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**UNNUMBERED MEMORANDUM**  
SGOD-UM-06-06-2023/CPG

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Division Chiefs  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
School Heads  
All Other Concerned

From: **MA. LUISA T. DELA ROSA**  
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Officer-in-Charge [Signature]

Date: June 6, 2023

Subject: **INVITATION TO THE GOKONGWEI BROTHERS FOUNDATION'S-TEACH STEM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

1. This is in connection with the recently released Regional Advisory No. 29 s. 2023; inviting interested participants to attend the On-line Orientation on the week of **June 5-9, 2023**, to be conducted by the Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF), a family foundation that focuses on elevating the professional development of teachers through TEACHSTEM Scholarship Program.
2. This scholarship program for undergraduate and graduate education students aims to develop and strengthen the quality of educators who will be STEM champions in their communities and to equip future learners to contribute to nation-building.
3. Attendance on this activity will be on a **voluntary** and **non-compulsory** basis only. Further, any fee/payment required for attendance to such shall be on personal account. Interested schools/participants may visit the GBF website at **www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org** or may contact Mr. Marco Carpio by e-mail at **marcoantonio.carpio@gbf.com.ph**, contact number **0920-973-3260**, or **Ms. Rola P. Ombao** by email at **rola.ombao@gbf.com.ph**, contact number **0998-959-6604**. For further clarifications and other details, please see the attached communication.
4. For information.

CPG/SGOD-UM-06-06-2023 Invitation to the Gokongwei Brothers Foundation's-TeachSTEM Scholarship Program



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**ADVISORY No. 29 s. 2023**

May 25, 2023

In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013  
This advisory is issued not for endorsement per DO 28, s. 2001,  
But only for the information of DepEd Officials,  
Personnel/staff, as well as the concerned public

**INVITATION TO THE GOKONGWEI BROTHERS FOUNDATION'S - TEACHSTEM  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

The Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF) is a family foundation that focuses on elevating the professional development of teachers through the TEACHSTEM Scholarship Program. The GBF will be conducting On-line Orientation regarding the program on the week of **June 5-9, 2023.**

This scholarship program for undergraduate and graduate education students aims to develop and strengthen the quality of educators who will STEM champions in their communities and to equip future learners to contribute to nation-building.

Target participants, documentary requirements and eligibility checklist are found in the attached documents.

Interested schools/participants may visit the GBF website at [www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org](http://www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org) or may contact the following:

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Participation is on voluntary basis only.

For information.



DepEd V Bicol Region &lt;region5@deped.gov.ph&gt;

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**Gokongwei Brothers Foundation - Request for Scholarship Program Orientation and Promotion**

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Rola Ombao &lt;Rola.Ombao@gbf.com.ph&gt;

Wed, May 24, 2023 at 11:53 AM

To: "gilbert.sadsad@deped.gov.ph" &lt;gilbert.sadsad@deped.gov.ph&gt;, "region5@deped.gov.ph" &lt;region5@deped.gov.ph&gt;

Cc: Sierra Mariel Lian &lt;SierraMariel.Lian@gbf.com.ph&gt;

Dear RD GILBERT SADSAD,

Greetings from Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF).

GBF is a family foundation that seeks to make an impact to education through scholarships, capacity building programs, community education initiatives, among others. One of our key programs focuses on elevating the professional development of teachers through the **TEACHSTEM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**.

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Rola Ombao

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Thank you very much and we look forward to working closely with your office in uplifting education in

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the Philippines.

