




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION VII – CENTRAL VISYAS
Schools Division of Cebu Province

MEMORANDUM
MLA-2024 - 005

TO : Public Schools District Supervisors (Selected Elementary Schools)
Elementary School Heads (Selected Schools)
All Others Concerned

FROM :  **SENEN BRISCILO P. PAULIN, CESO V**
Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF ASSESSMENT ACTIVITIES FOR THE LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION TRANSITION IN EDUCATION SYSTEMS (LITES)**

DATE : February 28, 2024

1. In reference to DepED Memorandum OASOPS No. 2024-018 entitled “*Conduct of Assessment Activities for the Language of Instruction Transition in Education Systems (LITES)*”, issued by the Office of the Undersecretary of Operations, all identified schools are requested to assist the Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS) on the administration of assessment activities related to LITES.
2. Please be guided accordingly.



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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**CONDUCT OF ASSESSMENT ACTIVITIES FOR THE LANGUAGE OF
INSTRUCTION TRANSITION IN EDUCATION SYSTEMS (LITES)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. For the information and guidance of all concerned, attached is a copy of Memorandum OASOPS No 2024-018 entitled "Conduct of Assessment Activities for the Language of Instruction Transition in Education Systems (LITES)" issued by the Office of the Undersecretary for Operations.
2. For your appropriate action.

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MEMORANDUM

TO **RAMIR B. UYTICO**
Regional Director, Region VI (Western Visayas)

SALUSTIANO T. JIMENEZ
Regional Director, Region VII (Central Visayas)

FROM **Atty. REVSEE A. ESCOBEDO**
Undersecretary for Operations

FRANCIS CESAR B. BRINGAS
Assistant Secretary for Operations

SUBJECT **Conduct of Assessment Activities for the Language of Instruction Transition in Education Systems (LITES)**

DATE **January 31, 2024**

This Office respectfully enforces the attached letter from Dr. Américo C. Orbeta, Jr., President, Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS), dated January 25, 2024, regarding their request for the approval of the conduct of assessment activities for the Language of Instruction Transition in Education Systems (LITES), in cooperation with Asian Social Project Services, Inc. (ASPSI) from February 14, 2024 to March 15, 2024.

In this regard, please be guided that ASPSI will shoulder all relevant expenses during the conduct of assessment activities. Other necessary expenses incurred shall be charged to local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

For queries and concerns regarding the aforementioned activity, kindly communicate with Ms. Jamie Aguas, through email at aspsti.pids@lites@gmail.com or number at 09753130819, Ms. Azelle Majam through email at aspsti.pids@lites@gmail.com or number at 09686897905, or Mr. John Joseph Ocbina through email at jochina@pids.gov.ph or number at 09752718096, (02) 8877-4063. Likewise, kindly see attached file for further information.

For your reference and appropriate action.



January 25, 2024

ATTY. REVSEE ESCOBEDO
Undersecretary for Operations
Department of Education
Pasig City

ATTENTION: **DR. FRANCIS CESAR BRINGAS**
Assistant Secretary for Operations

DR. RAMIR UYTICO
Regional Director – Region 6

DR. SALUSTIANO JIMENEZ
Regional Director – Region 7

Dear Usec. Escobedo:

Greetings from the Philippines Institute for Development Studies (PIDS)!

The PIDS, the government's primary socioeconomic policy think tank, is currently conducting a study on *Language of Instruction Transition in Education Systems (LITES) in the Philippines*. PIDS is collaborating with Supporting Holistic and Actionable Research in Education (SHARE), a cooperative agreement between the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) and the University of Notre Dame (UND) that advances global education learning priorities to improve learning outcomes.


The study's overall objective is to provide decision makers with information on how to support foundational acquisition of multilingual skills in primary educational settings through policy design and implementation. In addition, the study seeks to fill the gap in knowledge surrounding how education systems should effectively add or transition instruction from a first language (L1) to a second language (L2), and sometimes additional languages, by generating empirical evidence regarding factors that contribute to the success of language of instruction (LOI) transition for learners' second language literacy.

