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Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON
CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS

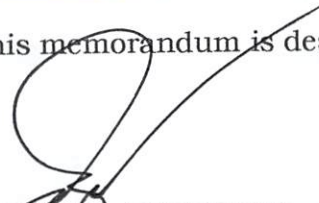
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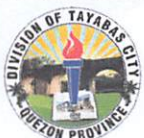
DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 194 s. 2023

**CALL FOR WRITERS OF SHORT STORY FOR CHILDREN FOR PROGRAM DEAR
(DROP EVERYTHING AND READ) MOBILE STORY HOUSE**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools
Heads, Unit/Section
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to DepEd Order No. 70, s. 2011 Every Child a Reader Program (E-CARP) and DepEd Memo 173, s. 2019 Hamon: Bawat Bata Bumabasa (3 B's Initiative), the City Schools Division of Tayabas shall strengthen its Reading Advocacy Program through **Program DEAR (Drop Everything and Read) Mobile Story House** which aims to promote love for and culture of reading in the division.
2. Relative to this, all schools shall submit a list of potential short story writers for children preferably with background in writing the said genre. Nevertheless, those who want to participate in story writing and storytelling stints as well as publication of children's literature in English are highly encouraged regardless of their learning area and grade level supervised.
3. All school heads shall send the list of English Short Story Writers on or before April 28, 2023 through this link: <https://tinyurl.com/storywritersEnglish>
4. Teachers who already have storylines or completed short story in English may send their soft copy in MS Word through the link below for initial evaluation: <https://tinyurl.com/englishstoriesforchildren>
5. For further details, please contact L. C. Richelle F. Quintero, EPS - English through this e-mail: luzvimindacynthiarichelle.quintero@deped.gov.ph
6. Immediate and widest dissemination of this memorandum is desired.


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