



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

October 23, 2024

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. **1345** s. 2024

**REQUEST CONFIRMATION OF THE LIST OF REGISTRATION AND  
TESTING CENTERS FOR THE 2025 ACCREDITATION  
AND EQUIVALENCY (A & E) TEST**

To: Schools Division Superintendents  
Division Testing Coordinators  
All Others Concerned

1. In relation to DM-CT-2024-399 dated October 4, 2024, this Office, through the Curriculum and Learning Management Division (CLMD), requests confirmation of the list of registration and testing centers for the 2025 Accreditation and Equivalency Test in January 2025.
2. Enclosed is the guidelines on the registration and template to comply found through <https://bit.ly/2025AandETestRegandCenters>.
3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**EVELYN R. FETALVERO, CESO III**  
Regional Director *h*

Enclosure: As stated

Reference: As stated

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

A & E                      CONFIRMATION                      REGISTRANTS                      TESTING CENTERS

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Enclosure to Regional Memorandum No. **1345**s. 2024

2025 ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM ACCREDITATION AND EQUIVALENCY TEST  
 LIST of RECOMMENDED TESTING CENTERS AND EXPECTED TAKERS

January 2025

Region	Division	TC_CODE	Testing Centers Used in 2018	RECOMMENDED TESTING CENTERS FOR 2025 A & E TEST	EXPECTED NUMBER OF TEST REGISTRANTS		
					Elementary Level	Junior High School	Total
VIII	BAYBAY CITY						
VIII	BILIRAN						
VIII	BORONGAN CITY						
VIII	CALBAYOG CITY						
VIII	CATBALOGAN CITY						
VIII	EASTERN SAMAR						
VIII	LEYTE						
VIII	MAASIN CITY						
VIII	NORTHERN SAMAR						
VIII	ORMOC CITY						
VIII	SAMAR						
VIII	SOUTHERN LEYTE						
VIII	TACLOBAN CITY						



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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

**MEMORANDUM**

**DM-CT-2024-399**

**FOR :** REGIONAL DIRECTORS  
MINISTER, BASIC, HIGHER, AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION,  
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ALS FOCAL PERSONS

**FROM :**   
**GINA O. GONONG** JTD  
Undersecretary for Curriculum and Teaching

**SUBJECT :** REQUEST CONFIRMATION ON THE LIST OF REGISTRATION  
AND TESTING CENTERS FOR THE 2025 ACCREDITATION  
AND EQUIVALENCY (A&E) TEST

**DATE :** October 4, 2024

The Department of Education, through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA), in coordination with the Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE), will administer the Accreditation and Equivalency (A&E) Test in January 2025.

In preparation for this, we kindly request your office's confirmation on whether the same testing centers used in 2018 will also be utilized for the forthcoming A&E Test. For reference, the list of 2018 A&E testing centers can be accessed via this link <https://bit.ly/2025AandETestRegandCenters>.

To finalize the list of testing centers, we would appreciate it if your office could submit the official list of A&E registration and testing centers for 2025 using the attached template by **October 8, 2024**. Please upload both the signed and editable list using the provided link.

For our baseline data, we request that your office also include the projected number of test registrants for both elementary and junior high school levels. This information is important for BEA to determine the number of test materials to be procured.

For other inquiries and concerns, please contact **Mr. Jonathan B. Caracas**, Supervising Education Program Specialist of the Policy and Quality Assurance Division of this Bureau via email at [jonathan.caracas@deped.gov.ph](mailto:jonathan.caracas@deped.gov.ph).

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is requested.



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## ADVISORY

### **GUIDELINES ON THE 2024 ACCREDITATION AND EQUIVALENCY (A&E) TEST REGISTRATION**

The Department of Education (DepEd), through the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA) in coordination with the Bureau of Alternative Education (BAE), announces the registration period for the administration of the 2024 Accreditation and Equivalency (A&E) Test. The guidelines for the test registration are as follows:

#### **A. Registration Period**

1. The registration period relative to A&E Test Administration shall be **on October 21 to December 2, 2024.**
2. A&E Test applicants shall register in the identified Schools Division Offices (SDOs) and designated as registration centers by the Schools Division Superintendent (SDS).

