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Department of Education
REGION III
SCHOOLS DIVISION OFFICE OF ANGELES CITY

25 Mar 2026

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 153 s. 2026

**ADMINISTRATION OF THE QUALIFYING EXAMINATION IN ARABIC
LANGUAGE AND ISLAMIC STUDIES (QUEALIS) IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF
2026**

To: Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Public Schools District Supervisors
Division MEP Focal Person
School Heads MEP Implementers
All Others Concerned

1. Please be informed of the administration of the Qualifying Examination in Arabic Language and Islamic Studies (QUEALIS) on April 12, 2026, at Bacolor Integrated School, Bacolor, Pampanga.
2. Attached to this Communication are the Regional Memorandum No. 071 s. 2026 and DepEd Memorandum Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems 2026-114 (DM-OULS-2026-114) for reference and guidance on the administration of the said examination.
3. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

ENGR. EDGARD C. DOMINGO, PhD, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent *Ajt*

Encl.: As stated,
Reference: RM No. 071 s. 2026, DM-OULS-2026-114
To be indicated in the Perpetual Index
under the following subjects.

QUEALIS ISLAMIC STUDIES

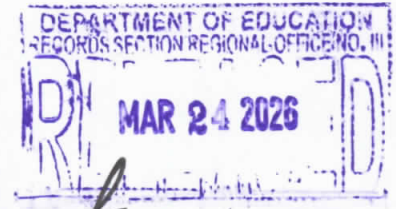
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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. **071**, s. 2026

DISSEMINATION OF MEMORANDUM DM-OULS-2026-114, DATED MARCH 19, 2026, RE: GUIDELINES ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE QUALIFYING EXAMINATION IN ARABIC LANGUAGE AND ISLAMIC STUDIES (QEALIS) IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 2026

To: Schools Division Superintendents
Curriculum Implementation Division Chiefs
Division Testing Coordinators
Division Madrasah Education Program Coordinators
Public Schools District Supervisors
All Others Concerned

1. For the information, guidance, and **strict compliance** of all concerned, enclosed is the Memorandum DM-OULS-2026-114, dated March 19, 2026, re: Guidelines on the Administration of the Qualifying Examination in Arabic Language and Islamic Studies (QEALIS) in the First Quarter of 2026.
2. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), will administer the **QEALIS** on **April 12, 2026**, in the Bacolor Integrated School, Bacolor, Pampanga.
3. Attached is Enclosure No. 1 for the Lists of Qualified Registrants, for reference.
4. For further queries, please contact **Joseph D. Reyes**, Regional Testing Coordinator at joseph.reyes16@deped.gov.ph and **Garry L. Pangan**, Division Testing Coordinator at garry.pangan001@deped.gov.ph.
5. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is earnestly desired.


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Encl.: As stated
Reference: Memorandum DM-OULS-2026-114
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QUALIFYING EXAMINATION

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March 23, 2026



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Enclosure No. 1 to Regional Memorandum No. _____, s. 2024

**QUALIFYING EXAMINATION IN ARABIC LANGUAGE AND ISLAMIC STUDIES
(QEALIS)**

LIST OF QUALIFIED REGISTRANTS

Name (Last Name, Given Name, Middle Initial)	If teaching, details on current assignment; otherwise, write N/A.		
	School	Division	Region
1 Macarampat, Mhominafaisah U.	Meycauayan West Central IS	SDO City of Meycauayan	III
2 Basher, Mohammad P.	Bayugo Elementary School	SDO City of Meycauayan	III
3 Batugan, Saidali Imam	Guimba West Central School	SDO Nueva Ecija	III
4 Abdullah, Khalid A.	Baler Central School	SDO-Aurora	III
5 Acmad, Nanayaon Pamlan	Bantug Elementary School	SDO Nueva Ecija	III
6 Macacuna, Norania O.	Baler Central School	SDO-Aurora	III
7 Buisan, Warda P	Meycauayan West Central IS	SDO City of Meycauayan	III
8 Tago, Alhasan D.	Imelda Integrated School	SDO Cabanatuan City	III
9 Acasa, Rayan S.	Imelda Integrated School	SDO Cabanatuan City	III
10 Cauyag, Alanoding T.	Lazaro Francisco Integrated School	SDO Cabanatuan City	III
11 Tokur, Noraisa S.	Lazaro Francisco Integrated School	SDO Cabanatuan City	III
12 Tasliman, Sanirah A.	Sto.Cristo Integrated School	SDO Tarlac City	III
13 Dibaratun, Najeb B.	Gueco Balibago Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III
14 Samporna, Mohammadnur M.	Santo Rosario Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III
15 Aragon, Naslani M.	Francisco G. Nepomuceno M.H.S	SDO, Angeles City	III
16 Casim, Fatima P.	Sta. Teresita Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III
17 Abdulcarim, Norhamnida P.	Lourdes Northwest Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III
18 Sarip, Norhaida L.	Pampang Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III



