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NEGROS ISLAND REGION

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
NO. 205, s. 2025

**VALIDATION OF ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM (ALS) ASSESSMENT FOR  
BASIC LITERACY (ABL) AND FUNCTIONAL LITERACY TEST (FLT)**

To: Schools Division Superintendents of Bayawan City, La Carlota City, Negros Occidental, Sagay City, and Tanjay City  
All Others Concerned

1. This is relative to DepEd Memorandum No. DM-CT-2025-007 titled Validation of Alternative Learning System (ALS) Assessment for Basic Literacy (ABL) and Functional Literacy Test (FLT) on August 4 to 7, 2025 in select Schools Divisions.
2. The following are the identified schools, community learning centers, validation sites, and schedule:

Region	Category	Schools Division Office / Validation Site	Level	School	Schedule
Negros Island Region	Urban	Negros Occidental	Elementary	Talisay Elementary School	August 4-5, 2025
			Secondary	Rafael B. Lacson Memorial High School	
			CLC	Talisay ES CLC	
	Rural	La Carlota City	Elementary	Haguimit Elementary School	August 6-7, 2025
			Secondary	San Miguel National High School	
			CLC	Haguimit and LI PO CHUN UWC-HONG KONG FRIENDSHIP CLC	

3. The following Regional ALS Focal Person and EPSA personnel from the identified SDOs shall assist in the validation:

No.	Name	Position	SDO/Office
1	Dr. Nonito T. Guanzon	OIC-EPS	RO-CLMD

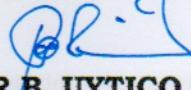


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2	Yolly Salem	EPSA	SDO Negros Occidental
3	Arnold B. Ayco	EPSA	SDO Sagay City
4	Enriquita B. Bison	EPSA	SDO Bayawan City
5	Florenda C. Galvez	EPSA	SDO Tanjay City

4. Expenses for board and lodging, travel, supplies, and other incidental expenses of BAE Specialists and the Validation Team shall be charged to FY 2025 FLO Continuing Funds (AC-25-BAE-OD-FLO-P034) while expenses by the RO personnel to local funds, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

5. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

  
RAMIR B. UYTICO EdD, CESO III  
Regional Director

Encl.: As stated

Reference: As stated

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM  
CURRICULUM  
MONITORING AND EVALUATION

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SUBJECT : **VALIDATION OF ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM (ALS) ASSESSMENT FOR BASIC LITERACY (ABL) AND FUNCTIONAL LITERACY TEST (FLT)**

DATE : July 16, 2025

The Bureau of Alternative Education-Program Management and System Development Division (BAE-PMSDD) will conduct the **Validation of Alternative Learning System (ALS) Assessment for Basic Literacy (ABL) and Functional Literacy Test (FLT)** from **August 4 to 7, 2025**, in select Schools Divisions. Please see **Attachment 1** for the specific schedule of the validation in each schools division.

This activity aims to validate the updated ALS assessment tools and forms in connection with the revised ALS Curriculum.

In this regard, may we request the concerned Regional Offices (ROs), through the Regional ALS Focal Persons, to identify two (2) SDOs to serve as sites for the validation. Please see **Attachment 2** for the template and the details of the requirements.



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In addition, the participation of the Education Program Specialist II in ALS (EPSA) from each select SDO is requested to assist in the validation activity. Moreover, the identified personnel listed in **Attachment 3** who served as Technical Working Group (TWG) members during the development phase are tapped to be part of the Validation Team.

Board and lodging, travel expenses, supplies, and materials and other incidental expenses of BAE Specialists and the Validation Team will be charged to the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 FLO Continuing Funds (AC-25-BAE-OD-FLO-P034), subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

For queries or clarifications, please contact **Mr. Jomar P. Allam**, Senior Education Program Specialist of BAE-Program Management and System Development Division (PMSDD) at telephone number (02) 8636-9347 or through email at [bae.pmsdd@deped.gov.ph](mailto:bae.pmsdd@deped.gov.ph).

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is directed.

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Attachment No. 1 to DM-CT-2025-007

### PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Time	SDO 1		SDO 2	
	Day 1 August 4, 2025	Day 2 August 5, 2025	Day 1 August 6, 2025	Day 2 August 7, 2025
6:00 am - 8:00am	Traveltime	Breakfast	Validation Proper	Breakfast
8:00 am - 9:00am		Validation Proper SDO 1 Grade 1 and Grade 3 for ABL Grade 7 and Grade 9 for FLT	Travel to SDO 2	Validation Proper Grade 1 and Grade 3 for ABL Grade 7 and Grade 9 for FLT
9:00am - 10:00am				
10:00am - 11:00am				
11:00am - 12:00nn			Lunch	Lunch
12:00nn-1:00pm		Courtesy Call to SDO 1 continuation	Courtesy Call to SDO 2 Preparation for the Validation	Checking of materials
1:00pm-2:00pm				
2:00pm - 3:00pm				
3:00pm - 4:00pm				Packing of materials and travel time
4:00pm - 5:00pm				
Officer of the Day	BAE STAFF	BAE STAFF	BAE STAFF	BAE STAFF

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Attachment No. 2 to **DM-CT-2025-~~007~~**

### LIST OF IDENTIFIED SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER

Region	Category	Schools Division Office	Level	Name of School
	Rural	1.	Elementary	1.
			Secondary	2.
			CLC	3.
	Urban	2.	Elementary	1. <i>Talisay ES</i> T-1
			Secondary	2. <i>FBL</i> T-1
			CLC	3. <i>Talisay ES</i>

Note:

1. Each elementary and secondary school should have at least 60 learners.
2. The CLC should have a Basic Literacy Program (BLP), Accreditation and Equivalency (A&E) Elementary, and Accreditation and Equivalency (A&E) Junior High School.
3. BLP and A&E JHS should have at least 20 learners while A&E JHS should have at least 40 learners.

Prepared by:

Regional ALS Focal Person

Noted by:

Regional Director



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Attachment No. 3 to **DM-CT-2024-007**

**IDENTIFIED LIST OF VALIDATION TEAM**

NO.	NAME	POSITION	REGION	DIVISION/OFFICE
1	Laurence A. Agtutubo	EPSA	I	Vigan City
2	Emil R. Riodil	EPSA	I	Ilocos Sur
3	Mirasol B. Ledesma	EPSA	I	Pangasinan II
4	Joselito A. Pascua	EPSA	I	La Union
5	Michael E. Consignado	EPSA	IVA	Laguna Province
6	Rosemarie A. Encarnacion	EPSA	IVA	Batangas Province
8	Marchy Joy T. Sanchez	EPSA	IVA	Binan City
9	Yolly Salem	EPSA	NIR	Negros Occidental
10	Arnold B. Ayco	EPSA	NIR	Sagay City
11	Enriquita B. Bison	EPSA	NIR	Bayawan City
12	Florenda C. Galvez	EPSA	NIR	Tanjay City
13	Mildred C. Gofredo	EPSA	VIII	Baybay City
14	Allan C. Arma	EPSA	VIII	Borongan City
15	Edmar J. Azores	EPSA	VIII	Leyte
16	Emmanuel A. Garcia	EPSA	VIII	Tacloban City
17	Domingo D. Cortes Jr.	EPSA	XII	General Santos City
18	Ronamie A. Lumawag	EPSA	XII	Sultan Kudarat
19	John A. Ortiz	EPSA	XII	Cotabato Province
20	Rachel S. Cassion	EPSA	Caraga	Butuan City
21	Armie Judie Daro	EPSA	Caraga	Surigao City
22	Emalyn E. Bernadez	EPSA	Caraga	Surigao del Norte