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Schools Division of Angeles City



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DIVISION MEMORANDUM No. 32 % , s. 2022

GUIDELINES ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE 2022 REGIONAL DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT IN ALL LEARNING AREAS FROM GRADES 1-10 AND CORE LEARNING AREAS IN GRADES 11-12.

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent OIC-Chief, Curriculum Implementation Division Chief, School Governance and Operation Division Elementary and Secondary School Heads

- 1. Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 502, s. 2022, titled *Guidelines on the Conduct of the Regional Diagnostic Assessment in All Learning Areas from Grades 1 to 10 and Core Learning Areas in Grades 11-12*, this Office announces the schedule on the administration of the Regional Diagnostic Assessment from September 12 to 16, 2022.
- 2. The Office of the Learning Resource Management and Development Section will provide the Google Drive Link containing the files of the diagnostic assessment tools in all learning areas.
- 3. Your attention is invited to Item Number 5 of the Regional Memorandum, "Schools shall print and reproduce the diagnostic assessment tools. Printing shall be charged to the School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses and other local funds subject to usual accounting and auditing rules."
- 4. It is emphasized on the said guidelines that "Learners shall take the test in their previous grade level like English 1 shall be given/taken by Grade 2 learners. Mathematics 3 shall be taken by Grade 4 learners, Filipino 10 shall be taken by learners in Grade 11, and so on. In case of SHS core subjects, these shall be given to Grade 12 learners who have already taken the subjects."
- 5. Attached is the Regional Memorandum No. 502, s. 2022.

6. For your information, guidance, and compliance.

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Schools Division Superintendents

Curriculum and Implementation Division Chiefs

Education Program Supervisors Public Schools District Supervisors

Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

- Enshrined in DepEd Order No. 8, s. 2015, classroom assessment is an integral 1 part of curriculum implementation, and it allows teachers to continuously track and measure learners' cognitive, affective, and psychomotor development to achieve the desired learned competencies articulated in the national curriculum.
- This Office, through the help of the elementary and secondary teachers, shall conduct the 2022 Regional Diagnostic Assessment (RDA) in all learning areas from September 12 to 16, 2022.
- 3. The Regional Diagnostic Assessment aims to:
 - a. determine the percentage of learners who achieved the minimum level of proficiency in the different learning areas in their previous grade level;
 - determine the most mastered and least learned competencies;
 - c. utilize the results and findings as baseline data to improve the teaching skills of teachers through Learning Action Cell sessions; and
 - d. develop a school intervention/remediation plan for the identified learning gaps in the different learning areas and grade levels headed by the School Head with the assistance of Master Teachers (if applicable).
- Schools Division Offices, particularly the Division Learning Resource Management and Development Section Supervisors, shall be provided with the Google drive link containing the files of the diagnostic assessment tools in all learning areas through the Regional Learning Resource Supervisor. The link shall be shared with all school heads/teachers.
- Schools shall print and reproduce the diagnostic assessment tools. Printing expenses shall be charged to the School Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses and other local funds subject to usual accounting and auditing rules.
- Conversion of assessment tools into computer-based assessment format is highly encouraged in schools that have the capacity and resources.
- 7. The following documents are enclosed for information and guidance:

Enclosure No. 1 - Guidelines on the Administration of RDA

Enclosure No. 2 - Template Number 1 - Teacher's Report on the Result of the RDA

Enclosure No. 3 - Template Number 2 - School Report on the Results of the RDA

Enclosure No. 4 - Template Numbers No. 3 & 4 - Division Report on the Results





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of the RDA

Enclosure No. 5 - Learning Area where SHS Core Subjects shall be included in the Report Using Template No. 3

Enclosure No. 6 – Schedule of Diagnostic Assessment in Different Learning Areas and Schools Divisions Assigned to Regional EPSs in Monitoring the Administration of RDA

Enclosure No. 7 -Template for Intervention/Remediation Plan for the Identified Learning Gaps in the Different Learning Areas and Grade Levels

8. Should there be any questions or queries as regard this activity, particularly on the assessment tools, please, contact the concerned Regional Education Program Supervisor (EPS) through his/her email address below.

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- 9. The results and findings of the RDA will be used neither to rank the SDOs according to the performance of their learners nor the performance of the schools. Furthermore, the findings shall not be used as a basis for the IPCRF of teachers and additional grades for the learners who took the diagnostic test.
- 10. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum are desired.