The PIDS study team, in collaboration with Asian Social Project Services, Inc. (ASPSI), the survey firm and focal team for quantitative data collection, will conduct data collection activities in sampled schools in Iloilo and Negros Occidental in Region 6 and in Cebu and Negros Oriental in Region 7 from **February 14 to March 15, 2024**. The DepEd personnel who attended the assessors' training will conduct the data gathering in the sampled schools.

In line with this, the Institute humbly requests from your office the approval of the following DepEd personnel (Annex A for Region 6 data collection and Annex B for Region 7 data collection) to conduct the data collection within the abovementioned schedule. Moreover, the Institute kindly requests the assistance to conduct the data collection activities in the sampled schools from Region 6 and Region 7 (Annex C and D, respectively) and the names and contact details of the principals/school head. Expenses incurred during the conduct of data collection activities will be shouldered by ASPSI.

For further inquiry, you may reach out to Ms. Jamie Aguas, Research Associate, of ASPSI, at aspsi.pulshtres@gmail.com / 0975 313 0819, Ms. Aizelle Majam, Research Associate of ASPSI at aspsi.pid-hrc@spedil.gov.ph / 0968 689 7905 or Mr. John Joseph Ocbina, of PIDS, at jocbina@pids.gov.ph / (02) 8877-4063/0975 271 8096. We look forward to your continued support in this endeavor and thank you very much in advance for your assistance!

Sincerely,

 Digitally signed
by Orbeta
Aniceto Cubil Jr.
DR. ANICETO C. ORBETA JR.
President

Annex A. List of assessors for Region 6 Data Collection

	Division	Name	Position
1	Guimaras	Zayda Arellano	School Head
2	Guimaras	Amalia Melliza	School Head
3	Guimaras	Jennyfier Figura	School Head
4	Guimaras	Shallymar G. Gamarcha	School Head
5	Bacolod City	Jessica P. Gela	EPS, English
6	Kabankalan City	Archy Mar P. Aguilar	School Head
7	La Carlota City	Sonia Oplas	EPS, Filipino
8	Himamaylan City	Reynando C. Jainga	PSDS
9	Roxas City	Evelyn Cercado	EPS, English
10	Bago City	Ma. Gemma Bimbao	MTB-MLE Coordinator
11	Bago City	Ralph Aries Torres	School Head
12	Regional Office VI	Nueva P. Mangaoang	EPS -- QAD
13	Negros Occ	Annabelle Alipo-on	PSDS
14	Iloilo	Ma. Cecilia Articuna	School Head
15	Iloilo	Ma. Erma Soberano	School Head
16	Iloilo	Maricel Blando	School Head
17	Iloilo City	Angie Padernilla	School Head
18	Passi City	Naheda Pabulayan	School Head
19	Capiz	Noe Bebita	School Head
20	Capiz	Glenda Gervero	School Head

Annex B. List of assessors for Region 7 Data Collection

	Division	Name	Position
1	Negros Occidental	Carmelita Segara	EPS
2	Negros Occidental	Ma. Dinah Beloria	School Head
3	Escalante City	Perly M. Mapa	MTB MLE Division Coordinator
4	San Carlos City	Florabelle Q. Culi	School Head
5	Cadiz City	Teodora Lamis	PSDS
6	Cadiz City	Madjeme Hassim	School Head
7	Cadiz City	Jerry Azucena	PSDS
8	Cadiz City	Ma. Fe Cancte	PSDS
9	Sagay City	Marlon Dublin	EPS LRMS
10	Negros Occidental	Hilarito F. Jumawan	Head Teacher III
11	Negros Occidental	Evelyn R. Salem	Teacher-In-Charge
12	Negros Occidental	Maritess-C. Paclibar	Head Teacher III
13	Negros Occidental	Andrie D. Palang-at	Head Teacher II
14	Escalante City	Robic Nifhrettire E. Jarina	Head Teacher III
15	Escalante City	Margie I. Cualbar	Head Teacher III
16	San Carlos City	Marjoline V. Gevila	School Head

