



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 REGION I



**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. 1319, s. 2023

**DEC 06 2023**

**ADVISORY ON THE ADDITIONAL GUIDELINES  
 ON THE ALLOCATION OF TEST MATERIALS FOR THE  
 SPECIAL PHILIPPINE EDUCATIONAL PLACEMENT TEST (PEPT)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. ~~Relative to~~ The issued Advisory dated December 1, 2023, from the Office of the Director of the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA) provides the updated allocation for the Special PEPT to all the Division Testing Centers of the region.

- a. The Special PEPT registration shall be extended to utilize the allotted test materials for each designated testing center in the Schools Division Offices (SDOs).
- b. The Division Testing Coordinators (DTCs) for each SDO with a designated testing Center shall identify the cut-off date for accepting test registrants before the scheduled date of test administration.
- c. Walk-in registrants shall not be accommodated during the test administration.

2. The SDOs with designated testing centers can utilize the excess funding from the NASBE Program Support Funds (PSF) and from other assessment programs if the downloaded PSF is not enough for its implementation.

3. All other provisions stated in the said Memorandum shall remain in effect.

4. For information and guidance.

For the Regional Director:

**RHODA T. RAZON**  
 Director III

Encl.: As stated

Reference: Advisory from the Office of the BEA Director

To be included in the Perpetual Index

Under the following subjects

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**ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION OF TEST MATERIALS FOR THE SPECIAL  
PHILIPPINE EDUCATIONAL PLACEMENT TEST (PEPT)**

DIVISION CODE	DIVISION	FINAL ALLOCATION	UPDATED TESTING CENTER	NUMBER OF TESTING CENTER PER DIVISION
AO1	Dagupan City	380	West Central ES I	1
	SDO Dagupan City Buffer	100		
AO3	Ilocos Sur	120	Bantay NHS	1
	SDO Ilocos Sur Buffer	50		
AO4	Laoag City	50	Gabaldon ES	1
	SDO Laoag City Buffer	20		



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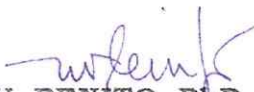

Office of the Director

December 01, 2023

**ADVISORY**

**ADDITIONAL GUIDELINES ON THE ALLOCATION OF TEST MATERIALS FOR  
THE SPECIAL PHILIPPINE EDUCATIONAL PLACEMENT TEST (PEPT)**

1. Relative to the issued advisory<sup>1</sup> dated November 23, 2023, this Bureau provides the updated allocation for the Special PEPT to all Regional Testing Coordinators (RTCs). With this, please be advised of the following:
  - a. The Special PEPT registration shall be extended to utilize the allotted test materials for each designated testing center in the Schools Division Offices (SDOs).
  - b. The Division Testing Coordinators (DTCs) for each SDOs with a designated testing center shall identify the cut-off date in accepting test registrants before the scheduled date of test administration.
  - c. Walk-in registrants shall not be accommodated during the test administration.
2. The SDOs with designated testing centers can utilize the excess funding from the NASBE Program Support Funds (PSF) from other assessment programs should the downloaded PSF not be enough for its implementation.
3. Immediate dissemination of this Advisory is desired.

  
**NELIA V. BENITO, Ph.D., CESO IV**  
Director IV 

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<sup>1</sup> Schedule of Administration of the 2023 Special PEPT



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November 23, 2023

**ADVISORY**

**SCHEDULE OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE 2023 SPECIAL PHILIPPINE  
EDUCATIONAL PLACEMENT TEST (PEPT)**

1. Relative to the issued Department of Education (DepEd) Memorandum No. 049, s. 2023 titled **Administration of the 2023 Special Philippine Educational Placement Test (PEPT)**, the Department, through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), shall administer the Special PEPT in select testing centers in Schools Division Offices (SDOs) on **December 10, 2023 (Sunday)** for the Luzon Cluster, and **December 17, 2023 (Sunday)** for the Visayas and Mindanao Cluster.
2. All other provisions stated in the said Memorandum shall remain in effect.
3. Immediate dissemination of this advisory is desired.

  
**NELIA V. BENITO, PhD, CESO IV**  
Director IV

Encls.: As stated

References:

- DepEd Order (No. 55, s. 2016)
- DepEd Memorandum (No. 49, s. 2023)

3 Special Philippine Educational Placement Test (PEPT)

GION	DIVISION CODE	DIVISION	FINAL ALLOCATION	UPDATED TESTING CENTER	NUMBER OF TESTING CENTER PER DIVISION
I	A01	Dagupan City	380	WEST CENTRAL ES 1	1
		SDO Dagupan City Buffer	100	SDO Dagupan City Buffer	
I	A03	Ilocos Sur	120	BANTAY NHS	1
		SDO Ilocos Sur Buffer	50	SDO Ilocos Sur Buffer	
I	A04	Laoag City	50	GABALDON ES	1
		SDO Laoag City Buffer	20	SDO Laoag City Buffer	