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Regional Director

Encls.: None

Reference: DepEd Order No. 8, s. 2015 To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT

LEARNERS

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Enclosure No. 1 of Regional Memorandum No. , s. 2022

GUIDELINES ON THE CONDUCT OF THE 2022 REGIONAL DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT IN ALL LEARNING AREAS FROM GRADES 1-10 AND CORE LEARNING AREAS IN GRADES 11-12

Assessment is the process of collecting useful and relevant data and information from various sources to develop insights into students' understanding, knowledge, and takeaways from the educational experience.

Based on research findings, non-face-to-face instruction due to COVID-19 had negative effects on student learning. It is expected that when learners return to school, they have lower achievement. Hence, at the beginning of the School Year 2022-2023, it is deemed necessary that a diagnostic assessment be administered to help teachers gauge their students' strengths, weaknesses, knowledge level, and skillset prior to beginning instruction and help them improve their instruction methods for their students to learn better.

These guidelines shall provide direction on the administration of the diagnostic test in all learning areas and grade levels in the region.

A. Learning Assessment Tools

The learning assessment tools for the Regional Diagnostic Test (RDA) are uploaded to google drive. The link of the google drive shall be shared by the Regional Learning Resource (LR) Supervisor with the Division LR Supervisors who are in turn share the link to the school heads/teachers.

The google drive contains the learning assessment tool for Kindergarten, English 1-10, Filipino 1-10, Science 1-10, Mathematics 1-10, Araling Panlipunan 1-10, EPP/TLE, MAPEH 1-10, Edukasyon sa Pagpapakatao 1-10, and the Senior High School (SHS) Core Subjects.

Learners shall take the test in their previous grade level like English 1 shall be given/taken by Grade 2 learners. Mathematics 3 shall be taken by Grade 4 learners, Filipino 10 shall be taken by learners in Grade 11, and so on. In the case of the SHS core subjects, these shall be given to Grade 12 learners who have already taken the subjects.

Test takers shall use another sheet of paper as an answer sheet, and not directly answer on the test paper.

B. Role and Functions of the Teachers

- Download and reproduce the diagnostic assessment tools. Expenses to be incurred in the reproduction shall be charged to the school MOOE and other local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules;
- Administer the diagnostic test on September 12-16, 2022. This can be done
 within one week so as not to overwhelm the learners in taking the diagnostic test
 in all learning areas;
- Check the responses of the learners;
- 4. Conduct an item analysis to determine the most mastered and least learned competencies by getting the frequency of learners with the correct and wrong answers per item number. The top 10 item numbers with the greatest number







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of learners with the correct answers are considered the 10 most mastered learning competencies, while the 10 item numbers with the least number of learners with the correct answers or the 10 item numbers with the greatest number of learners with the wrong answers are considered the 10 least learned competencies. Template in Enclosure No. 2 shall be used for the identified most mastered and least learned competencies.

Compute the percentage of learners who achieved the Minimum Proficiency Level (MPL) using the formula below:

Percentage of Learners who Achieved or Exceeded the MPL = Number of Learners who Achieved or Exceeded the MPL x100

Number of Learners who Took the Test

Example:

Number of Test Items = 30

MPL of Grade 3 Mathematics = 18

Total Number of Learners who took the test = 45

Number of Learners who achieved or exceed the MPL or learners who got 18 and above correct answers = 40

Percentage of LAEMPL = <u>40</u> x 100 45 = 88.88 % or 89 %

This means that 88.88% or 89% of the learners who finished Grade 3 Mathematics and took the test achieved or exceeded the MPL in Math, while 11.12% or 11% of them did not achieve the MPL in Mathematics.

Refer to the table below for the Minimum Level of Proficiency based on the number of test items taken.

Number of Items	Minimum Level of Proficiency (60 % of the total no. of test items)
25	15
30	18
40	24
50	30
60	36

Enter the computed percentage of learners who achieved or exceeded the MPL in a particular learning area and grade level on Template No.1, Enclosure No. 2.

- Identify learning gaps/least learned competencies that are necessary to the current grade level of the learners. The least learned competencies can be considered as learning gaps; and
- Submit the accomplished Template No. 1 (list of most mastered and least learned competencies) to his/her respective school head on or before September 23, 2022.

