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CLUSTER CONFERENCE ON LANGUAGE ARTS AND MULTILITERACIES

The Philippine Regional Language Center-Scholars Foundation, Inc. (PhRelC-SFI) formerly Regional Language Center Alumni Association of the Philippines (RELCAAP) will hold the **Cluster Conference on Language Arts and Multiliteracies** with the theme “*Enhancing Communication Skills of Administrators and Teachers at the Forefront of K to 12 Curriculum*” on the following dates and venues:

Cluster	Date	Venue
A	December 2-3, 2011	Cagayan de Oro City
B	December 9-10, 2011	Tacloban City
C	January 27-28, 2012	Tagaytay City
D	February 8-9, 2012	Teachers Camp, Baguio City

The specific venues of these conferences are to be announced later in an ensuing DepEd Advisory.

The conference aims to:

1. discuss new developments, issues and concerns in language teaching and learning;
2. reflect on and share insights on the universalization of Kindergarten, lessons learned, issues and concerns in the implementation;
3. explain the concepts procedures and strategies of multiliteracies particularly the Mother Tongue in Science and Mathematics;
4. situate/contextualize the teaching of English, Filipino and Mother Tongue in specialization, courses and career pathways of secondary school learners; and
5. enhance the oral language proficiency of teachers, school administrators and supervisors.

The participants to this activity are the regional directors (RDs), schools division/city superintendents (SDSs), assistant schools division/city superintendents (ASDSs), PhRELCSFI officers and members, RELC Singapore grantees-alumni, English and Filipino supervisors, members of the Philippine Association of Literacy Mentors Network (PALM Net), principals, department heads, pre-school, elementary and secondary public and private school teachers and parents.

The registration fees which will be charged to each participant are as follows:

- PhP4,500.00 – live-in participants
- PhP3,000.00 – live-out participants
- PhP5,000.00 – on-site registrants
- PhP4,200.00 – early birds or those who will register in advance

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