



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

March 17, 2025

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 81 s. 2025

**ADMINISTRATION OF THE NATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST FOR
GRADE 6 FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2024-2025**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
CID and SGOD Chiefs
PSDSs/OIC-PSDSs
School Heads for Public and Private Elementary Schools
All Others Concerned

1. Parallel to DepEd Memorandum No. 024, s. 2025, entitled "Administration of the National Achievement Test for Grade 6 (NATG6) for school year (SY) 2024-2025, pursuant to to DepEd Order (DO) No. 55, s. of 2016 titled Policy Guidelines on the National Assessment of Student Learning for the K to 12 Basic Education Program, this office will administer the test on **April 3, 2025** to public and private elementary schools operating with a permit.
2. The conduct of the test is pursuant to DO 009, S. 2024 titled Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities for the school year 2024-2025.
3. In accordance with DO 027, s. 2022 titled Conduct of Rapid Assessment in School Year 2021-2022 for Learning Recovery as well as in Preparation for the 2024 Baseline System Assessment, **the current Grade 6 learners of the present SY will be taking the test.**
4. The **NATG6** will be administered on a paper-based modality to all regional offices (ROs), school division offices (SDOs), public elementary schools, and private schools with permits.



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5. The **NATG6** is an exit assessment that is designed to determine if Grade 6 learners are meeting the learning standards in the elementary curriculum. The design measures **five** learning areas (**English, Mathematics, Science, Filipino and Araling Panlipunan**) in a multiple-choice format.

6. The language of Testing for the following learning areas are as follows:

Language of Testing	Learning Areas
English	English, Science and Mathematics
Filipino	Filipino and Araling Panlipunan

7. An orientation will be conducted for the school heads on April 2, 2025 for the test administration.

Congressional District	Time
1 ST DISTRICT	8:00 AM-11:00 NOON
2 ND DISTRICT	1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Likewise, the schedule for the distribution and retrieval of the test materials shall be done by the division committee in the following schedule:

Distribution	Retrieval
April 2, 2025	April 3-4, 2025
9:00 AM-11:00 NOON 1 ST District	8:00 AM-5:00 PM
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM 2 ND District	All Districts

8. Learners with disabilities may also be assessed provided that the test accommodations stipulated in Section 9 of DO 55, s. of 2016 are met.

9. Travel and other incidental expenses including per diem of all personnel involved in the test administration are chargeable against local/School MOOE funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.



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11. For clarification, please contact the Division Testing Coordinator, Ronald Esteves, through his FB messenger, email address at ronald.esteves@deped.gov.ph or at his cellphone number 09618576432.

12. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.


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FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2024-2025**

To: Undersecretaries
Assistant Secretaries
Minister, Basic, Higher, and Technical Education, BARMM
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Public and Private Elementary School Heads
All Others Concerned


1. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA) will administer the **National Achievement Test for Grade 6 (NATG6)** for school year (SY) 2024-2025, pursuant to DepEd Order (DO) No. 55, s. 2016 titled Policy Guidelines on the National Assessment of Student Learning for the K to 12 Basic Education Program on **March 31 and April 1-4, 2025**, as testing window to public and private elementary schools operating with a permit.
2. The conduct of the test is pursuant to DO 009, s. 2024 titled Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities for the School Year 2024-2025.
3. In accordance with DO 027, s. 2022 titled Conduct of Rapid Assessment in School Year 2021-2022 for Learning Recovery as well as in Preparation for the 2024 Baseline System Assessment, **the current Grade 6 learners of the present SY will be taking the test.**
4. The **NATG6** will be administered on a paper-based modality to all regional offices (ROs), schools division offices (SDOs), public elementary schools, and private schools operating with permits.
5. The **NATG6** is an exit assessment that is designed to determine if Grade 6 learners are meeting the learning standards in the elementary curriculum. The test design measures **five** learning areas (**English, Mathematics, Science, Filipino, and Araling Panlipunan**) in a multiple-choice format.
6. The Language of Testing for the following learning areas are as follows:

Language of Testing	Learning Areas
English	English, Science, and Mathematics
Filipino	Filipino and Araling Panlipunan

7. The BEA will conduct a virtual orientation for Regional Testing Coordinators, Division Testing Coordinators, and SDO Private School Supervisors on the test administration. The schedule and meeting details will be sent in a separate Advisory.
8. The BEA will manage the national implementation of the NATG6 with the assistance of the ROs and SDOs.
9. Learners with disabilities may also be assessed provided that the test accommodations stipulated in **Section 9 of DO 55, s. 2016** are met.
10. Health and safety protocols must be followed in all activities related to the national test administration.
11. An authorized forwarder will deliver and retrieve the test materials to and from the SDOs.
12. For more information, please contact the **Bureau of Education Assessment-Education Assessment Division**, Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City through email at bea.ead@deped.gov.ph or at telephone number (02) 8631-2589.
13. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

By Authority of the Secretary:




RONALD U. MENDOZA PhD
Undersecretary

References:

DepEd Order (Nos. 009, s. 2024; 027, s. 2022; and 55, s. 2016)
DepEd Memorandum No. 016, s. 2024

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