

**Region XII Advisory No. 013, s. 2024**

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**GOKONGWEI BROTHERS FOUNDATION (GBF) COLLAB COMMUNITY**

With reference to the letter from Gokongwei Brothers Foundation, this is an invitation to School Heads, STEM Teachers, and Club Advisers from private and public elementary and secondary schools to join the GBF STEM Collab FB Community and attend the learning sessions.

GBF STEM Collab is an engaged community, a peer-learning platform, and a capacity building program for STEM educators. By being part of this community, members will have free access to PPST-aligned webinars streamed live via Facebook Page, meet-ups and asynchronous open space discussions held via Zoom, library of downloadable teaching resources, classroom materials, and LAC session guides, and certificates, awards, and prizes for outstanding members and paandar (games) winners.

Those interested may join through GBF STEM Collab Community | Facebook and register for webinars through <https://m.me/STEMCollabBestie>.

Participation of public and private schools shall be subject to the non-disruption of classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled “Instituting Measures to Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith”, and policy on off-campus activities stated in DepEd Order No. 66, s. 2017.

For more information you may contact GBF at **[stemcollab@gbf.com.ph](mailto:stemcollab@gbf.com.ph)** or message them in **[m.me/stemcollab.bestie](https://m.me/stemcollab.bestie)**.

For the guidance of all concerned.