



Department of Education

REGION X DIVISION OF CAGAYAN DE ORO CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

April 22, 2020

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Asst. Schools Division Superintendent

Chief EPS - CID

Education Program Supervisors/Subject Area Coordinators

Concerned Teacher-Nominees

TEST CONSTRUCTION FOR THE REGIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST AND CAPACITY BUILDING FOR THE REGIONAL TEAM OF TEST DEVELOPERS

1. Relative to RM No. 161 and 166 on the Test Construction for the Regional Achievement Test, selected teacher-nominees are hereby directed to submit their accomplished Nominee Form and email the same to eleanorconsejo.rollan@deped.gov ph on or before April 23, 2020.

2. All concerned nominees are also reminded of the online interview schedule which are as follows:

| GRADE LEVEL | DATE OF INTERVIEW | TIME OF INTERVIEW |
|-------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Grade 3 | May 5, 2020 | 8:00 AM – 12:00 Noon |
| Grade 6 | May 5, 2020 | 1:00 – 5:00 PM |
| Grade 10 | May 6, 2020 | 8:00 AM – 12:00 Noon |
| Grade 12 | May 6, 2020 | 1:00 - 5:00 PM |

- 3. The interview shall be done online through Google Meet application. Each of the subject area supervisor will create an account and code for the interviewee to join the interview as scheduled.
- 4. Attached are the list of teacher-nominees and the aforementioned regional memoranda for reference and guidance.
- Immediate dissemination and compliance to this memorandum is enjoined.

CHERRY MAE L. LIMBACO
Schools Division Superintendent

Department of Education region x division of cagayan de oro city

LIST OF TEACHER-NOMINEES Regional Achievement Test Construction

| Kegion | al Achievement Test (| Construction |
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| GRADE LEVEL | SUBJECT | NAME OF NOMINEES |
| Grade 3 (ELLN) | English | Darnel Ann C. Guligado |
| | Mathematics | Gemma Arabis |
| | Science | Gloria B. Sabal |
| | Filipino | Genoveva Careras |
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| | ESP | Sol Edades |
| | Araling Panlipunan | Bernadette Fordenita Cadiz |
| | MAPEH | Girlie Labaino |
| Grade 6 (NAT 6) | English | Ronnielyn Reyes |
| ` | Mathematics | Marina Cajes |
| | Science | Lyn T. Gamotin |
| | Filipino | Ma. Estela Enad |
| | TLE | Al Stephen Lagumen |
| | ESP | Arlene Pasol |
| | Araling Panlipunan | Chito H. Espinoza |
| | MAPEH | Annalyn Bait-it |
| Grade 10 (NAT 10) | English | Malou B. Cagalitan |
| | Mathematics | Ruby Quilala |
| | Science | Jacquiline Gasatan |
| | Filipino | Aniceta Batallones |
| | TLE | Kim Sacote Marcial |
| | ESP | Nancy Cairel |
| | Araling Panlipunan | Candice May Gamayon |
| | MAPEH | Farrah Ablanque |
| Grade 12 (BEEA) | English | Fe Pablico |
| | Mathematics | Evangeline Pailmar |
| | Science | Dyna Fabre |
| | Filipino | Leonor Reyes |
| | TLE | Grace Maghuyop |
| | ESP | Karen P. Salusad |
| | Araling Panlipunan | Belinda Tagolimot |
| | MAPEH | Jorie J. Dela Torre |

CHERRY MAE L. LIMBACO Schools Division Superintendent



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TEST CONSTRUCTION FOR THE REGIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST AND CAPACITY BUILDING FOR THE REGIONAL TEAM OF TEST DEVELOPERS

To: Schools Division Superintendents
This Region

- 1. Regarding DepEd Order No. 55, s. 2016 on the **Policy Guidelines on the National Assessment of Student Learning for the K to 12 Basic Education Program**, the Grades 6 and 10 exit assessments shall cover 21st-Century Skills using learning areas as content while the Grade 12 assessment shall cover 21st-century skills and the core Senior High School learning areas. The test design is progressive in nature wherein test items measure varying levels of skills.
- 2. The Regional Office (RO), through the Curriculum Learning and Management Division (CLMD), will create a Regional Team of Test Developers for the **Regional Achievement Test** (RAT) from select teacher-experts in the field.
- 3. The Regional Team of Test Developers shall formulate the test design, table of specifications, and test items. Consultants from the academe with specific subject area expertise and related government agencies shall review and revise, if necessary, the Table of Specifications.
- 4. To better equip the educational leaders and teachers, workshops shall be conducted for the construction of test items. The training workshop will be held at NEAP Lapasan, Cagayan de Oro City, the final date of which will be issued in a separate memorandum.
- 5. The items shall be organized by competency for content and language review of consultants from the academe. After approval, pre-validation of two to three test forms shall be administered in select sample public and private secondary schools.
- 6. Pre-validation results shall be processed to obtain the validity and reliability of the test. Acceptable items shall be stored in the item bank for the organization of the final form. The final form shall be subjected to validation and norming. The organized final form shall be reviewed by the consultants from the academe vis-à-vis the psychometric properties.



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- 7. The last stage of the test development process is the preparation of the test booklet, answer sheet, test manual, and examiner's handbook for reproduction.
- 8. School Division Offices (SDOs) are required to nominate one teacher-expert per subject area for Grade 3, Grade 6, Grade 10, and Grade 12. Among the divisional nominees, the regional screening committee shall select only five teacher-experts from each subject area and grade level.
- 9. The minimum requirements to become a member of the teacher-experts are the following:
 - a. At least five years of teaching experience in the learning area assigned to write;
 - b. Excellent written communication skills;
 - c. Experience in developing test materials for districtwide/divisional/regional/national assessment; and
 - d. Knowledge of Office applications.
- 10. All nominees should be reviewed by the CID Team per division before submitting their names to the Regional Office. The final list of nominees, bearing the name of your respective divisions, shall be uploaded in the shared google drive folder at https://bit.ly/2UwBdXO.
- 11. The deadline for submission of the nominees for the regional team of test developers shall be on **April 13**, and the final interview (online) of the nominees shall be on **April 17**.
- 12. Attached are the teacher-expert nominee form, required number of nominees per division, total number of the regional team of test developers, and confidentiality agreement.

13. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

DR. ARTURO B. BAYOCOT, CESO III

Regional Director

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ATTACHMENT 1: NOMINEE FORM

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ATTACHMENT 2: SUMMARY OF THE NUMBER OF NOMINEES PER DIVISION AND TOTAL NUMBER OF THE REGIONAL TEAM OF TEST DEVELOPERS

Summary of the Number of Nominees Per Division

| Grade Level | Distribution of Participants | TOTAL |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|-------|
| Grade 3 (ELLN) | 8 subjects x 1 Nominee | 8 |
| Grade 6 (NAT 6) | 8 subjects x 1 Nominee | 8 |
| Grade 10 (NAT 10) | 8 subjects x 1 Nominee | 8 |
| Grade 12 (BEEA) | 8 (core subjects only) x 1 Nominee | 8 |
| Grand Total | | 32 |

Summary of the Total Number of Regional Team of Test Developers (RTTD)

| Grade Level | Distribution of Participants | TOTAL |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| Grade 3 (ELLN) | 8 subjects x 5 RTTD | 40 |
| Grade 6 (NAT 6) | 8 subjects x 5 RTTD | 40 |
| Grade 10 (NAT 10) | 8 subjects x 5 RTTD | 40 |
| Grade 12 (BEEA) | 8 (core subjects only) x 5 RTTD | 40 |
| Grand Total | | 160 |





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ATTACHMENT 3: CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

REGIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST

Confidentiality Agreement

| In the conduct of the Test Construction | and in reference to my Regional |
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| Achievement Test (RAT) role as | (REPS, DEPS, SH, TEST |
| DEVELOPER), I, | , (full name) from the |
| Region/Division of | , completely understand and |
| agree to the following terms of confidentiality ag | reement: |

- 1. I understand that the signing of this form is an acknowledgment of my professional responsibility to maintain complete integrity of security for this regional assessment and its implementation.
- 2. I declare that I will not divulge any RAT information, trial materials, test materials, processes, contents or results, or any other materials, documents or information pertaining to its implementation, or its participants or field personnel, to any person or organization as directed under the terms of RAT unless I have prior written approval from CLMD, DepEd Regional Office X.
- 3. In the completion of the assessment procedures and in the fulfillment of my role/s and responsibilities, I will return to CLMD all documents relating to the conduct of RAT that are personally directed under my care including but not limited to RAT information, trial materials, test materials, processes, contents or results, or any other materials, documents or information pertaining to its implementation, or its participants or field personnel.
- 4. I fully understand and agree that any violation/infractions of security made or committed **before**, **during**, and **after** assessment procedures of the **RAT** will be considered as injunctions/causes of assessment invalidation, including, but not limited to:
 - 1. Reading of test booklets other than by the examinee
 - 2. Supplying answers to examinees
 - 3. Cheating
 - 4. Plagiarizing
 - 5. Loss of test booklets
 - 6. Photocopying of test booklets
 - 7. Capturing test items through electronic gadgets
 - 8. Distribution and posting of photos of the test booklet in any form of media
 - 9. Opening the test materials prior to testing schedule
 - 10. Late submission of test booklets and/or answer sheets
 - 11. Tampering of examinees' answer sheets





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- 12. Infringement of copyright
- 13. Allowing impostors and substitute examinees
- 14. Misrepresentation with regard to age, residence, and status
- 15. Failure to closely monitor test procedures resulting in test irregularities
- 5. The violations of single or all mentioned sanctions in Term of Agreement 4 will result to the courses of sanctions as specified on **DepEd Order No. 55, s. 2016**, Section 13: Breach of Security in National Examinations and Corresponding Sanctions.
- 6. I fully agree and adhere to the protocols set by DepEd on data usage, integrity, and confidentiality based on Philippine laws on data privacy as stipulated in the **Republic Act 10173 or the Data Privacy Act of 2012**.

I have read and accepted the conditions as outlined above.

| | Printed Name and Signature: |
|---|---|
| | Date Signed: |
| (| Witnesses: for Division Offices: Division Office authorities; for Regional Offices: Regional Office authorities) |
| | Printed Name and Signature: Date Signed: |
| | 2. Printed Name and Signature: Date Signed: |





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April 17, 2020

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No. ____166___s, 2020



CORRIGENDUM TO REGIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. 161, S. 2020 (TEST CONSTRUCTION FOR THE REGIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST AND CAPACITY BUILDING FOR THE REGIONAL TEAM OF TEST DEVELOPERS)

To: Schools Division Superintendents
This Region

- 1. Regarding the issued Regional Memorandum No. 161, s. 2020 entitled **Test** Construction for the Regional Achievement Test and Capacity Building for the Regional Team of Test Developers, the schedule for submission of entries is moved from April 13 to April 24.
- 2. The interview for the Regional Team of Test Developers potential members is scheduled as follows:
 - a. Grade 3 Team is May 5 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon;
 - b. Grade 6 Team is May 5 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.;
 - c. Grade 10 Team is May 6 from 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon; and
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- 3. The interview shall be done online through the Google Meet application. Each of the subject area supervisor will create an account and code for you to join the interview as scheduled.
- 4. All other provisions in the said memorandum shall remain in effect.
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