C. Role and Functions of the School Heads

- Determine the school percentage of learners who achieved or exceeded the MPL
 per learning area and grade level, most mastered and least learned competencies
 based on the submitted reports from the schools using Template Number 2 in
 Enclosure No. 3. Submit the accomplished template to the Schools Division Office
 on or before September 30.
- Carefully analyze the result of the diagnostic test and relate the learning gaps of the learners to the Content Pedagogical Knowledge (CPK) and competency of teachers;







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- Conduct a Learning Action Cell session for teachers to present the findings relative to the result of the RDA to improve teachers' CPK and competency in support of the School Learning Recovery Plan;
- 4. Prepare/develop an intervention/remediation plan for the identified learning gaps in the different learning areas and grade levels with the support/help of the Master Teachers using the template in Enclosure No. 7.
- 5. Submit to the SDO the finalized intervention/remediation plan for approval together with the correlation of the learning gaps of the learners to the competency of teachers on or before October 14, 2022, and
- 6. Implement the approved intervention/remediation plan.

D. Role and Functions of the Division Learning Area Education Program Supervisors/Public Schools District Supervisors

- 1. Monitor the administration of the diagnostic test.
- 2. Determine the division percentage of learners who achieved or exceeded the MPL per learning area and grade level, most mastered and least learned competencies based on the submitted reports from the schools using Template Numbers 3 and 3, respectively, in Enclosure No. 4, with analysis and interpretation and submit the report to the CLMD, Regional Office on or before October 21, 2022.
- Check and approve the intervention/remediation plan submitted by the school head.
- 4. Conduct regular monitoring and evaluation, in coordination with CLMD Learning Area Supervisors, on the implementation of the intervention/remediation plan developed by the school heads/master teachers.
- Prepare technical assistance (TA) plan based on the issues, concerns, and challenges in the implementation of the intervention/remediation plan especially the bridging of the identified learning gaps.
- 6. Provide technical assistance to the concerned school heads and teachers to achieve effective implementation of the intervention/remediation plan; and
- Submit the monitoring report and the TA provided to their respective schools division superintendent for inclusion in the DMEA report.

E. Role and Functions of the Regional Learning Area Education Program Supervisors

- Upload the soft copies of the diagnostic assessment tools in google drive to be shared by the Regional LR Supervisor with the Division LR Supervisor.
- Monitor the administration of the diagnostic test in the divisions assigned to them with the assistance of the Division Testing Coordinator.
- Determine the regional percentage of learners who achieved or exceeded the MPL
 per learning area and grade level, most mastered and least learned competencies
 based on the submitted reports from the SDO with analysis and interpretation
 and submit the report to the CLMD Chief on or before October 31, 2022.
- Coordinate with the Division Learning Area EPSs/PSDSs on the monitoring and evaluation of the implementation of the intervention/remediation plan developed by the school heads/master teachers.
- 5. Provide technical assistance when there are requests from the SDOs.







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Enclosure No. 2 of Regional Memorandum No. _____, s. 2022

Template No. 1

(To be submitted to the School Head)

TEACHER'S REPORT ON THE RESULTS OF THE REGIONAL DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT

	A	SSESSI	MENT		
	School	ol Year			
School	ng Area:	11-24-20 10-24			
Grade Section	Level of Assessment Tool: Level of Takers: n (if applicable):	2-10-19-0-10-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-0			
Number Percen	er of Takers/Learners: tage of Learners that achieved o	or excee	ded th	e MPL:	
Item No.	Most Learned Competencies	Rank	Item No.	Least Learned Competencies	Rank
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		-			-
		-			-
Analys	is and Interpretation:				
Prepare	ed by:				
	Subject Teacher			-	







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Enclosure No. 3 of Regional Memorandum No. _____, s. 2022

Template No. 2

(To be submitted to the SDO (Learning Area Supervisor for consolidation)

)	SCHOOL REPORT ON THE RE	SULTS		IE REGIONAL DIAGNOSTIC	
	School	ol Year			
	on: !:				
Addres	ss of the School:				
Learni	ng Area:				
Grade	ng Area: Level of Assessment Tool:				
Grade	Level of Takers:				
Section	n (if applicable):				
Numbe	er of Takers/Learners:				
Percen	tage of Learners that achieved o	r excee	ded the	e MPL*:	
Item No.	Most Learned Competencies	Rank	Item No.	Least Learned Competencies	Rank
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	Teacher Assigned by the Schoo	i Head			
Certific	ed Correct:				
	School Head			_	