Annex C. Sampling Coverage for the Survey – Region 6

I. List of Priority Schools

	Division	District	School ID	School Name
1	Kabankalan City	Kabankalan I	117858	Esteban R. Abada Memorial School-East
2	Bacolod City	Bacolod City IV District	117473	Paglaum Village Elementary School
3	Bacolod City	Bacolod City VI District	117482	Educ. & Training Center School II
4	Himamaylan City	District 2	117091	Asuncion Ramos Elementary School
5	Iloilo	Ajuy	115932	Pili Elementary School
6	Iloilo	Ajuy	115939	Sto. Rosario Elementary School
7	Iloilo	Ajuy	501481	Adeadarao Integrated School
8	Iloilo	Balasan	116012	Balasan Central Elementary School
9	Iloilo	Balasan	116016	Kinalkalan Elementary School
10	Iloilo	Balasan	116018	Mamhut Elementary School
11	Iloilo	Banate	116026	Banate Central Elementary School
12	Iloilo	Carles	116217	Granada Elementary School
13	Iloilo	Estancia	116354	Paon Elementary School
14	Iloilo	Estancia	116348	Cano-an Elementary School
15	Iloilo City	City Proper	117588	Iloilo Central Elementary School
16	Iloilo City	Jaro	117599	L. Mirasol Elementary School
17	Iloilo City	Lapaz	117608	N.J. Ingore Elementary School
18	Iloilo City	City Proper	117589	Manuel L. Quezon Elementary School
19	Iloilo City	Mandurriao	117616	Navais-Borres Elementary School (L. Borres Elementary School)
20	Kabankalan City	Kabankalan III	117884	Jose G. Peralta Memorial School
21	Kabankalan City	Kabankalan IV	117869	Tabugon Elementary School
22	Negros Occidental	Binalbagan I	116867	Binalbagan South Elementary School
23	Negros Occidental	La Castellana I	117227	Sag-ang Elementary School
24	Negros Occidental	Manapla	117247	Gregorio Montinola Elementary School (Maja ES)
25	Negros Occidental	Manapla	117250	Vicmico Elementary School
26	Negros Occidental	Moises Padilla	117268	Moises Padilla Elementary School
27	Negros Occidental	Pontevedra I	117304	Pontevedra South Elementary School
28	Negros Occidental	Talisay I	117379	Bubog Elementary School

29	Sagay City	Sagay City District I	117690	Alfredo E. Marañon Sr. Elementary School
30	Sagay City	Sagay City District III	117727	Melchor D. Salcedo Elementary School

L. List of Reserved Schools

	Division	District	School ID	School Name
1	Iloilo	Balasan	116014	Camambugan Elementary School
2	Iloilo	Barotac Nuevo	116043	Barotac Nuevo Central Elementary School
3	Iloilo	Barotac Viejo	116065	De La Peña Pilot School
4	Iloilo	Barotac Viejo	116076	Rizal Pilot School
5	Iloilo	Carles	116222	Pantalan Elementary School
6	Iloilo	Concepcion	116242	Concepcion Central School
7	Iloilo	Pavia	116645	Ungka II Elementary School
8	Iloilo	Sara	116769	Alfredo Sanson Memorial Elementary School
9	Iloilo	Sara	116771	Apelo Elementary School
10	Iloilo City	City Proper	117590	Rizal Elementary School
11	Kabankalan City	Kabankalan II	117856	Camansi Elementary School
12	Kabankalan City	Kabankalan II	117872	Yanog Elementary School
13	Kabankalan City	Kabankalan IV	117865	Pangyasan Pilot School
14	Negros Occidental	Binalbagan I	116864	Amontay Elementary School
15	Negros Occidental	Cauayan II	117002	Elihan Elementary School
16	Negros Occidental	La Castellana II	117238	Odiog Elementary School
17	Negros Occidental	Talisay I	117380	Catabla Baybay Elementary School
18	Sagay City	Sagay City District II	117719	Josebio L. Gonzaga Memorial School

