



Invitation for Your Schools to Help Co-Create the Next Mango & Marmalade Books

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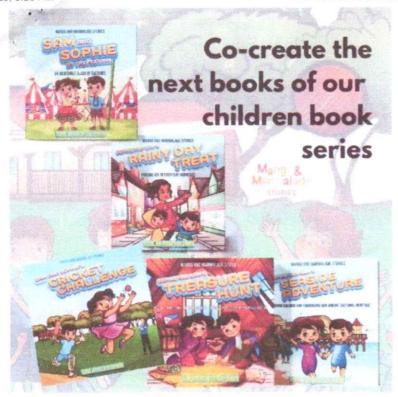
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Dear DepEd Regional Director and Education Program Supervisors,

My name is Elena, the Filipina British author of the Mango & Marmalade Stories — a children's book series about family, kindness, and growing up between cultures.

I am reaching out to invite your schools, teachers, and learners to participate in a nationwide co-creation project where students help write and shape the next 5 books in the series.

About the Co-Creation Project



The upcoming Mango & Marmalade books will feature the twins exploring the Philippines — its places, food, stories, characters, and traditions.

Learners and teachers from your region can contribute:

- · local stories, short writing pieces
- · places, cultural practices, and community insights
- · drawings or character ideas
- · student-written scenes or dialogues that may appear in the final book

Selected schools will be acknowledged in the published book.

## **How Schools Benefit**

- Students practice reading, writing, and creative expression
- · Teachers gain ready-made prompts for class activities or reading sessions
- Schools help create books that can later be used as reading materials that reflect Filipino culture and identity
- Encourages regional pride and student participation in a national literary project

## What I am requesting

May your office share this project with interested SDOs, school heads, English/Filipino coordinators, or reading coordinators who may want to join?

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I can also provide a exclusive Zoom orientation for district or school representatives.

Or join my Facebook virtual event on 29 Nov for an introduction https://fb.me/e/51uJCLDBC?mibextid=wwXlfr

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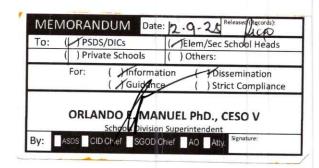
- · Free event
- Free videobook of our first two stories to all participants. See trailers here
   Sam and Sophie at the Festival
   Sophie and Sam's Rainy Day Treat

Thank you very much for considering this collaboration. I believe this project can give Filipino learners a meaningful opportunity to see themselves in stories and become co-authors of a published book.

Regards,

Elena Baldwin
Founder - Author
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