RBI MEANS FOR LEARNING

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Mass media is a powerful tool that can influence every individual and can affect one’s life. Through various mass media information, knowledge and even learning can be acquired. Thus the Department of Education is still implementing an alternative delivery mode for ALS Accreditation and Equivalency (A & E) System through Radio Broadcasting Instruction or RBI.

Radio Broadcasting Instruction is a project of the former Bureau of Alternative Learning System (BALS) in partnership with the Southern Broadcasting Network (SBN) which was launched on November 4, 2014 and is still airing until now at least three times a week around 11:00-11:30 am with repeat broadcast in the evening.

Through RBI, out of school youth will have opportunities to gain more insights, skills and values towards life and be able to acquire learning on basic education which can be utilized for A & E test. This will be a great help for the learners who can’t attend the ALS classes regularly and be able to catch up on lessons. And through this program those working learners will have also chances to learn even without attending the regular classes.

The target learners of the RBI are all OSY and adults in the communities wherein the program are being aired and monitored. In order to assure the learners won’t miss any lesson taken from the module being discussed every week with the assigned ALS teacher or instructor. The said program is similar to distant learning but this time through the utilization of one of the most powerful tool of mass media – radio broadcasting.

RBI is an effective instrument to facilitate learning easily for OSY and no more excuses not to engage in any forms of learning. And at the same time to address the increasing number of OSY who lost interest to study. RBI is another venue of learning for OSY and adults and serve as catalyst for learning eradicating all the obstacles to achieve the dream of every learner – be a productive citizen of this nation.
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