



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VI – WESTERN VISAYAS  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF AKLAN

January 30, 2026

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 056, s. 2026

**SELECTION GUIDELINES FOR THE INCOMING GRADE 7 LEARNERS IN  
THE REGIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL (RSHS) FOR REGION VI- SCHOOL  
YEAR 2026-2027**

To: Chief Education Supervisors  
Education Program Supervisors  
Principals In-charge of the District  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Head Teacher In-Charge of the District  
School Heads of Public Elementary, Secondary and Integrated Schools  
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is Regional Memorandum No. 073 s. 2026 dated January 21, 2026 regarding the Selection Guidelines for the Incoming Grade 7 Learners in the Regional Science High School (RSHS) for Region VI- School Year 2026-2027.
2. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

FOR THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT:

**MICHAEL T. RAPIZ**

Chief Education Supervisor  
Schools Governance and Operations Division  
In-charge of the Division 

Enclosure: As stated  
Reference: R.M. No. 073, s. 2026  
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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. **073**, s. 2026

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REGIONAL SCIENCE HIGH SCHOOL (RSHS) FOR REGION VI –  
SCHOOL YEAR 2026 - 2027**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
All Others Concerned

1. This Office, in collaboration with the Schools Division of Aklan, announces the schedule of the Competitive Admission Test (CAT) of the Regional Science High School for Region VI (RSHS-VI) for the School Year (S.Y.) 2026-2027.

2. The CAT for the incoming Grade 7 Learners of RSHS-VI for S.Y. 2026-2027 will be conducted with the following requirements, to wit:

- Certified machine copy of Grade 6 Learner's Report Card (SF 9);
- Average rating of 85% in Grade 6 English, Science, and Mathematics (First to Second Quarters) with no grade below 83% in all subjects;
- Average rating of 83% in each of other subjects (First to Second Quarters);
- Certification from the School head that the applicant belongs to the Top 10 or upper 10% of the Grade 6 graduating class; and
- Duly accomplished application form with 2 pieces 1x1 ID picture.

3. The selection process shall be done in three stages to determine the qualifiers, to wit:

Phase	Activities
1	Qualifying Examination
2	Proficiency Test in English, Science, and Mathematics
3	Face-to-face Interview with Parent/Guardian

*Top 180 Qualifiers in Grade 7 will be admitted for enrolment provided that they meet the General Average and other qualification requirements at the end of the School Year 2025-2026. Moreover, for the Senior High School program, interested Grade 11 applicants may be accommodated based on the vacant slots subject to the existing admission rules and guidelines.*

4. A registration fee of One Hundred Pesos (P100.00) shall be charged to each applicant duly received to defray the operational and other incidental expenses during the conduct of the selection and admission process.



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5. The schedule of activities are as follows:

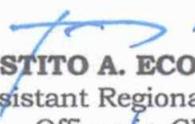
Activities	Inclusive Dates
Onsite Submission of Application Forms	January 26 to February 6, 2026
Phase 1 – Qualifying Examination	February 14, 2026
Posting of Phase 2 Qualifiers	February 23, 2026
Phase 2 – Proficiency Test	February 28, 2026
Posting of Phase 3 Qualifiers	March 16, 2026
Phase 3 – Face-to-Face Interview	March 21, 2026
Posting of Qualified Applicants	April 17, 2026

6. The application form can be downloaded at RSHS-VI Facebook Bulletin through [www.facebook.com.sayansupdates](http://www.facebook.com.sayansupdates). The hard copy of the form will be available at the RSHS-VI Administration Office starting January 21, 2026.

7. The Schools Division of Aklan in coordination with the Regional Office VI shall announce the list of qualified applicants for the incoming Grade 7.

8. The teaching and non-teaching personnel who will render services during the said activities are entitled to service credits/compensatory overtime credits where it applies following DepEd Order No. 53, s. 2003 and CSC and DBM Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2024.

9. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

  
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 Office of the Regional Director

Encl.: As stated

Reference: N o n e

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