Sincerely,

Graciela Mendoza  
Head - Scholarships and Community

Warm regards,



**GOKONGWEI**  
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**Rola P. Ombao**  
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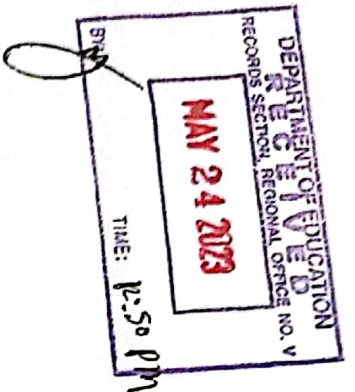
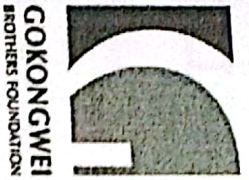
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**DepEd Regional Office 5.pdf**  
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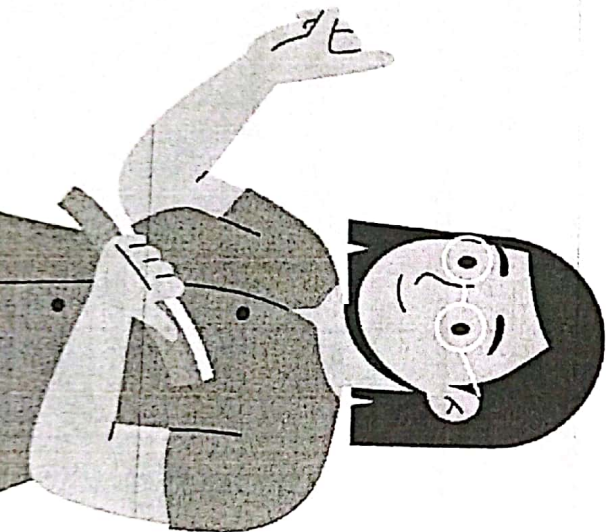
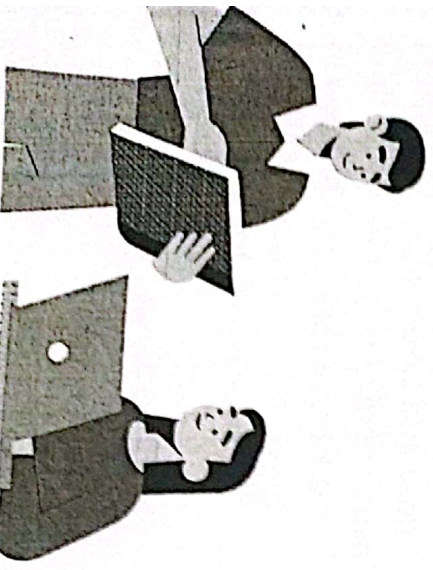


# GBF TEACHSTEM COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

## PROGRAM GOALS & OBJECTIVES

The TeachSTEM Program aims to develop and strengthen quality STEM educators who will be champions of STEM in their community and equip future learners to later contribute to nation-building.

By empowering educators with rich content knowledge, strong teaching proficiencies and relevant values, the program also aims to improve 21st Century learners and build a STEM-oriented culture among Filipino learners and educational stakeholders.



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**ESTABLISHED 2018**

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**SCHOLARSHIP  
GRANTS / YEAR**

**PUBLIC TEIS**

Php 65,000

**PRIVATE TEIS**

Php 85,000

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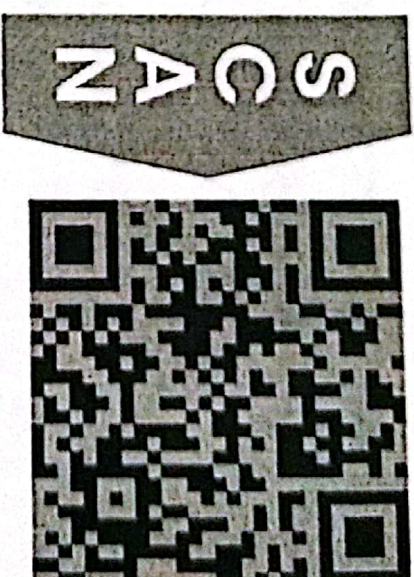
# ELIGIBILITY CHECKLIST

- Incoming or ongoing college student taking a course in Education with a specialization in STEM-related fields, Technical Vocational Program, or General Education.
- No failed, dropped, or incomplete grades in the previous academic year.
- Have a GWA of at least 85% or its equivalent from the previous academic year.
- Involved in extracurricular or community activities.
- Willing to teach in a public school in their community after graduation.
- Must be of good moral standing with no existing disciplinary case.
- In need of financial support to complete studies.
- Preferably not a recipient of other scholarships
- Must be in good health.

# DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS

- Fully Accomplished Application Form
- Proof of Enrollment
- Letter of Intent to Enroll
- Certified True Copy of Grades
- Official Grading System of the University or School
- Portfolio
- Certificate of Good Moral Character from the current year
- Proof of Household Income
- Photo of Residence and Proof of Billing
- 2x2 ID Picture on a white background

**APPLY AT:**



TeachSTEM College Application Form  
<https://bit.ly/gbfteachstemcollege2023>

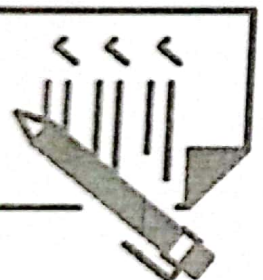
TeachSTEM College Portfolio Template  
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TeachSTEM College Letter of Intent Template  
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**JULY 31, 2023**

**CONTACT US:**

0998-959-6604





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# GBF TEACHSTEM MASTERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

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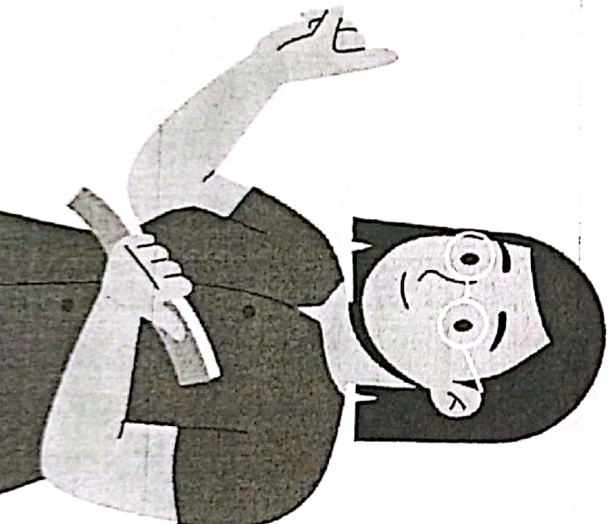
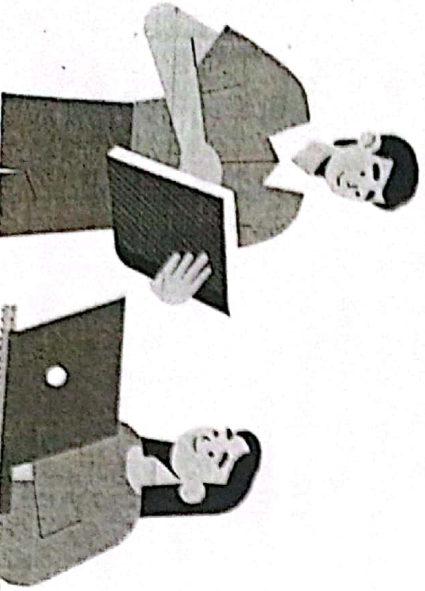


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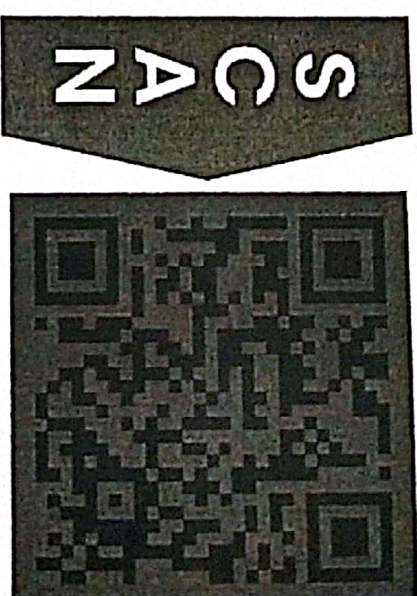
# ELIGIBILITY CHECKLIST

- Model of teaching excellence, innovativeness, care for learners, and commitment to serve.
- Incoming or ongoing MA student in education specializing in STEM or Alternative Learning System, or TechVoc training.
- GWA of at least 2.0 or above or its equivalent from the previous semester or academic year.
- At least 1 year teaching experience in either public or private school with the intent to teach as a K-12 public school teacher of Science or Math (or any STEM-related subject) OR a tertiary level instructor/professor of any STEM-related subject or course.
- No failed, incomplete, or dropped grades from the previous semester.
- Must be of good moral standing with no existing disciplinary case at the university he/she enrolled in and at the public school he/she is teaching.
- Must have at least a "Satisfactory" rating in teaching performance from the previous year.
- In need of financial support to complete his/her studies.
- Preferably not a recipient of any other scholarships.
- Must be in good health.

# DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS

- Fully Accomplished Application Form
- Proof of Enrollment
- Letter of Intent to Enroll
- Certified True Copy of Grades
- Bachelor's Degree Diploma
- Projected Curriculum Plan (GBF Template)
- Certificate of Good Moral Character from the current year
- Performance Rating
- Certificate of Employment with Rank and Salary
- PRC ID (Licensed Professional Teacher)
- Proof of Billing OR Barangay Certificate
- Photo of Residence
- 2x2 ID Picture

APPLY AT:



TeachSTEM Masters Application Form  
<https://bit.ly/gbfteachstemmasters2023>

Curriculum Plan Template  
<https://bit.ly/gbfteachstemmastercurriculumplan>



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**CONTACT US:**

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May 24, 2023

**GILBERT SADSAD  
REGIONAL DIRECTOR  
REGION V**

**Re: Gokongwei Brothers Foundation's  
REQUEST FOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ORIENTATION AND PROMOTION - TEACHSTEM  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

Greetings from Gokongwei Brothers Foundation (GBF),

From 2019 up to the present, GBF has supported more than 244 college students and 133 public school teachers in the country through its **TEACHSTEM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**. This scholarship program for undergraduate and graduate education students aims to develop and strengthen the quality of educators who will be STEM champions in their communities and to equip future learners to contribute to nation-building.

We are targeting to secure at least 100 scholar applications (undergraduate and graduate) from your region.

In line with this, *we would like to request for an endorsement* so that we may be able to conduct an **ONLINE** orientation to the schools and institutions in your region on the week of **June 5 – 9, 2023**. We would also be glad to conduct an orientation to your office, if necessary.

We would like to invite the following:

1. Undergraduate students taking up Education courses specializing in STEM, General Education, and Technical Vocational Teacher Education;
2. Graduate students taking up Master of Arts/Science in Education majoring in STEM, Special Education, Non-Formal Education, and Technical Vocational Education;
3. Faculty members teaching either in the K-12 or undergraduate programs who have yet to take or finish their master's degree; it can be from your institution, but we would appreciate if you can also invite K-12 teachers from the schools within the proximity of your institution.
4. Members of the Admissions or Scholarships Office of the University;
5. Representatives from senior high schools or elementary schools who may benefit from our scholarship program.

We understand that your office has many important priorities and commitments, and we are grateful for your willingness to consider our request. We will appreciate it if you can confirm by **May 31, 2023 (Wednesday)**.

You may also visit our website at [www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org](http://www.gokongweibrothersfoundation.org) for more details on the scholarship programs or reach us through the following contact details:

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Thank you very much and we look forward to working closely with your office in uplifting education in the Philippines.

Sincerely,

*(original signed)*  
**GRACIELA E. MENDOZA**  
Head - Scholarships and Community



DepEd V Bicol Region <region5@deped.gov.ph>

Re: [EXTERNAL]:Re: Gokongwei Brothers Foundation - Request for Scholarship Program Orientation and Promotion

Rola Ombao <Rola.Ombao@gbf.com.ph>  
To: DepEd V Bicol Region <region5@deped.gov.ph>

Wed, May 24, 2023 at 12:55 PM

Thank you very much.

We look forward to hearing from your office again.

Warm regards,



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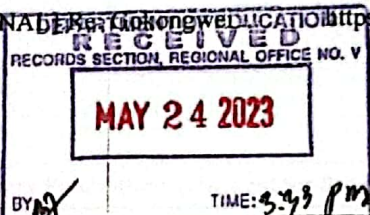
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To: DepEd V Bicol Region <region5@deped.gov.ph>

Wed, May 24, 2023 at 3:31 PM

Hi!

To clarify, we are plan to conduct ONLINE orientations to schools and universities in your region.

Thank you.

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