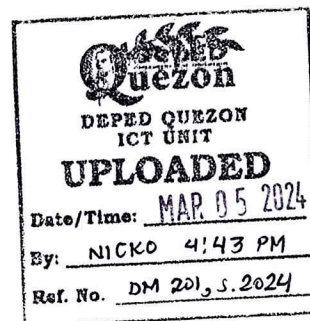




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5 March 2024

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

DM No. 201, s. 2024

**2025 PROGRAMME FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT
ASSESSMENT (PISA) FIELD TRIAL**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
Division Chiefs
Public Schools District Supervisors
District Testing Coordinators
All Others Concerned

1. In adherence to **DepEd Order No. 29, s. 2017**, titled “**Policy Guidelines on System Assessment in the K-to-12 Basic Education Program**”, the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), in coordination with SDO Quezon, will conduct the **Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA) 2025 Field Trial** on **April 1-26, 2024** in the identified sampled schools.

2. The following schools were randomly chosen to participate in the field trial.

SCHOOL ID	SCHOOL NAME	MUNICIPALITY
308004	Pagbilao National High School	Pagbilao
301286	Atimonan National Comprehensive HS	Atimonan

3. There will be an online **Coordination Meeting** to discuss the details of the assessment on **March 6, 2024; 9:00 o'clock in the morning via Google Meet**. Participants are the following:

Seq.	NAME OF PARTICIPANTS	STATION	ROLE IN PISA
1	RAUL R. AGARAN	SDO	School Coordinator
2	WILBERT B. PORTEZA	SDO	IT Coordinator
3	ELMER C. RAVINA	Pagbilao NHS	School Head
4	RENE L. PORTADES	Atimonan NCHS	School Head
5	MICHELLE G. DUMA	SDO	Test Administrator
6	MARY JOYCE S. MONTANA	SDO	Test Administrator

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4. Attached is the letter from **Dr. NELIA V. BENITO, CESO IV**, Director IV, Bureau of Educational Assessment to the Regional Director for your reference.
5. Should you have queries, you may contact **EPS Raul R. Agaran**, Division DTC or **ITO Wilbert B. Porteza** at **sdo.quezon.ict@deped.gov.ph** or **(042)784-0366** local 145.
6. Immediate dissemination and strict compliance to this Memorandum is desired.


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13 February 2024

ALBERTO T. ESCOBARTE
Regional Director
DepEd-Region IV-A
Karangalan ES, Karangalan Village Cainta, Rizal

Attention: **The Regional Testing Coordinator**

Dear **Dir. Escobarte**:

Greetings from BEA!

In adherence to DepEd Order No. 29, s. 2017, "Policy Guidelines on System Assessment in the K to 12 Basic Education Program," the Philippines will participate for the third time in the Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA). This Bureau, through the Education Research Division, serves as the PISA National Center of the Philippines and leads the administration of the PISA 2025 test cycle.

Background Information on PISA

PISA is an 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 2025, *Science* is the major 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.

PISA 2025 Field Trial

The PISA 2025 field trial is primarily conducted to gather evidence on the psychometric properties of the new items of PISA and to test survey operation procedures in preparation for the Main Survey. The PISA 2025 Field Trial will be conducted from *1 April to 26 April 2024* in 31 sample schools nationwide; the specific





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schedule for each school shall be issued on a separate advisory. Further, a total of 89 students shall be randomly selected per school.

Sample Schools in Your Region

After a multi-stage sampling procedure, the following schools in your region are selected as samples:

DIVISION	SCHOOL ID	SCHOOL NAME
Lucena City	301501	Lucena City National High School
Lucena City	403256	Maryhill College, Inc.
Quezon	308004	Pagbilao National High School
Quezon	301286	Atimonan National Comprehensive High School

PISA Testing Personnel in Your Region

To ensure the quality and successful conduct of the PISA 2025 Field Trial in your region, we would request assistance from the Regional Testing Coordinator to conduct the necessary communication measures to the different Schools Division Office/s where the above-mentioned sampled schools are assigned. Furthermore, kindly accomplish the attached **PISA 2025 Field Trial Testing Personnel Contact List Form** by identifying the names and contact information of the following field-testing personnel who will provide technical support during the administration of the PISA 2025 Field Trial:

1. Division Testing Coordinator/s per sampled Division
2. Information Technology Officer/s per sampled Division
3. School head/Principal of the sampled school
4. Test Administrators per sampled Division

Kindly send the form to pisa2025.philippines@gmail.com on or before **March 1, 2024 (Friday)**. Use the subject line “[REGION] Testing Personnel Contact List”, when sending the form via email, e.g., REGION I Testing Personnel Contact List. The identified testing personnel are also requested to answer the pre-registration form through this link, bit.ly/2025PISAFT.



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National Training of Testing Personnel

A national training on the standardized conduct of the PISA Field Trial will be organized by this Bureau to firm up logistics to discuss assessment details and to provide intensive training to testing personnel. The *PISA 2025 National Training for Field Testing Personnel* is scheduled on *March 11 to 14, 2024 (inclusive of travel dates)* at the *Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) Conference Center, Tagaytay City*. Other details relevant to the training and travels shall be sent on a separate advisory.

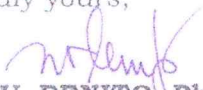

Coordination Arrangements

You may contact Mr. Jayson Seel Maravilla or Ms. Julie Anne Laroza of the PISA National Center through email pisa2025.philippines@gmail.com or telephone number (02) 8631-2591 for any inquiries or concerns.


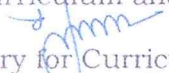
Rest assured that all expenses incurred in the training shall be charged to BEA Funds subject to the existing auditing and accounting rules and regulations.

Thank you for your continued support to the Department's assessment programs and projects. Thank you.

Very truly yours,


NELIA V. BENITO, PhD, CESO IV
Director IV, BEA
PISA 2025 National Project Manager 

Approved by:


ALMA RUBY C. TORIO
Assistant Secretary for Curriculum and Teaching
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Attachment:
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