Annex D. Sampling Coverage for the Survey – Region 7

II. List of Priority Schools

	Division	District	School ID	School Name
1	Bayawan City	Bayawan East	120128	Dawis Elementary School
2	Bayawan City	Bayawan East	120134	Matunoy Elementary School
3	Bayawan City	Bayawan East	501131	Ali-is Integrated School
4	Bayawan City	Bayawan West	120165	Tayawan Elementary School
5	Cebu	Alegria	118898	Sta. Filomena Elementary School
6	Cebu	Asturias	118992	Tubigagmanok Elementary School
7	Cebu	Barili I	119085	Maigang Elementary School
8	Cebu	Carmen	119188	Florentino Rallos Elementary School (Corte ES)
9	Cebu	Catmon	500042	Catmon Integrated School
10	Cebu	Daanbantayan I	119267	Dalingding Elementary School
11	Cebu	Minglanilla II	501351	Cuanos Integrated School
12	Cebu	San Fernando	119633	Tañañas Elementary School
13	Cebu City	South District 3	119883	Napo Elementary School
14	Cebu City	South District 3	500229	Cantipla Integrated School
15	Cebu City	South District 6	119879	Banawa Elementary School
16	Cebu City	South District 7	119867	Bitlang Elementary School
17	Dumaguete City	Dumaguete City North District	119937	Magsaysay MES
18	Dumaguete City	Dumaguete City South District	119944	Calindagan ES
19	Guihulngan City	Guihulngan North	120237	Budlasan MES
20	Guihulngan City	Vallehermoso	120642	Vallehermoso Central Elementary School
21	Lapu-Lapu City	Lapu-Lapu City East District	119960	Talima Elementary School
22	Lapu-Lapu City	Lapu-Lapu City South District	119984	Sudtonggan Elementary School
23	Cebu	Minglanilla II	119485	Lipata Central ES
24	Negros Oriental	Bindoy	120171	Bindoy Central Elementary School
25	Negros Oriental	Canlaon City	120201	Budlasan Elementary School
26	Negros Oriental	Mabinay I	120372	Pandanon Elementary School
27	Negros Oriental	San Jose	120439	Sra. Ascion Elementary School
28	Negros Oriental	Siaton East	120453	Candugay Elementary School
29	Negros Oriental	Sta. Catalina North	120518	Jose Lalamonan Elementary School

30	Negros Oriental	Sta. Catalina South	120534	Mabuhay Elementary School
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II. List of Reserved Schools

	Division	District	School ID	School Name
1	Bayawan City	Bayawan West	120166	Telesforo Gargantiel Memorial Elementary School
2	Cebu	Alegria	118895	Madridejos ES
3	Cebu	Daanbantayan I	119271	Malingin ES
4	Cebu	Daanbantayan I	119275	Somimbang Elementary School
5	Cebu	Madridejos	119435	Tarong ES
6	Cebu	Medellin	119457	Curva ES
7	Cebu	Pinamungajan 1	119566	Pinamungajan Central School
8	Cebu	San Fernando	501574	Bugho Integrated School
9	Cebu	San Remegio I	501669	Hagnaya IS
10	Cebu	Sogod	119729	Calumboyan ES
11	Guihulngan City	Guihulngan North	189502	Benil-iwan ES
12	Guihulngan City	Guihulngan South	120270	Melanio T. Vergara MES (Kagawasan ES)
13	Guihulngan City	Guihulngan South	120272	Linantuyan ES
14	Guihulngan City	Guihulngan South	120274	Mabunga ES
15	Guihulngan City	Guihulngan South	120275	Magsaysay Elementary School
16	Guihulngan City	Vallehermoso	120625	Don Vicente Lopez, Sr. MS (Bagawines ES)
17	Negros Oriental	La Libertad	120332	Pitogo Elementary School
18	Negros Oriental	Siaton East	120454	Casalaan ES
19	Negros Oriental	Siaton West	120476	Salag ES
20	Negros Oriental	Tayasan	120596	Pinocawan Elementary School