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SOCCSKSARGEN REGION
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SARANGANI

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2026-059

REVIEW AND FINALIZATION OF THE SAVE THE CHILDREN
CATCH-UP CLUB MATERIALS (CUC)

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads
All Others Concerned

1. In reference to the attached letter of Save the Children, the following identified Learning Resource Evaluators of the Learning Resource Management System (LRMS)- CID are hereby requested to attend the live-out Review and Finalization of the Save the Children Catch-Up Club (CUC) Materials on March 24 - 26, 2026, at Greeneleaf Hotel, General Santos City:

- a. Judith Alba, EPS
- b. John Jerson P. Constantino, EPS
- c. Cherilyn Bansalao
- d. Ryan James Duenas
- e. Marivic Lomocso
- f. Terelene Eguac
- g. Ezra Lou Tabasondra
- h. Ricky Catog
- i. Genevieve Asuncion
- j. Maria Lissa Parreno
- k. Joanne Tomaquin-Dela Cruz
- l. Ariel Lalisan
- m. Randy Mayordomo
- n. Vic Salinas
- o. Grace Dinopol
- p. Eduard Jabalde

2. Enclosed is a copy of the letter for details and reference.

3. Expenses incurred related to the said activity are chargeable against local funds, subject to usual auditing rules and regulations.

4. For inquiries, contact John Jerson P. Constantino, EPS at 09285059602.



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5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent

Encl.: As stated

Reference: As stated

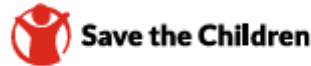
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects:

PROGRAMS

Judith B. Alba/CID/MLA – review and finalization of the save the children catch-up club materials (cuc)
0257/March 23, 2026



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March 19, 2026

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THRU:
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Greetings from Save the Children Philippines!

Save the Children Philippines, in partnership with the Department of Education (DepEd) – Sarangani Division, continues to advance the implementation of the Catch-up Clubs (CuCs) program. This initiative supports learners who have experienced setbacks in literacy by providing play-based, inclusive, and engaging remedial sessions that also nurture their social and emotional development.

Following the successful field testing of the Catch-up Clubs Session Guides last March 10, 2026, and the subsequent evaluation with school heads and master teachers in Maasim, the CuCs materials are now ready for **final review and refinement**. This step is essential in ensuring that the session guides are accurate, contextualized, developmentally appropriate, and fully aligned with DepEd standards.

To complete this process, Save the Children Philippines submits the session guides and session outlines for **Final Review and Finalization Workshop** to be facilitated by the LRMS in-charge and Reading in-charge of SDO Sarangani.

This activity aims to:

- Consolidate feedback from validators, school heads, master teachers, and division specialists;
- Ensure alignment of the CuC materials with DepEd's literacy and life skills standards for Kinder to Grades 3–5;
- Finalize the validated session guides and story booklets for official use in Sarangani Division and future expansion sites.
- Produce the final, quality-assured versions of the CuCs Session Modules in English and Filipino for official use and reproduction.

The Finalization Workshop is proposed on:

- **March 23–24, 2026 (Monday–Tuesday)**
- **8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- **Venue: Greenleaf Hotel, General Santos City**

The Sign-off Activity is proposed on:

- **March 25, 2026 (Wednesday)**
- **8:00 a.m. to 12:00 nn**
- **Venue: Greenleaf Hotel, General Santos City**

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We respectfully request the issuance of a Division Memorandum to allow the participation of the following representatives:

Group	Designation/Role	Number of Participants
Education Program Supervisors	Reading in-charge and LRMS in-charge	2
Evaluators	Technical experts/validators	14
Total		16

Your continued leadership and participation are vital in ensuring that the Catch-up Clubs materials meet the highest standards of quality, inclusivity, and contextual relevance. Through our sustained collaboration, Save the Children Philippines and DepEd Sarangani affirm our shared commitment to improving literacy outcomes and supporting learning recovery for children across the province.

Thank you very much, and we look forward to your positive response.

Respectfully yours,


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