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19	Alawiya, Amerah M.	Santo Rosario Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III
20	Amintao, Norsalam M.	Santo Rosario Elementary School	SDO, Angeles City	III
21	Dimangonot, Jalil M.	Gapan North Central School	SDO Gapan City	III
22	Umpa, Sumaya O.	Gapan East Integrated School	SDO Gapan City	III
23	Nasroden, Faridah H.B.	Mangino Elementary School	SDO Gapan City	III
24	Nasroden, Omelkhair H.B.	Amando Maniques Elementary School	SDO Gapan City	III
25	Dela Pena, Gina "Nuhriyah " S.	Juan R. Liwag Memorial High School	SDO Gapan City	III
26	Anipa ,Ampuan R.	Victoria East ES	SDO Tarlac Province	III
27	Ahmad, Sahania A.	Cristo Rey Central ES	SDO Tarlac Province	III
28	Cader, Nihaya A.	Santa Ignacia North Central ES	SDO Tarlac Province	III
29	Abdulazis, Amron	Banga Elementary School	SDO Bulacan	III
30	Hadjisalic, Fatimah M.	San Ildefonso North CS	SDO Bulacan	III
31	Dipatuan, Asnaidah M.	Mapulang Lupa ES	SDO Bulacan	III
32	Davis, Asmabeth M.	Sta Maria ES	SDO Bulacan	III
33	Macaraya, Nahidah A.	San Jose ES	SDO Bulacan	III
34	Paker, Almairah S.	Sta Maria ES	SDO Bulacan	III
35	Mariano, Mei mei	Bagbaguin ES	SDO Bulacan	III
36	Abdulsamad, Homaida A.	Balagtas Heights ES	SDO Bulacan	III
37	Mangondaya, Jamel M.	Sta Maria ES	SDO Bulacan	III
38	Balangi, Camal Z.	St. Martha ES	SDO Bulacan	III
39	Barauntong, Hasser A.	Antonio G. Llamas ES	SDO-Bataan	III
40	Pacasum, Saliha T.	Luakan NHS-Annex	SDO_Bataan	III
41	Hadjjali, Normalah C.	Paraiso ES	SDO-Bataan	III
42	Hadji Abdullah C.	Mariveles NHS-Poblacion	SDO-Bataan	III
43	Usman, Salman S.	Casupanan ES	SDO-Bataan	III
44	Macatoon, Nashiba	Paraiso Es	SDO-Bataan	III
45	Mama, Johayver	Paraiso ES	SDO-Bataan	III
46	Hatami, Al-Kaizar	Morong ES	SDO-Bataan	III
47	Tasnimah H. Hadji moumen	Tibag ES	SDO TCSD-Tarlac City	III



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48	Alawi, Nawawie M.	EAST BAJAC-BAJAC ES	SDO-Olongapo City	III
49	Daluma, Raidah U.	Olongapo City ES	SDO-Olongapo City	III
50	Abubacar, Norhata D.	Tabacuhan Es	SDO-Olongapo City	III
51	Potawan, Norhani I.	Nellie E. Brown Es	SDO-Olongapo City	III
52	Pandita, Abdullah A.	Asinan Es	SDO-Olongapo City	III
53	Ansary, Rayan M.	Bagong Buhay B Integrated School	City of San Jose del Monte	III
54	Abdulkarim, Haniyah M.	Muzon Pabahay Elementary School	City of San Jose del Monte	III
55	Ampaso, Aisha S.	Marangal Elementary School	City of San Jose del Monte	III
56	Pamaloy, Norhata M.	San Guillermo NHS	SDO Zambales	III
57	Abdullah, Nasib K.	San Guillermo NHS	SDO Zambales	III



