

Republic of the Philippines Department of Education Region V SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SORSOGON

April 8, 2024

# DIVISION MEMORANDUM

# CONDUCT OF BI-MONTHLY ASSESSMENT AND ACHIEVEMENT TEST FOCUSING ON LITERACY AND NUMERACY IN ALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

TO:

Asst. Schools Division Superintendent Chief Education Supervisors Education Program Supervisors Public Schools District Supervisors/OIC-PSDS Elementary School Heads All Others Concerned

1. As articulated in the MATATAG: Bansang Makabata, Batang Makabansa Agenda, DepEd remains steadfast in its commitment to continuously pressing challenges that confront the educational system focused on the learners being the heart of the curriculum implementation.

2. With the implementation of the Division Change Plan dubbed as "THE VILLAGE, INC" this Division, through the Curriculum Implementation Division (CID) has spearheaded the development of assessment tools in English, Filipino and Mathematics for Grades 1-6 (Key Stages 1 and 2) to be administered bi-monthly and achievement test starting School Year 2023-2024 and beyond.

3. For the remaining months this School Year 2023-2024, the administration of the aforesaid assessment tools is slated as follows:

ASSESSMENT TOOL	MONTH
Post Test- English, April	
Pre Test- English, Filipino, Math	Мау
Post Test- English, Filipino, Math	May
Achievement test for	Mathematics
	Filipino, Math Pre Test- English, Filipino, Math Post Test- English,



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4. The guidelines on the administration, Interpretation, and analysis of the assessment given to learners are found in the attached enclosure.

5. The soft copy of the assessment tool can be accessed via this google link. bit.ly/4aLm1dH

6. Expenses relative to the conduct of this activity shall be charged to local funds/MOOE subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

7. Widest dissemination of and immediate compliance with this Memorandum are enjoined.

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Enclosure to Division Memorandum No. 078 s. 2024

### GUIDELINES IN THE UTILIZATION OF THE LITERACY & NUMERACY ASSESSMENT TOOLS FOR KEY STAGES 1 & 2 IN SDO-SORSOGON

School Year 2023-2024\* 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Ouarter

#### A. GENERAL GUIDELINES

- 1. There will be two sets of Literacy and Numeracy Assessment Tools available for utilization, the Pre and Post-test for English, Filipino and Mathematics.
- 2. The Numeracy Assessment Tools focus on the four (4) fundamental operations, namely, addition, subtraction, multiplication and division while those for literacy are culled from the competencies in reading and writing in each grade level.
- 3. These shall be administered to the learners from Grades 1-6 within four (4) months on a monthly schedule.
- 4. It is necessary that materials are prepared ahead of time. Tests need to be reproduced according to the number of learners.
- 5. Test takers in Key Stage 1 (Grades 1-3) shall indicate their answers on the test itself. Answer Sheets (AS) will be used by test takers in Key Stage 2 (Grades 4-6) except for the Post Test in Numeracy that require them to perform the indicated operation.
- 6. Clear instructions should be given prior to the conduct of the test.
- B. SPECIFIC GUIDELINES DURING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXAMINATION (refer to field validation)

#### C. SCORING & INTERPRETATION

Here is how the teacher should assess and interpret the result of the monthly assessment tool.

_	RESULT	SIGNIFICANT	DESCRIPTIVE
PRE-TEST	POST-TEST	DIFFERENCE	INTERPRETATION
Score: 5/20 (25%)	Score: 15/20 (75%)	49% and below	Reteach/ Remediate
	of Score Post Test (75) of Score Pre Test (25) Difference 50%	50% and above	Nearing Mastery (Acceptable)

D. Suggested Date of Conduct:

MONTH	COVERAGE	PRETEST	POST-TEST
February	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter-1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup> week	February 1	February 29
March	3rd Quarter-5th to 8th week	March 4	March 29
April	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter-1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup> week	April 1	April 26
May	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter-5 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> week	May 2	May 24



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E. Utilization of Result:

The result of the Assessment Tool will serve as the teachers' basis for providing appropriate intervention for the learners. It is suggested that the teacher gives follow up and do the necessary adjustments during the teaching learning process in order to give priority to the learners needing intervention for a better performance to happen.