#### **B. Eligibility of Test Registrants and Requirements**

3. The following are eligible to register and take the A&E Test:
  - a. ALS learners enrolled in the Learner Information System (LIS) for SY 2024-2025 on or before October 31, 2024;
  - b. Previous ALS Program Completers not registered in the LIS of the current school year who did not submit or did not meet the minimum required points in the **Presentation Portfolio Assessments (PPA)** BUT underwent additional learning intervention in the ALS K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum (BEC) certified by the ALS Teacher/Community ALS Implementor/Learning Facilitator (See Certification of Portfolio);
  - c. Previous ALS Program Completers not registered in the LIS of the current school year who did not pass the **previous A&E Test** BUT underwent additional learning intervention in the ALS K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum (BEC) certified by the ALS Teacher/Community ALS Implementor/Learning Facilitator (See Certification of Additional Intervention);
  - d. Applicants shall be at least 12 years old for the A&E Elementary Level and at least 16 years old for the A&E Junior High School Level **on or before the examination day.**



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4. The test registrants must submit the following requirements to the Division Testing Coordinator (DTC) or to the designated Registration Testing Officer:
  - a. Original and photocopy of Birth Certificate issued by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) formerly National Statistics Office (NSO);
  - b. If the copy of the Birth Certificate from the PSA/NSO is not available, any of the following documents can be presented:
    - i. Baptismal Certificate;
    - ii. Voter's ID (with picture, signature, and date of birth);
    - iii. Valid Passport;
    - iv. Valid Driver's License; and
    - v. Any legal document bearing the applicant's picture, name, signature, and date of birth (e.g., NBI Clearance, Police Clearance)
  - c. 1x1 identical ID Photo (white background with name tag)
  - d. Certification of Portfolio certified by the ALS Teacher/Community ALS Implementor/Learning Facilitator and endorsed by the Division ALS Focal Person/Education Program Specialist II for ALS (EPSA) (See Certification of Portfolio).
5. Only the registered applicants with complete requirements shall be allowed to take the A&E Test at the testing centers approved by BEA. **No walk-in A&E Test takers shall be accommodated.**

**C. Selection of Testing Personnel for the Test Administration**

6. The SDS, through the Division Testing Coordinator (DTC), shall assign personnel who shall perform the functions listed below. They shall have a Very Satisfactory (VS) performance in the conduct of BEA testing program and should have no records of violations relating to national examination policies.

**During Registration**

- Registration Testing Officer (RTO), co-registrar, and support staff who will manage the registration process and evaluation of applicants' documents

