



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **1300** s.2026

**PARTICIPANTS IN THE NATIONAL TRAINING AND ORIENTATION FOR THE
FIELD-TESTING PERSONNEL ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF VARIOUS
ASSESSMENT PROGRAMS FOR SCHOOL YEAR (SY) 2026-2027**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Division Testing Coordinators
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to BEA Advisory No. 023, s. 2026, titled "*New Schedule for the National Training and Orientation for the Field-Testing Personnel on the Administration of Various Assessment Programs for SY 2026-2027*," this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), announces the conduct of the activity on October 13-15, 2026 at Punta Villa Resort, Inc., Sto. Niño Sur, Arevalo, Iloilo City.
2. The training aims to capacitate participants with the knowledge and skills necessary for the effective and efficient administration of national assessment programs, particularly in the areas of test administration guidelines and procedures, case analysis and evaluation, test material security, delivery and retrieval schemes, allocation of test materials, Program Support Funds (PSF), and hands-on application.
3. The following national assessment programs shall be covered during the training:
 - a) Early Language, Literacy, and Numeracy Assessment (ELLNA);
 - b) National Achievement Test for Grade 6 (NATG6);
 - c) National Achievement Test for Grade 10 (NATG10); and
 - d) Regular Philippine Educational Placement Test (PEPT).
4. The participants in this activity are the Regional Testing Coordinator (RTC) and the Division Testing Coordinators (DTCs) from the thirteen (13) Schools Division Offices (SDOs) in the Region.
5. Travel and other allowable expenses shall be charged against available assessment funds, including the Program Support Funds (PSF) under the National Assessment Systems for Basic Education (NASBE), in accordance with their authorized purpose. In the absence or insufficiency of such funds, the expenses may be charged against the respective RO, SDO, or appropriate local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

6. Participants are encouraged to bring their own laptops and extension cords to support the technical activities. DTCs are likewise requested to bring, as applicable and available, the documentary requirements of PEPT registrants from their respective Schools Divisions.

7. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are hereby directed.


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Enclosure: BEA Advisories Nos. 015 and 023, s. 2026
Reference: As Stated
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

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ADVISORY

New Schedule for the National Training and Orientation for the Field-Testing Personnel on the Administration of Various Assessment Programs for School Year (SY) 2026-2027 – Visayas and Mindanao Cluster

1. Pursuant to BEA Advisory No. 015, s. 2026 titled "*National Training and Orientation for the Field-Testing Personnel on the Administration of Various Assessment Programs for School Year (SY) 2026-2027*," the Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), announces the new schedule for the training and orientation for Visayas and Mindanao Cluster at Punta Villa Resort, Inc., Sto. Niño Sur, Arevalo, Iloilo City.
2. The new schedule for the training and orientation is as follows:

Original Schedule	New Schedule
August 26 to 28, 2026	October 13 to 15, 2026
3. All other provisions stipulated in BEA Advisory No. 015, s. 2026 and BEA Advisory No. 016, s. 2026 titled "*Addendum to BEA Advisory No. 015, s. 2026 titled National Training and Orientation for the Field-Testing Personnel on the Administration of Various Assessment Programs for School Year (SY) 2026-2027*" shall remain in effect.
4. For more information, contact the Education Assessment Division (EAD) of this Bureau through bea.ead@deped.gov.ph or at telephone number (02) 8631 2589.
5. Immediate dissemination and compliance of this Advisory is hereby directed.


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ADVISORY

**National Training and Orientation for the Field-Testing Personnel on the
Administration of Various Assessment Programs
for School Year (SY) 2026-2027**

1. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), will conduct a **National Training and Orientation for the Field-Testing Personnel on the Administration of Various Assessment Programs for School Year (SY) 2026-2027** by cluster, with details stipulated below:

Cluster	Regions	Venue	Schedule (inclusive of travel dates)
Luzon	Regions I, II, III, IV-A, MIMAROPA, V, CAR, and NCR	Baguio Teachers Camp, Leonard Wood Rd., Baguio City	August 18 to 20, 2026
Visayas and Mindanao	Regions VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, BARMM, CARAGA, and NIR	TBA	August 26 to 28, 2026 (tentative)

Note: The final schedule and venue for the Visayas and Mindanao Cluster shall be issued in a separate Advisory.

2. The following national assessment programs shall be discussed in the orientation:
 - a. Early Language, Literacy, and Numeracy Assessment (ELLNA)
 - b. National Achievement Test for Grade 6 (NATG6)
 - c. National Achievement Test for Grade 10 (NATG10)
 - d. Regular Philippine Educational Placement Test (PEPT)
3. The training and orientation will cover the test administration guidelines and procedures, case analysis and evaluation, security of test materials, delivery and retrieval scheme, allocation of test materials, Program Support Funds (PSF), and hands-on training related to the test administration.
4. One (1) Regional Testing Coordinator (RTC) from each Regional Office (RO) and one (1) Division Testing Coordinator (DTC) from each Schools Division Office (SDO) are expected to attend the training and orientation strictly following the schedule per cluster. No additional participants shall be accommodated due to funding restrictions.



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5. The participants must attend only at the scheduled venue where their respective regions are clustered. The Opening Program will commence at exactly 1:00 P.M on Day 1.
6. The travel itinerary of the participants is as follows:

Particulars	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
Activity	Arrival and Registration of Participants Opening Program and Orientation (ELLNA, NATG6, and NATG10) 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM	Training and Orientation (PEPT) 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM	Test Administration Best Practices and Closing Program 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Meal	AM Snacks, Lunch, PM Snacks, and Dinner	Breakfast, AM Snacks, Lunch, PM Snacks, and Dinner	Breakfast, AM Snacks, Lunch, and PM Snacks

7. All field-testing personnel are encouraged to bring their own laptop and extension cord should the need arise during the training. Additionally, please bring the documentary requirements for the PEPT registrants in your division, if available.
8. Travel expenses and allowable expenses shall be charged to the PSF, which was downloaded to ROs and SDOs except for the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region for Muslim Mindanao (BARMM). The PSF was downloaded in 2025 as part of the National Assessment Systems for Basic Education (NASBE) PSF – Second Tranche. The PSF is valid until December 31, 2026.

Documents related to the PSF may be accessed through this link:
<https://tinyurl.com/NASBEPSSFfirstandSecondTranches>.

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