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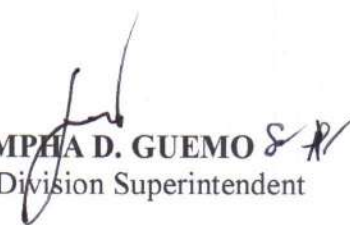
DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 0127, s. 2026

**ADVISORY TO DIVISION MEMORANDUM NO. 115, s. 2026
ADMINISTRATION OF THE COMPUTER-BASED NATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT TEST
FOR GRADE 12 (CB-NATG12) FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2025-2026**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisor, (CID)
Public Schools District Supervisors
Selected Public and Private Secondary School Heads
Division Testing Coordinator
Division ITO In-charge
All Others Concerned

1. Relative to Advisory No. 009, s. 2026 issued by the Bureau of Education Assessment, this Office informs all concerned that the administration of the Computer-Based National Achievement Test for Grade 12 for School Year 2025-2026 is hereby **extended until the last school day of the School Year 2025-2026** in accordance with DepEd Order No. 12, s. 2025, titled *Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities*. This extension is due to technical limitations encountered in the assessment platform affecting the simultaneous access of examinees from sampled schools.
2. Enclosed is Advisory No. 009, s. 2026 for the additional guidelines to support the continued administration of the CB-NATG12.
3. For information and guidance.


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ADVISORY

**Additional Guidelines and Extension of the Administration of the
Computer-Based National Achievement Test for Grade 12 (CB-NATG12)
for School Year 2025-2026**

Pursuant to **DepEd Memorandum No. 014, s. 2026**, titled *Administration of the Computer-Based National Achievement Test for Grade 12 (CB-NATG12) for School Year 2025-2026*, the administration of the CB-NATG12 was scheduled from **March 9 to 18, 2026**.

Due to technical limitations encountered in the assessment platform affecting simultaneous access of examinees from sampled schools, adjustments in the test administration process and schedule are necessary.

In this regard, the administration of the **CB-NATG12 is hereby extended until the last school day of the School Year 2025-2026**, in accordance with **DepEd Order No. 012, s. 2025**, titled *Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities*.

The following additional guidelines are hereby issued to support the continued administration of the CB-NATG12:

PARTICIPATION CONDITIONS

1. If the sampled schools have ongoing classes or scheduled activities, they may opt to administer the CB-NATG12 within the extended testing period, provided it is conducted on or before the last school day of School Year 2025-2026. If they are unable to participate even within the extended testing period, they must inform the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA) through their respective Schools Division Office (SDO) and Regional Office (RO).
2. The administration of the CB-NATG12 during the extended period, including weekends, is optional and not mandatory.
3. Parental/guardian's consent shall be obtained should the sampled schools opt to conduct the CB-NATG12 on weekends.
4. Learners under the Government Assistance to Students and Teachers in Private Education (GASTPE) in sampled private schools that still have classes shall be given priority in scheduling.



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RESCHEDULING OF TEST ADMINISTRATION

The following unforeseen circumstances may warrant the rescheduling of the test:

1. System downtime or server malfunctions
2. Unexpected power or internet interruptions
3. Force majeure or other extraordinary circumstances
4. Natural calamities (e.g., earthquake, typhoon, pandemic, high heat index)

SCOPE AND LIMITATIONS

The CB-NATG12 is part of the system assessment pursuant to **DepEd Order No. 29, s. 2017**. While the scope of the test covers the major core areas for the NATG12, the results are not intended for ranking or grading but are used for analysis and reporting purposes. Hence, the test does not measure individual performance.

INQUIRY AND CONCERNS

For system issues, connectivity problems, or other operational concerns, Regional and Division Testing Coordinators may contact the Education Assessment Division of this Bureau at (02) 8631-2589, email **bea.ead@deped.gov.ph**, or report them via the designated MS Teams Group Chat through the link: <https://tinyurl.com/CBNATG12Queries>

Immediate dissemination and strict compliance of this Advisory is hereby directed.


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