

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE REGION



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No. 042.2025

CALL FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FOR THE PILOT IMPLEMENTATION OF ALS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (ALS SHS) PROGRAM

To: Assistant Regional Director Schools Division Superintendents All Schools Division Offices All Others Concerned

- 1. The Department of Education Cordillera Administrative Region through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division calls for the submission of application for the pilot implementation of ALS Senior High School Program for School Year 2025-2026.
- 2. The aim of the call is to realize D.O. 13, s. 2019 titled "Policy Guidelines on the Implementation of Enhanced Alternative Learning System 2.0" which articulates the offering of Alternative Learning System Senior High School as expressed in item no. 3. It seeks to ensure that all learners in the ALS Program shall be equipped with competencies required for employment, entrepreneurship, middle level skills and tertiary education.
- 3. Relative to this, schools division offices are encouraged to submit application to pilot ALS SHS program.
- 4. Attached are the following enclosures for guidance and reference:

Enclosure 1: Checklist of Requirements

Enclosure 2: Copy of Application Form to pilot ALS SHS

Enclosure 3: RM No. 507 s. 2024 (Additional Requirements)

- 5. The submission of the signed hard copy is required while the signed soft copy shall be submitted to car.clmd@deped.gov.ph on or before April 15, 2025.
- 6. For immediate dissemination and compliance.

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Enclosures: As stated CLMD/JPA/abl 01/20/2025





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Enclosure 1

CHECKLIST OF REQUIREMENTS FOR ALS SHS OFFERING

- 1. Endorsement Letter of the Schools Division Superintendent addressed to the Regional Director for the application on the pilot implementation of ALS SHS Program
- 2. Validation Result and Recommendation by the SDO Validation Team
 Letter of Intent from the School Head addressed to the Schools Division Superintendent for the
 application on the pilot implementation of ALS SHS Program
- 3. Accomplished Application Form by the school
- 4. Survey Result of Prospect ALS SHS Learners (must be 18 years old or above) and Stakeholders (those involved in the implementation of the ALS SHS Program)
- 5. Survey Result on Preferred Tracks
- 6. Profile of Teachers who will handle ALS SHS (Name, position, major/specialization)
- 7. Teaching Load and Schedule of ALS SHS Teachers
- 8. MOA with LGU or other partners for support (if none, a certification signed by the school head that they have all the resources to pilot the program)
- 9. Pictures of proposed ALS SHS classrooms and laboratories

APPLICATION FORM - ALS SHS

Part I: Overview of the School

A. School Information

Name of School

School ID

School Address

Email Address/Contact Number

B. Contact Person

Name

Position

Email

Contact Number

C. School Vision and Mission Statements

Part II: Program Description

- A. Rationale
- B. Brief Description of the Program
- C. Target Learners
- D. Brief description of the recruitment process/mapping
- E. Entry Level Assessment

Orientation:

Assessment & placement:

Counseling Services:

Organization of Learning Groups

- F. Learning Interventions
- a. Curriculum Framework (briefly describe the curriculum framework in terms of:

Preferred Track and Strand:

Competencies:

- b. Learning Materials (What are the learning materials to be used by the school?)
- c. Delivery System (Briefly discuss learning modalities, class structuring and schedules, teaching loads as well as counselling and learner support system:
- d. Learning Assessment and Evaluation: Briefly describe the methodologies for assessing learning progress usually with the following methods.

Self-assessment:

Competency-based Performance:

Assessment: Practicum:

Proposed by:

Name and Signature of School Head

Endorsed by:

Name and Signature of Schools Division Superintendent

APPROVED:

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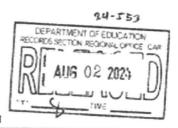
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01 Aug 2024

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No. 507, 2024

REITERATION ON THE COMPLIANCE OF THE REQUIREMENTS TO PILOT ALS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

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- Relative to Regional Memorandum No. 110 s. 2024, on the Pilot Implementation of the Alternative Learning System Senior High School Program, this Office reiterates the strict compliance to the requirements for the pilot implementation of the ALS SHS program.
- Eligible learners must bear any of the following qualifications:
 - a. A&E JHS Completers (PPA Passers);
 - b. A&E Secondary Level Test Passers;
 - c. JHS completers (Grade 10) in formal schools in special cases (ex. working student, unable to enroll in SHS level due to unavailability of SHS within the locality);
 - d. Dropouts of the formal SHS who are unable to return to the formal SHS level; and/or
 - c. PEPT Grade 10 Passers.

Furthermore, he or she must be 18 years old and above.

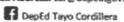
- The minimum number of learners to pilot the program is 20 per track/strand.
- ALS SHS will follow the Contextualized MELCs-based ALS SHS Curriculum. Modalities can be face-to-face, blended, and/or distance learning. Class schedules can be flexible, on weekdays (afternoon and evening classes), weekends, or in an irregular student schedule scheme.
- Learning resources to be used are the existing SHS LRs (contextualization is encouraged), locally developed SHS LRs and adopted LRs from other regions.
- Teachers are formal SHS teachers, JHS teachers, Community ALS
 Implementors (CAIs) and ALS teachers with aligned specialization to
 handle SHS subjects. Teacher's loading could be as full-time ALS SHS,
 SHS + ALS SHS Teaching Load, JHS + ALS SHS Teaching Load or Teaching
 Overload.







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- Assessment practices shall follow the existing Classroom Assessment Policies in the formal SHS and working portfolio.
- The sources of funds for the pilot implementation of the ALS SHS program are local funds, Program Support Fund (PSF) and Special Education Fund (SEF).
- For questions and/or clarifications, please contact Dr. Jennifer P. Ande, Chief ES - CLMD through email at <u>car.clmd@deped.gov.ph</u>.
- 10. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum is directed.

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Reiteration ALS SHS CLMD/JPA/abi 08/01/2024