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MEMORANDUM
DM-OULS-2026-114

TO : Regional Directors
Minister, Ministry of Basic, Higher, and Technical Education (MBHTE), Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM)

ATTENTION : Schools Division Superintendents
Regional Testing Coordinators
Regional Madrasah Education Program Coordinators
Division Testing Coordinators
Division Madrasah Education Program Coordinators

Carmela C. Oracion

FROM : **CARMELA C. ORACION**
Assistant Secretary and Officer-in-Charge
Office of the Undersecretary for Learning Systems Strand

SUBJECT : **GUIDELINES ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE QUALIFYING EXAMINATION IN ARABIC LANGUAGE AND ISLAMIC STUDIES (QEALIS) IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 2026**

DATE : March 19, 2026

Pursuant to **DepEd Memorandum No. 007, s. 2026** titled **Administration of the Qualifying Examination in Arabic Language and Islamic Studies (QEALIS) in the First Quarter of 2026**, the following are guidelines shall be observed:

1. The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), will administer the QEALIS on **April 12, 2026**.
2. The updated list of testing centers, along with their respective allocations based on the registration data, is presented in Table 1.

Table 1. Updated List of Testing Centers and Allocation

Region of Origin of Examinees	Testing Center (Schools Division Office)	Allocation
I	San Fernando City	10
II	Isabela	25
Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)	Baguio City	60
III	Pampanga	57

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Region of Origin of Examinees	Testing Center (Schools Division Office)	Allocation
National Capital Region (NCR)	Makati City	137
IV-A	Sta. Rosa City	40
	Cavite City	40
	Rizal	40
IV-B	Palawan	85
	Oriental Mindoro	5
V	Legazpi City	50
VI	Iloilo City	11
VII	Cebu City	70
VIII	Tacloban City	20
NIR	Bacolod City	20
	Dumaguete City	20
IX and BARMM (Basilan and Tawi-Tawi)	Zamboanga City	1,000
	Isabela City	200
	Zamboanga del Norte	80
	Pagadian City	160
	Zamboanga Sibugay	40
X and BARMM (Marawi City and Lanao del Sur)	Iligan City	2,190
	Cagayan De Oro City	200
XI	Davao City	160
XII and BARMM: Cotabato City and Maguindanao I and II	Cotabato Province	260
XII	General Santos City	460
Caraga	Butuan City	50

Note that there has been a change in the testing center in Region I, from SDO Ilocos Sur to SDO San Fernando City.

Registered individuals residing in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao may take the examination at the designated testing centers listed in the table.

3. Each testing center shall only accommodate registrants as indicated in the allocation. The Registration Number indicated in the Registration Form shall serve as the reference for identifying those who will be accommodated. Registered and qualified individuals who cannot be accommodated in the upcoming QEALIS administration shall be given priority in the next administration.

4. Only the qualified registrants listed in Form 1 (Enclosure No. 2 to the DepEd Memorandum No. 007, s. 2026) that the Regional Testing Coordinators (RTCs) *cat*

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submitted to BEA shall be accommodated as examinees. Strictly no walk-in registrants will be accommodated on the examination day.

5. Prior to the test administration, a **virtual orientation** shall be conducted on **March 23, 2026**. This orientation shall be attended by the Regional and Division Madrasah Education Program (MEP) Coordinators, RTCs, Division Testing Coordinators, Supervising Examiners, and Room Examiners. Meeting details will be sent to the Regional MEP Coordinators and RTCs.

6. To ensure the orderly administration of the QEALIS, this issuance reiterates Items 9 and 10 of DepEd Memorandum No. 007, s. 2026:

- (9) The RTCs of the testing centers, in collaboration with the Regional MEP Coordinators, shall release a Regional Memorandum regarding the following details:
 - a. List of qualified registrants;
 - b. Details about the test administration, such as the identified specific venue and examination schedule of qualified registrants; and
 - c. Contact information of the key testing personnel.

The SDOs shall subsequently issue a Division Memorandum in connection with the Regional Memorandum.

- (10) Prior to the test administration, registrants and involved testing personnel shall review the materials accessible through this link: <https://bit.ly/DepEdQEALIS>. The Google Drive folder accessible via the link shall also be used to post the contact details of point persons for activities and announcements related to the examination.

For inquiries or other concerns, please contact the **Bureau of Education Assessment-Education Assessment Division**, Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, through email at bea.ead@deped.gov.ph.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is hereby directed.

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