

Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF MARINDUQUE

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

**MEMORANDUM**  
SGOD-2026-116

TO: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief Education Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors  
Public and Private Secondary and Integrated School Heads  
All Others Concerned

FROM: **LYNN G. MENDOZA, EdD**  
OIC, Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT: **CALL FOR APPLICATIONS IN THE BAGONG PILIPINAS MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (BPMSP) FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-2027**

DATE: June 18, 2026

1. Attached is Memorandum HRDD-2026-080 from the Office of the Regional Director, Dr. Ronnie S. Mallari, CESO III, disseminating Memorandum Circular No. 54, s. 2026 from the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) regarding the **Call for Applications in the Bagong Pilipinas Merit Scholarship Program (BPMSP) for Academic Year 2026-2027**.
2. The BPMSP is a merit-based scholarship program intended for incoming first-year college students. Interested applicants may submit their application, together with scanned copies of documentary requirements, through the official BPMSP application portal at <https://bpms.ched.gov.ph> on or before June 30, 2026, or until all available slots are filled.
3. The scholarship criteria, together with the list of documentary requirements and scholarship benefits and incentives, are stated in the attached Memorandum.
4. For clarifications, please contact Mr. Kyle David V. Atienza, Senior Education Program Specialist – Human Resource Development Section, through [kyledavid.atienza@deped.gov.ph](mailto:kyledavid.atienza@deped.gov.ph).
5. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

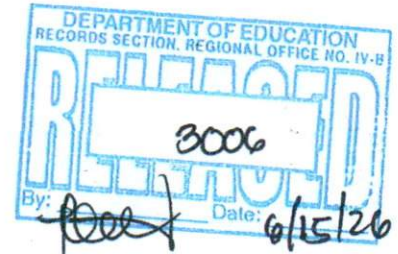
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Office of the Regional Director

**MEMORANDUM**  
HRDD-2026-080

**TO : SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS  
SCHOOL HEADS  
ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**



**FROM : RONNIE S. MALLARI, PhD, CESO III**  
Director IV  
Regional Director *RM* *4*

**SUBJECT : CALL FOR APPLICATION TO THE BAGONG PILIPINAS MERIT  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (BPMSP) FOR ACADEMIC YEAR  
2026-2027**

**DATE : June 11, 2026**

In reference to memorandum **DM-OUOPS-2026-02-01701** from the Office of the Undersecretary for Governance and Operations dated June 9, 2026, this Office calls for the **Application to the Bagong Pilipinas Merit Scholarship Program (BPMSP) for Academic Year 2026-2027.**

The BPMSP is a merit-based scholarship program intended for the incoming first-year college students. Interested applicants may submit their applications, together with the scanned copies of the documentary requirements, through the official BPMSP application portal: <https://bpms.ched.gov.ph> on or before **June 30, 2026** or **until all available slots are filled.**

See attached cited Memorandum for complete details on the guidelines, documentary requirements, financial benefits and incentives from this program.

For regional concerns, contact Sherlito G. Caberto, Education Program Specialist II – Human Resource Development Division, and/or Jun-jun Pabillo, Education Program Specialist II, NEAP in the Region via email [hrdd.mimaropa@deped.gov.ph](mailto:hrdd.mimaropa@deped.gov.ph).

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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**MEMORANDUM**

DM-OUOPS-2026-02-01701

TO : **ALL REGIONAL DIRECTORS**  
**ALL SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS**  
**ALL SCHOOL HEADS**  
**ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

FROM : **MALCOLM S. GARMA**  
*Undersecretary for Governance and Operations*



**JOCELYN DR ANDAYA**  
*Regional Director, NCR*  
*Concurrent Officer-in-Charge*  
*Office of the Assistant Secretary for Governance and Operations*

SUBJECT : **APPLICATION TO THE BAGONG PILIPINAS MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (BPMSP) FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-2027**

DATE : June 9, 2026

This pertains to Memorandum Circular No. 54, s. 2026 from Shirley C. Agrupis, Chairperson of the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), dated May 4, 2026, regarding the application to the Bagong Pilipinas Merit Scholarship Program (BPMSP) for Academic Year (AY) 2026-2027.

