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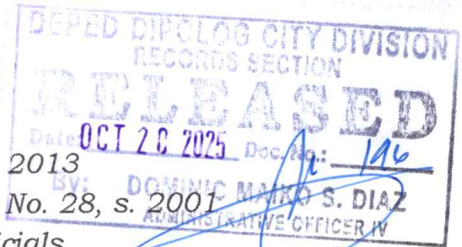
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PARTICIPATION IN THE 2ND EDITION OF CHEM CLASH: INTER-SCHOOL CHEMISTRY QUIZ BOWL

In reference to letter invitation from Negros Oriental State University (NORSU) Chemistry Department re: **conduct the 2nd Edition of Chem Clash: Inter-School Chemistry Quiz Bowl on November 12, 2025 (Wednesday) from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM** at the **NORSU Sports and Cultural Complex**, please be informed that all interested public and private secondary schools are encouraged to participate in the said competition.

Attached are the **guidelines and mechanics** of the quiz bowl, as well as the **list of invited schools**.

Schools intending to join must confirm their participation by accomplishing the online registration form through this link:

<https://forms.gle/3eRcnWULH1a>

For further inquiries, you may contact **Dr. Genevieve B. Miranda**, PSDS/ OIC-EPS in Science, via email at genevieve.miranda001@deped.gov.ph or through mobile number **0996-852-13549**.

Participation of students and coaches shall be **subject to the usual guidelines on off-campus activities** and **strict adherence to health and safety protocols**.

Immediate and wide dissemination of this advisory is desired.

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Encl: Guidelines and Mechanics

List of invited schools



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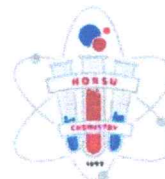
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October 14, 2025

DR. MA. LIZA R. TABILON, CESO V

Schools Division Superintendent

Division of Dipolog City

Subject: Invitation to Chem Clash: Inter-School Chemistry Quiz Bowl

Greetings!

The Department of Chemistry at Negros Oriental State University is pleased to invite your senior high school students to participate in the 2nd Edition of **Chem Clash: Inter-School Chemistry Quiz Bowl**, to be held on **November 12, 2025**, at the **NORSU Sports and Cultural Complex** from **8:00 AM to 12:00 PM**.

This competition aims to foster academic excellence, deepen students' understanding of chemistry, and inspire young minds to pursue careers in the chemical sciences—contributing to innovation and societal progress.

Please find attached the list of invited schools and the guidelines and mechanics of the competition.

To confirm your school's participation, kindly fill out the online registration form using the following link: <https://forms.gle/SobwHz8CcRcnWUU8A>

For inquiries, please contact us through the following email account: chemistrydept@norsu.edu.ph

We look forward to your positive response and enthusiastic participation.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL ANGELO R. CIRCULADO
Focal Person, CHEM CLASH 2025

Noted by:

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Chairperson
Department of Chemistry



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Attachment A: List of Invited Schools**Event:** *Chem Clash: Inter-School Chemistry Quiz Bowl***Date:** *November 12, 2025***Venue:** *NORSU Sports and Cultural Complex*

The following senior high schools are invited to participate in the competition:

BAIS CITY DIVISION

1. Bais City National Science High School

BAYAWAN CITY DIVISION

1. Bayawan City Science & Technology Education Center–High School
2. Bayawan National High School

CANLAON CITY DIVISION

1. Jose B. Cardenas Memorial High School–Uptown Campus

DIPOLOG CITY DIVISION

1. Andres Bonifacio College – Senior High School Department
2. Zamboanga del Norte National High School–Turno

DUMAGUETE CITY DIVISION

1. Dumaguete City National High School
2. Foundation Preparatory Academy
3. Junob National High School
4. Piapi High School
5. RTPM–Dumaguete Science High School
6. St. Paul University Dumaguete – Senior High School Department

GUIHULNGAN CITY DIVISION

1. Guihulngan National High School–Poblacion

NEGROS ORIENTAL DIVISION

1. Ayungon Science High School
2. Crisostomo O. Retes National High School
3. Dauin Science High School
4. Jimalalud National High School
5. La Libertad Technical-Vocational School
6. Mabinay Science High School



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8. Negros Oriental High School

9. Siaton Science High School

10. Sibulan Science High School

11. Sta. Catalina National High School

12. Sta. Catalina Science High School

13. Valencia National High School

14. Zamboanguita Science High School

SAN CARLOS CITY DIVISION

1. Julio Ledesma National High School

SIQUIJOR DIVISION

1. Siquijor Provincial Science High School

2. Siquijor State College – Senior High School Department

TAGBILARAN CITY DIVISION

1. Dr. Cecilio Putong National High School

2. Tagbilaran City Science High School

TANJAY CITY DIVISION

1. Tanjay City Science High School



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(05-05-2020)***Attachment B: Guidelines & Mechanics****I. GUIDELINES**

1. Each team will consist of two bona fide Grade 12 students officially enrolled in the invited senior high schools.
2. Each team is to confirm their participation by filling out the Google Form indicated in the letter.
3. Participants should uphold the values of **sportsmanship, teamwork, and respect** for competitors, moderators, and the organizing committee.
4. Should there be a replacement, it will be allowed provided the coach informs the organizers at least 15 minutes before the competition begins.

II. MECHANICS

1. Each team will be given the following materials: ¼ size illustration board, chalk, and eraser. Only the provided materials may be used for answers.
2. Each team should provide their own scientific calculator.
3. Questions will cover general chemistry and basic organic chemistry.
4. There shall be 3 rounds for the quiz bowl, Easy, Average, and Difficult.

Round	No. of questions	Points	Time limit (sec)
EASY	15	1	15
AVERAGE	10	3	30
DIFFICULT	10	5	60

5. The Quiz Master shall read the question twice, and the question shall be flashed on a screen after the first reading. The quizmaster shall say "GO" after the second reading, only then the participants start writing their answers. In case of problem-solving questions, the participants may begin writing their computations during the first reading.
6. A buzzer will indicate that the time is up, and participants should raise their boards to show their answers. Failure to do so will signal a warning for the first and second offense, and disqualification for the third.
7. Wrong spelling and illegible answers will be considered incorrect. Final answers must be written legibly.
8. Any appeal regarding the preceding question will only be entertained before the quizmaster proceeds to the next question.
9. The participants are PROHIBITED to use any communication device, especially cellphones, during the competition.



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10. A short break of 5 minutes shall be given between each round to allow participants to rest and for the organizers to prepare the next set of questions. The Quiz Master will announce the resumption of the competition.
11. The total number of points will determine the top 3 winners of the Chem Clash: Inter-School Chemistry Quiz Bowl.
12. Coaching from the audience is strictly PROHIBITED.
13. In case of a tie, three Clincher questions will be asked, each worth 5 points. If the tie is not broken, Do or Die questions will be asked. The team who gets the correct answer and scores first will be declared as winner of the tie. If both are incorrect, another question will be asked.
14. The decision of the judges is final, executory, and not subject to appeal.

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