



**DIVISION OF CEBU PROVINCE**

Sudlon, Lahug, Cebu City

February 9, 2016

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

No. 070 s. 2016

**ADMINISTRATION OF THE LANGUAGE ASSESSMENT FOR PRIMARY GRADES ( LAPG ) AND THE NATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST FOR GRADE SIX (NAT G6) FOR SCHOOL YEAR (SY) 2015-2016**

TO: Assistant Superintendents  
 Division Supervisors/Coordinators  
 District Supervisors/OICs  
 Elementary School Heads  
 Heads, Private Elementary Schools

1. Pursuant to DepEd Memorandum No. 1 s. 2016 dated January 6, 2016, the Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Educational Assessment (BEA), formerly the National Educational Testing and Research Center, shall administer the **Language Assessment for Primary Grades (LAPG) and the National Achievement Test for Grade Six (NAT G6) for School Year (SY) 2015-2016** nationwide as indicated in the enclosure of DepEd Order NO. 9, S. 2015 entitled School Calendar for School Year (SY) 2015-2016 on the following dates:

Date	Test	Examinee
March 8, 2016	LAPG	Grade Three (G3) learners of public schools only (census)
March 10, 2016	NAT G6	Grade Six (G6) learners of public and private schools (census)

2. Only private elementary schools with DepEd – issued permit shall be included in the conduct of NAT G6. Each NAT G6 examinee shall be issued a Certificate of Rating (COR) containing the actual rating per subject area.

3. The LAPG aims to:

- evaluate the effectiveness of Mother Tongue- Based Multilingual Education (MTB-MLE) instruction across 19 languages.
- establish Mother Tongue language development across Philippine languages in the context of the MTB-MLE Program Implementation.
- compare the performance of Grade Three learners on English and Filipino essential skills: and
- correlate language development across Early Grades Reading Assessment (EGRA), Early Grades Mathematics Assessment (EGMA) and language literacy assessment in the primary grades.

4. The 19 Mother Tongue languages used as medium of teaching and learning instruction (MOTL) in the country are *Iloko, Kapampangan, Pangasinense, Ivatan, Ibanag, Sambal, Tagalog, Bicol, Akeanon, Hiligaynon, Kiniray-a, Sinigbuanong Binisaya, Waray, Chavacano, Maguindanaon, Meranaw, Surigaonon, Tausug and Yakan.*

5. **District Supervisors /OICs / Caretakers and school heads are directed to submit to this Office the List of Names of Grade 6 and Grade 3 examinees, arranged in alphabetical order (regardless of sex) by school by district on or before February 15, 2016 c/o Education Program Supervisor – Jane O. Gurrea.**

6. **Likewise, the List of Names of Chief Examiners and Room Examiners shall also be submitted per school per district.**

7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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