



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education

REGION XII
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF SOUTH COTABATO

**Office of the Schools Division
Superintendent**

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DIVISION MEMORANDUM
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ADAPTION OF 21ST CENTURY/PISA TYPE ASSESSMENT BEGINNING THE 2023
THIRD QUARTER EXAMINATION

To: Public Schools District Supervisors/ Principals In-Charge
Elementary and Secondary School Administrators
Assessment Coordinators
All Others Concerned

1. In line with the poor performance of Filipino Learners in the Programme for International Students Assessment (PISA) where Philippines ranked lowest, the Schools Division of South Cotabato aims to address the learning gaps found at the grassroots level.
2. After the **Division Training-Workshop on Developing 21st Century Skills and Assessment** conducted last July 6-8, 2022 followed by the echo-trainings and massive INSET last MPRE, all schools are enjoined to adapt the PISA type of assessment starting the Third Quarter Examination.
3. This aims to achieve these thrusts.
 - a. To expose the learners with the PISA- type of assessment
 - b. To hone the learners' critical thinking skills through the Higher Order Thinking questions given
 - c. To train the teachers to do away from the traditional type of test questions
4. All Public Schools District Supervisors/ Principals In-charge shall ensure that schools under their supervision administer this type of test.

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5. For any inquiry regarding this matter, personnel concerned may contact the Division Assessment Coordinator Zynafe V. Caijo through mobile number 09178919552.
6. Immediate dissemination of this memorandum is desired.

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Schools Division Superintendent

Encl: N o n e

Reference: N o n e

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