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l'emplate No. 3		
To be submitted to	o the RO (Learning Area Su	pervisor for consolidation)
DIVISION RE	ASSESSME	
	School Year	
Division:		
Grade Level Assessment Tool	Grade Level of Takers	Percentage of Learners that achieved or exceeded the MPL
Kindergarten	Grade 1	
Grade 1	Grade 2	
Grade 2	Grade 3	
Grade 3	Grade 4	
Grade 4	Grade 5	
Grade 5	Grade 6	
Grade 6	Grade 7	
Grade 7	Grade 8	
Grade 8	Grade 9	
Grade 9	Grade 10	
Grade 10	Grade 11	
SHS Core Learning	Subject	
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Tota: SHS Care Learning	Subject under the jurisdiction of the	learning area EPS should be included in the
able. Refer to Enclosure		
Analysis and Interpr	retation:	
Prepared by:		
	Area Supervisor	



Certified Correct:

Curriculum Implementation Division Chief





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Template No. 4

Division Identified Most Mastered and Least Learned Competencies

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irade l	evel:				
Item	Most Learned Competencies	Rank	Item	Least Learned	Rank
No.	Manager and the state of the st		No.	Competencies	
ote: inse	ert another table for other grade levels				
onsoli	dated by:		Noted:		
Lear	ning Area EPS			CID Chief	







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Enclosure No. 5 to Regional Memorandum No. _____, s. 2022

Learning Area where SHS Core Subjects shall be included in the Report Using Template No. 3

Grade Level of Takers: Grade 12

SHS Core Subject Assessment Tool	Learning Area			
Oral Communication	English			
Reading and Writing	English			
Komunikasyon at Pananaliksik sa Wika at Kulturang Pilipino	Filipino			
Pagbasa at Pagsuri ng Iba't-Ibang Teksto Tungo sa Pananaliksik	Filipino			
21st Century Literature from the Philippines and the World	English			
Contemporary Philippine Arts from the Regions	МАРЕН			
Media and Information Literacy	TLE			
General Math	Mathematics			
Statistics and Probability	Mathematics			
Earth and Life Science	Science			
Physical Science	Science			
Introduction to the Philosophy of the Human Person	Araling Panlipunan			
Physical Education & Health	MAPEH			
Personal Development	Araling Panlipunan			
Understanding Culture, Society and Politics	Araling Panlipunan			
Earth Science (for STEM)	Science			
Disaster Readiness and Risk Reduction (for STEM)	Science			







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Enclosure No. 6 of Regional Memorandum No. _____, s. 2022

Schedule of the Diagnostic Assessment in Different Learning Areas Grades 1 - 11

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
English	Science	Araling Panlipunan	Mathematics	Filipino
Edukasyon sa				MAPEH
Pagpapakatao		Edukasyong		
		Pantahanan at		
		Pangkabuhayan		

For Grade 12 SHS, the teacher may determine the core subjects already taken by their Grade 12 learners and the specific date (September 12-19, 2022) when to administer the test.

Schools Divisions Assigned to Regional EPSs in Monitoring the Administration of Regional Diagnostic Assessment

Monitor	Schools Divisions
Arlon P. Cadiz	CSJDM and City of Meycauayan
Ma. Ediha R. Caparas	City of Malolos and Bulacan
Marie Ann C. Ligsay	Zambales and Olongapo City
Rosalinda S. Ibarra	Tarlac Province and Tarlac City
Nestor P. Nuesca	San Jose City and Science City of Munoz
Ramil Ilustre	Mabalacat City, Angeles City, and Pampanga
Reynaldo G. Castillo	Aurora and Nueva Ecija
Arnold C. Montemayor	City of San Fernando, Bataan and Balanga City
Engelbert B. Agunday	Cabanatuan and Gapan City







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INTERVENTION/REMEDIATION PLAN FOR THE IDENTIFIED LEARNING GAPS IN THE DIFFERENT LEARNING AREAS AND GRADE LEVELS

Division: School:						
Target/Objective	Intervention(s)/ Activities	Time Frame	Material/Resources Needed	Funding Requirement	Persons Involved	Success Indicator
Prepared by:				Checked and	Approved by:	
School Head	l/Master Teacher	Annestree.		Team of Lear	ning Area EPSs/P	SDSs



