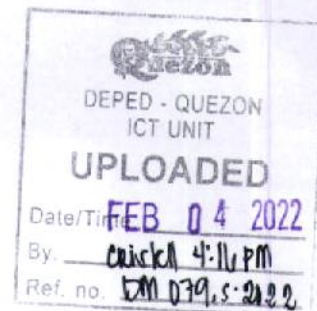




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**Department of Education**  
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SCHOOLS DIVISION OF QUEZON PROVINCE



04 February 2022

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

DM No. 079, s. 2022

**2022 PROGRAMME FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ASSESSMENT (PISA)**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendents  
Division Chiefs  
Elementary School Heads  
Secondary School Heads  
All Concerned

1. In adherence to DepEd Order No. 29, s. 2017, "Policy Guidelines on System Assessment in the K-to-12 Basic Education Program", and in reference with the letter from Dir. Nelia V. Benito, CESO IV, Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), please let it be known to all that DepEd Quezon will participate in the administration of 2022 Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA) from **March 28, 2022 to May 20, 2022**.
2. Attention is invited to the school heads of the following schools listed below which were selected as sampled schools in DepEd Quezon.

School ID	Name of School	Municipality
301380	Recto Memorial National High School	Tiaong
301350	Manuel S. Enverga Memorial School of Arts and Trades	Mauban
308006	Hagonghong Integrated High School	Buenavista
409718	Philtech Institute of Arts & Technology, Inc.	Tagkawayan

3. Orientation on the preparation and other details of the activity will be released in a separate memorandum.

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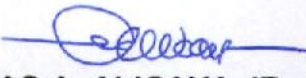
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4. For more information, please see the hereto attached correspondence, or you may also contact the Division Focal Person, **Mr. Raul R. Agaran** at numbers 042 784 0366 local 115 or 0943 128 2201.
5. Widest and immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is enjoined.

  
**ELIAS A. ALICAYA JR., EdD**  
Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Officer-in-charge  
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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Elias A. Alicaya, Jr.  
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Attention: **The Division Testing Coordinator**

Dear Supt. Alicaya:

Greetings!

In adherence to DepEd Order No. 29, s. 2017, "Policy Guidelines on System Assessment in the K to 12 Basic Education Program," the Philippines shall participate in international assessments, one of which is the 2022 **Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA)** for international benchmarking. The Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA) spearheads the PISA administration in the country and serves as the National Center for the programme.

**Background Information on PISA**

PISA is the largest international study designed and developed by the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD). The goal of PISA is to evaluate education systems worldwide by testing the skills and knowledge of 15-year-old students, who are approaching the end of their compulsory education. PISA tests how students can apply their knowledge to real life situations and problems, rather than testing their knowledge recall. Every three years, participating countries assess their 15-year-olds in the three cognitive domains: *Reading, Mathematics, and Science*; and in PISA 2022, **Mathematics** is the major domain and **Creative Thinking** as an innovative domain.

Like most participating countries and economies, PISA in the Philippines shall be administered through a *Computer-Based Assessment (CBA)* scheme. This unique feature provides an interesting testing approach whereby students will be navigating a variety of interactive test scenarios using computers.

**Main Survey**

The Main Survey (MS) of PISA will be conducted from **28 March to 20 May 2022** in 190 sample schools all over the country; the specific schedule for each school shall be issued on a separate advisory. Further, a total of **42 students** shall be randomly selected per school by PISA international contractors and this Bureau.

### Sample Schools in Your Division

After a multi-stage sampling procedure was done by the PISA international contractor and this Bureau, the following school/s in your division was/were selected as sample/s:

DIVISION	SCHOOL ID	SCHOOL NAME
Quezon	301380	Recto Memorial National High School
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### PISA Testing Personnel

To ensure quality and successful conduct of PISA in your division while adhering to health and safety COVID-19 protocols, it is required that competent, reliable, and trustworthy testing personnel are identified to serve in the Main Survey. Please identify the following testing personnel in your division:

Testing Personnel	Number of Participants based on Sample Schools
Division Testing Coordinator (DTC)	1
Division Information Technology Officer (ITO)	1
Test Administrators (TA)	1 for every 2 schools
Division Health Personnel	1
School Head	1 per school

Attached herewith are the PISA Human Resources to serve as guide in identifying the said personnel. Those with PISA or other International Large-Scale Assessments (ILSAs) experience are strongly preferred. Once identified, kindly accomplish the attached **PISA Testing Personnel Contact List Form** and submit it to [pisa2022phi@gmail.com](mailto:pisa2022phi@gmail.com) on or before 21 January 2022; use the subject line "[DIVISION] Testing Personnel Contact List", e.g., [MANILA] Testing Personnel Contact List.

### National Training of Testing Personnel

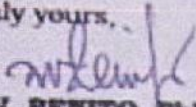
A national virtual training on the standardized conduct of the PISA Main Survey will be organized by BEA to firm up logistics, to discuss assessment details including COVID-19 health and safety protocols, and to provide intensive training to testing personnel. The specific training dates and other details shall be issued in a separate advisory.

### Coordination Arrangements

Mr. **Alexander A. Sualit Jr** of the PISA National Center will closely coordinate with your office regarding this task through email [pisa2022phi@gmail.com](mailto:pisa2022phi@gmail.com) or telephone number (02) 8631-2591.

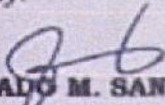
Again, we seek your continued support to the Department's assessment programs and projects such as this. Thank you.

Very truly yours,



**NELIA V. BENITO, PhD, CESO IV**  
Director IV, BEA  
PISA 2022 National Project Manager

Noted by:



**DIOSDADO M. SAN ANTONIO**  
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Instruction  
PHL PISA Governing Board

*Attachments:*

1. PISA Human Resources
2. PISA Testing Personnel Contact List