

# Department of Education **REGION XI** SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

#### **DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

CID-2023-449

To

CID Chief

Education Program Supervisor in Math

Public Elementary School Heads Public Elementary School Teachers

Subject:

ADMINISTRATION OF THE RAPID MATHEMATICS ASSESSMENT

(RMA) FOR GRADES 1 TO 3 AT THE BEGINNING OF SCHOOL YEAR

2023-2024

Date

CID/jbc

October 17, 2023

Pursuant to Memorandum No. DM-CT-2023-322 dated October 3, 2023 and RM-CLMD-2023-653 entitled "Administration of the Rapid Mathematics Assessment (RMA) for Grades 1 to 3 at the Beginning of School Year 2023-2024," this Office informs all schools regarding the administration of Rapid Mathematics Assessment (RMA) for Grades 1 to 3 on October 16 – 27, 2023.

The objective of the assessment is to evaluate the mathematical proficiency of learners in Grades 1 to 3. The pre-test results will be recorded in the RMA scoresheet and to be uploaded to https://bit.ly/Rapid-Math-Assessment not later than October 31, 2023.

In line with this, Virtual Orientation will be conducted on October 18, 2023 at 2:30 PM via google meet with the link: <a href="https://meet.google.com/wvu-qwgg-zvd">https://meet.google.com/wvu-qwgg-zvd</a>. Participants of this virtual orientation are Grades 1 to 3 teachers, school heads and Public Schools District Supervisors (PSDSs). To maximize participation of schools during the virtual orientation, each school may use 2 to 3 accounts only to cater all schools in a maximum of 100 participants in the google meet video conferencing.

Each participant is enjoined to fill-up the attendance sheet through the google form with the link: https://tinyurl.com/RMAOrientationAttendance.

Other details of the memorandum are in the enclosure.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

For and in the absence of the Schools Division Superintendent



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# Department of Education

**DAVAO REGION** 

## Office of the Regional Director

#### REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

CLMD-2023-653

To

Schools Division Superintendents of Davao City

Subject:

ADMINISTRATION OF THE RAPID MATHEMATICS ASSESSMENT

(RMA) FOR GRADES 1 TO 3 AT THE BEGINNING OF SCHOOL

YEAR 2023-2024

Date :

August 16, 2023

Pursuant to Memorandum DM-CT-2023-322, from the Office of the Undersecretary of the Curriculum and Teaching, this Office informs the administration of the Rapid Mathematics Assessment (RMA) for Grades 1 to 3 on October 16-27, 2023.

The objective of the assessment is to evaluate the mathematical proficiency of the learners in Grades 1 to 3.

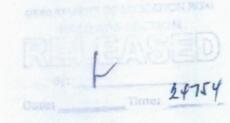
The pre-test results will be recorded in the RMA scoresheet and to be uploaded to <a href="https://bit.ly/Rapid-Math-Assessment">https://bit.ly/Rapid-Math-Assessment</a> not later than October 31, 2013.

Other details of the memorandum are in the enclosure.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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# Department of Education

#### OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

### MEMORANDUM DM-CT-2023- 322

TO

REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND

SCHOOL DIVISION SUPERINDENTS

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FROM

ALMA RUBY C. TORIO

Assistant Secretary for Curriculum and Teaching

Officer-In-Charge

Office of the Undersecretary for Curriculum and Teaching

SUBJECT

ADMINISTRATION OF THE RAPID MATHEMATICS ASSESSMENT (RMA) FOR GRADES 1 TO 3 AT THE

BEGINNING OF SCHOOL YEAR 2023-2024

DATE

October 3, 2023

The Department of Education (DepEd) is firmly dedicated to overseeing the nationwide administration of the Rapid Mathematics Assessment (RMA) for Grades 1 to 3 throughout the 2023-2024 school year, encompassing every public school in the country.

The foremost objective of the RMA is to evaluate the mathematical proficiency of learners in Grades 1 to 3. The data acquired from this assessment will serve as a valuable instrument for discerning both strengths and areas necessitating improvement within our mathematics instruction. Furthermore, it will empower us to champion educational equity by assessing learner performance across all regions and offering precise support where it is most needed.

The RMA is slated for administration from October 16 to 27, 2023. Subsequently, pre-test results will be recorded in the RMA scoresheet and promptly uploaded to the RMA dashboard link no later than October 31, 2023, accessible at https://bit.ly/Rapid-Math-Assessment.

For any inquiries or concerns, we extend an invitation to contact the National Mathematics Program (NMP) Secretariat at the Bureau of Learning Delivery (BLD) through the following contact details: telephone numbers 8636-6540 / 8633-9343 or email at bld.od@deped.gov.ph.

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## Department of Education OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

#### JUSTIFICATION

The Rapid Mathematics Assessment (RMA) is a vital tool designed for evaluating the foundational mathematical skills of learners in Grades 1 to 3. Its primary aim is to pinpoint any gaps in these essential skills. To achieve this objective, the RMA is administered during the first quarter of each school year. This timing serves several strategic purposes:

Early Intervention: Administering the RMA at the start of the school year enables early intervention. The primary rationale is to swiftly identify skill gaps, empowering educators to promptly address them. This early intervention is critical because it allows teachers to implement targeted support and instructional strategies, significantly influencing a learner's mathematical development throughout the school year.

Baseline Measurement: The first quarter assessment acts as a baseline measurement, offering a snapshot of leaners' mathematical proficiency at the beginning of the academic year. This baseline helps teachers and school administrators track progress over time and assess the effectiveness of instructional strategies and curriculum adjustments.