



Math teachers enhance skills in the new normal

• Katherine A. Meneses

Mathematics teachers geared towards improving skills in facilitating synchronous and asynchronous learning last November 11 and 18-20, 2020 via Google Meet.

The emphasis of the training was on the application of varied strategies in facilitating and assessing learning in Mathematics, devoid of face-to-face classroom instruction.

More than 60 Math teachers from the eight public secondary schools were trained to use different platforms, interactive tools and online applications. This is to upskill teachers to effectively conduct synchronous and asynchronous

instructions fit for the learning modalities applied throughout the school year.

Mrs. Mary Jean L. Siapno, Ms. Katherine A. Meneses, Mrs. Marilyn L. Bernardino, and Mr. Anacencio L. Aguilar demonstrated the processes of creating and using available instructional tools and materials (Google applications and Screencast-O-Matic) for teachers to assist the students' remote learning, and communicate the standards to efficiently perform student-assessment methods.

The participants were fully engaged in applying their learnings in output-making during breakout sessions.

Their outputs include reflections, interactive tool-tryouts, and short instructional videos which exhibited their abilities to adapt to the changes in delivering instruction.



Schools Division Superintendent Sir Aguedo C. Fernandez delivers his inspirational message. (Screen grab from Google Meet)

Schools Division Superintendent, Sir Aguedo C. Fernandez and the then Chief Education Supervisor in CID, Dr. Venus Maria SM. Estonilo graced the four-day training-workshop through their inspirational messages.

Training-workshop proponent, Education Program Supervisor in Mathematics Dr. Rosalind R. Lomibao, introduced the rationale. She accentuated the webinar essentials and guidelines for the success of the said online training-workshop.

The online training workshop culminated with the Words of Challenge delivered by Madam Ma. Criselda G. Ocang, Assistant Schools Division Superintendent, followed by the words of thanks from EPS Lomibao.

Through the efforts of conducting such training-workshops to capacitate the passion-driven teachers of SDO Dagupan City, the promise of quality education is apparent amidst the imposed restrictions brought about by the Covid-19 pandemic.



ASDS Ma. Criselda G. Ocang, gives her Words of Challenge; and EPS in Mathematics Dr. Rosalind R. Lomibao expresses her Words of Thanks after the online training. (Screen grab via Google Meet)

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