



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

Advisory No. 156 s. 2024
December 6, 2024

In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013
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ASIAN TRY ZERO-G (ATZG) 2025 OF THE PHILIPPINE SPACE AGENCY

Attached is the letter from the Philippine Space Agency, dated December 10, 2024, announcing the conduct of the ATZG 2025 with the submission deadline on January 17, 2025.

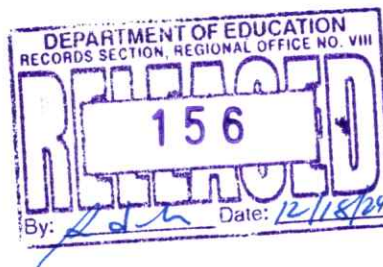
The target participants are the Mathematics and Science learners and teachers.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

See the attached letter for more information.

Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are given the discretion to act on this matter.

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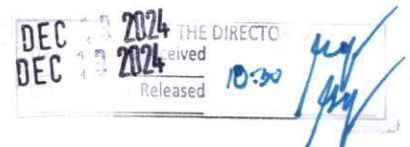
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SUBJECT: Request for DepEd Advisory to the Asian Try Zero-G (ATZG) 2025

Dear **Dr. Fetalvero**:

Greetings from the Philippine Space Agency (PhlSA)!



We are pleased to inform you about an opportunity for Filipino students to participate in the Asian Try Zero-G (ATZG) 2025. This competition, organized under the Asian Beneficial Collaboration through Kibo Utilization (Kibo ABC) Program by the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) in collaboration with PhlSA, allows students to propose experiments to be performed in a zero-gravity environment aboard the Kibo module of the International Space Station (ISS).

The competition is open to students enrolled in Philippine institutions up to the postgraduate level. Participants can join individually or in teams. Selected winners will have their experiments conducted by a JAXA astronaut and will also get a chance to visit the Tsukuba Space Center in Japan to witness the live demonstration and meet astronauts.

In line with this, we would like to request the release of an advisory to enjoin participation in the competition. Key details of the competition are as follows:

- Submission Deadline: 17 January 2025 (Friday)
- Submission Link: <https://form.jotform.com/230890523254454>
- More information: <https://philsa.gov.ph/news/asian-try-zero-g-call-for-proposals-2025/>

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact sesd@philsa.gov.ph with the subject '[Asian Try Zero G 2025]: Inquiry' or by phone at +632 8568 99 31.

Sincerely yours,


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