

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Education

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ADMINISTRATION OF THE ENGLISH PROFICIENCY TEST FOR TEACHER APPLICANTS NATIONWIDE

To: Undersecretaries

Assistant Secretaries

Bureau and Service Directors

Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

Public Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), shall administer the English Proficiency Test (EPT) for Teacher Applicants nationwide. The test shall be administered to schools divisions in their respective regions every Sunday in 10 batches. For this year, the scheduled dates of the test administration are as follows:

Batch	Region	Date
1	IV-A	September 1, 2019
2	XI and II	September 8, 2019
3	National Capital Region and IV-B	September 15, 2019
4	VI	September 22, 2019
5	VII	September 29, 2019
6	I and Cordillera Administrative Region	October 6, 2019
7	III	October 13, 2019
8	V and IX	October 20, 2019
9	VIII and XII	October 27, 2019
10	X and Caraga	November 10, 2019

- Each examinee shall be allowed to take the test only once, regardless of the number of plantilla positions and schools divisions the applicant is applying for. The result of the EPT shall be valid for two years from the time of the test administration.
- BEA personnel who will be assigned in the schools division shall perform the following duties:
 - a. orient the schools division personnel who shall assist in the conduct of the test a day prior to the scheduled dates of examination,
 - b. deliver and retrieve test materials, and
 - c. monitor the test administration.
- The schools division superintendent shall perform the following functions: 4.
 - a. identify the venue/testing center for the conduct of the test by taking into consideration accessibility and location;

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- b. assign/identify testing personnel such as Division Testing Coordinator as Chief Examiner, Division Chiefs and Education Supervisors, School Heads as Room Supervisors and/or Room Examiners; and
- c. ensure that the list of examinees are ready prior to the conduct of the test.
- 5. Expenses for the test administration shall be charged to local funds, while daily travel expenses, transportation cost and other allowable expenses of BEA authorized personnel shall be charged to BEA Funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules anyd regulations.
- 6. For more information, please contact the **Bureau of Education Assessment-Education Assessment Division**, 2nd Floor Bonifacio Building, Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City at telephone nos. (02) 631-2589 and 631-2571
- 7. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Secretary

References:

DepEd Order No. 7, s. 2015 DepEd Memorandum No. 145, s. 2019

To be indicated in the <u>Perpetual Index</u> under the following subjects:

ASSESSMENT LEARNING AREA, ENGLISH TEACHERS TEST

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