary School | May 19-20, 2023 |



San Roque, Virac, Catanduanes
052 - 8114063
catanduanes@deped.gov.ph
www.depedrovcatanduanes.com
DepEd Tayo - Region V - Catanduanes



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION V – BICOL
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF CATANDUANES

3. To facilitate the early registration of participants, participating schools are hereby advised to submit the list of participants not later than May 5, 2023 through the SDO DRRM Focal Person. Kindly follow the template below.

| Name | Grade Level | Birthday | Address | Vaccination Status |
|-------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| | | | | |

4. For strict compliance.



San Roque, Virac, Catanduanes
052 – 8114063
catanduanes@deped.gov.ph
www.depedrovcatanduanes.com
DepEd Tayo – Region V - Catanduanes

April 13, 2023

SOCORRO V. DELA ROSA, CESO VI
Schools Division Superintendent
Catanduanes

Attention: **Maria Audrea L. Vivo**
Schools Division DRRM Coordinator

Dear SDS Dela Rosa,

Greetings from Save the Children Philippines!

Save the Children is the world's leading independent children's organization. It has been working in the Philippines for over three decades and is dedicated to helping children learn, survive, and be protected. In the Philippines and around the world, we give children a healthy start in life, the opportunity to learn, and protection from harm.

Save the Children has been working in partnership with the Department of Education's Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Service (DRRMS) and Information, Communication, and Technology Service (ICTS) to implement the Education Safe from Disasters Project: Developing an Ecosystem for Comprehensive School Safety in the Philippines, with the support of Prudence Foundation. Now on its third year of implementation, we continue our pilot testing in Region 3 while preparing for rollout to another region later this year.

We are pleased to inform you that we successfully conducted the 3-day School Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Team Training last March 21 – 23, 2023 at Virac, Catanduanes. The training is participated by Division DRR Coordinator, School Head/Principal, IT and DRR Schools Coordinators, GPTA and BLGU officials from selected schools. Part of the training is the introduction of the Batang Empowered and Resilient Team (BERT), a child-led DRR module initiated by Save the Children. In this light, we are requesting permission for 10 selected students from **Cabcab Central Elementary School** and **San Andres Vocational School** to participate in our follow-up activity, entitled **Batang Empowered and Resilient Team (BERT) Training and School Watching Application Field Testing** to be held in the respective schools. We will conduct this activity face-to-face on **May 17-18, 2023 (Wednesday-Thursday)** at **San Andres Vocational School** and **May 19-20, 2023 (Friday-Saturday)** at **Cabcab Central Elementary School** from 9:00 -12:00NN for the morning sessions and 1:00 – 4:30 PM for the afternoon sessions.

SCP will strictly comply with and implement the minimum health protocols. We will also provide food for the participants and obtain signed consent forms from the children and their parents or guardians, signifying their willingness to participate in this activity.

Please feel free to communicate with our DRR Coordinator, Pepito Romero, at mobile number, +63 9173204877 or email: pepito.romero@savethechildren.org for any questions or clarifications regarding this activity.

Sincerely,



Marlon Matuguina
Program Manager
Risk Reduction and Resilience in Education and Governance
Save the Children Philippines