The BPMSP is a merit-based scholarship program intended for incoming first-year college students. Interested applicants may submit their application, together with scanned copies of the documentary requirements, through the official BPMSP application portal: <https://bpms.ched.gov.ph> **on or before June 30, 2026, or until all available slots are filled.**

**Scholarship Guidelines:**

Criteria	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Belong to the Top Five (5) of the graduating class or within a minimum General Weighted Average (GWA) of 95% (or its equivalent) in Senior High School;</li> <li>2. Have not earned any units or degree in tertiary education;</li> <li>3. Have parents or legal guardians with a combined annual gross income not exceeding Two Million Pesos (PhP 2,000,000.00); and</li> </ol>



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	<p>4. Enrolled in CHED-identified priority programs (Full list of priority programs and identified Delivering Higher Education Institutions (DHEIs) can be accessed here: <a href="https://bpms.ched.gov.ph/priority-lists">https://bpms.ched.gov.ph/priority-lists</a>)</p>
<p>Documentary Requirements</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Accomplished application form through the official BPMSP online application portal;</li><li>2. Copy of Birth Certificate issued by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA);</li><li>3. Certified True Copy (CTC) of the Learner's Progress Report Card or School Form 9 (SF9) [Form 138], duly signed by the registrar or an authorized representative of the senior high school attended;</li><li>4. Certified True Copy (CTC) of a certificate issued by the Senior High School attended certifying that the applicant belongs to the Top Five (5) of the graduating class, duly signed by the school head, registrar, or an authorized representative, if applicable;</li><li>5. Any one (1) of the following documents as proof of income:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Certificate of Tax Exemption/Non-Filer issued by the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR); or</li><li>• Certificate from the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) or City/Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (C/MSWD) for Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4Ps) beneficiaries; or</li><li>• Latest Annual Income Tax Return (BIR Form No. 1701) or Certificate of Compensation Payment/Tax Withheld (BIR Form No. 2316) of both parents or legal guardians or of the applicant; or</li><li>• Certified True Copy (CTC) of the latest contract or proof of income for children of Overseas Filipino Workers (OFW) and Seafarers;</li></ul></li><li>6. Copy of university/college admission slip or proof of admission to the degree program;</li><li>7. Duly filled and signed Parent/Legal Guardian Consent Form attached as Annex L, if applicable;</li><li>8. For applicants who graduated under the basic education curriculum of DepEd on or before School Year 2015-2016: Certified True Copy (CTC) of the Fourth Year Report Card (Form 138) issued by the last high school attended, in lieu of the document required under item 3; and</li><li>9. Additional documentary proof may be required if the applicant belongs to a Special Equity Group (i.e. PWD, Solo Parent, IP, etc.)</li></ol>





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Qualified scholars under the Higher Education Track shall be entitled to the following financial benefits per Academic Year (AY):

Particulars	Amount (in Php) per AY	
	SUCs/LUCs	Private HEIs
Tuition and other school fees	Covered under Free Higher Education Act (RA 10931)	Maximum Php 45,000/AY
Stipend/Allowance	Php 45,000.00/AY	Php 45,000.00/AY
<b>Total</b>	<b>Php 45,000.00/AY</b>	<b>Php 90,000.00/AY</b>

In addition, top scholars per region shall also receive the following incentive:

Academic Excellence Incentive  <i>*Subject to adjustment, modification, or rationalization contingent upon the availability of funds under the relevant General Appropriations Act (GAA) and the approval of the CHED Commission En Banc (CEB)</i>	<b>PhP 18,000.00 per term</b> (Top 15 scholars per region)
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In view of the foregoing, the Department of Education enjoins all Regional Offices, Schools Division Offices, and public and private schools to actively disseminate this information within their respective jurisdictions.

For further details on the BPMSP, kindly see attached files.

For your reference and immediate dissemination.



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