**During the Test Administration**

- Chief Examiners
- Supervising examiners
- Room Examiners

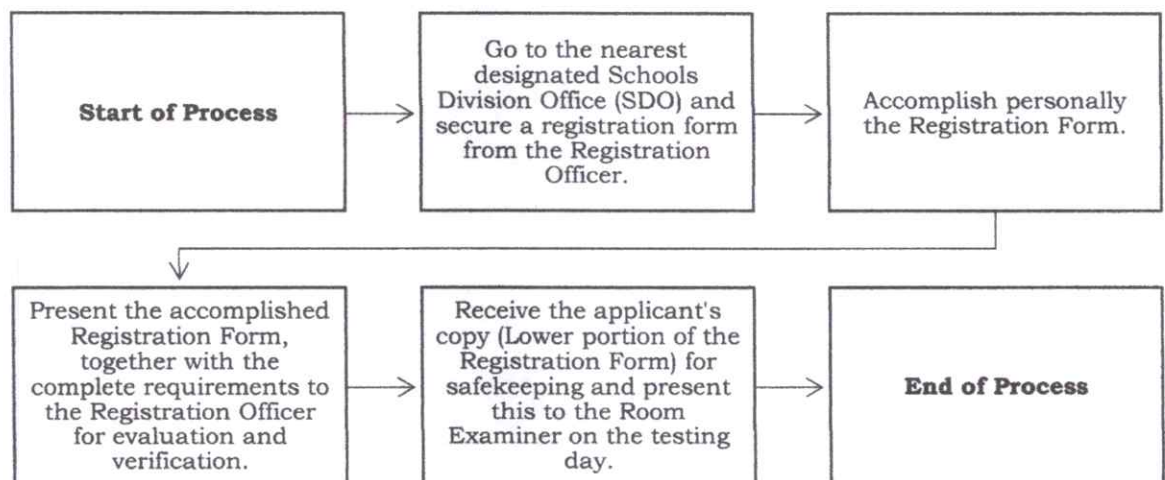


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**D. Registration Process**

7. The following are the steps in the Registration Process:



8. ALS Teacher/Community ALS Implementer/ Learning facilitators may gather applicants from far-flung areas in one assembly and assist them in the registration. They shall secure the accomplished forms and the required documents for submission to the Registration Committee in the SDO.
9. After the evaluation of documents, they shall keep all the applicants' copy to be given to the examinees a day before or on the testing day. This is to avoid misplacement of applicant's copy, which is needed to present on the testing day. Non-DepEd ALS Program Providers may also adapt this procedure to facilitate the registration of their learners.
10. **NO PAYMENT SHALL BE COLLECTED** by anyone involved in the A&E Test Registration, Administration, and issuance of certificate of rating.

**E. Dissemination of Registration Process**

11. Registration Testing Officer (RTO), co-registrar staff, and support staff who will manage the registration process and evaluation of applicants' documents shall disseminate the registration process to the registrants.



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12. All DTCs shall orient the RTOs and ALS Implementers on the registration process and evaluation of applicants' documents. All RTOs are liable to any irregularities on the required age and documents of test applicants.
13. ALS Implementers shall help in the dissemination of information and distribution of registration form.

**F. Testing Center**

14. The DTCs shall prepare the list of testing centers and the total number of examinees per level. A copy of this report in MS Excel format shall be submitted to BEA through email address: [bea.ead@deped.gov.ph](mailto:bea.ead@deped.gov.ph) by the DTC on or before **December 6, 2024**. (See List of Testing Centers)
15. Should there be any changes in the testing centers and total number of examinees per level, an official correspondence (e.g., memorandum/letter) from the Regional Office (RO) shall be sent to the Bureau of Education Assessment (BEA). The said correspondence shall be addressed to:

**KEVIN CARL P. SANTOS, PhD**  
Director IV  
Bureau of Education Assessment

16. For further queries and information, Regional Offices (ROs) and SDOs are requested to coordinate with the **Bureau of Education Assessment - Education Assessment Division (BEA-EAD)** at telefax number **(02) 8631-2589** or email [bea.ead@deped.gov.ph](mailto:bea.ead@deped.gov.ph)
17. Immediate dissemination of this Advisory is desired.

  
**KEVIN CARL P. SANTOS, PhD**  
Director IV  
Bureau of Education Assessment

**Attachments:**

1. A&E Test Registration Form
2. Certification of Portfolio
3. Additional Intervention
4. List of Registrants
5. List of Testing Centers



# A&E Registration Form

A&E Form 1

Copy for Registration Officer

1x1 ID Photo  
with  
Name Tag

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2nd Flr., Bonifacio Bldg., Meralco Ave., Pasig City 1600

## ACCREDITATION AND EQUIVALENCY (A&E) TEST

Registration Form

Write Legibly. Put X on the applicable items.

Registration Date

Last Name

First Name

M.I.

Birth date

Learner Reference Number

Civil Status

Sex

Month Day Year

Home Address

Single

Married

Separated

Male

Female

Region

Division

Learning  
Center

ALS Program Completed (Fts. Specify)

A&E Test Applying for

Elementary Level

Junior High School

Proof of Identity

Contact Number

To be accomplished by the Registration Officer

Name and Address of  
Testing Center

I certify that I validated the information supplied by the  
applicant in this form based on the required  
attachments.

Registration Officer's Signature Over Printed Name

I certify that all information in this form are TRUE and CORRECT.

Applicant's Signature Over Printed Name

Required Attachments

Proof of Identity

ALS Program Certification (if any)

Portfolio Rating Certification

Proof of Birth (NSO, Passport, Any legal Documents)

A&E Form 1

Applicant's Copy

1x1 ID Photo  
with  
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Region

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Applicant's Signature Over Printed Name

Required Attachments

Proof of Identity

ALS Program Certification (if any)

Portfolio Rating Certification

Proof of Birth (NSO, Passport, Any legal Documents)

## Certification of Portfolio



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### CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ with  
(Given Name, Middle Name, Last Name, Extension Name)  
LRN \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ is registered as  
(CLC Name)  
a/an \_\_\_\_\_ in the Learners Information System (LIS) of SY  
Elementary or Junior High School  
\_\_\_\_\_ and has submitted a portfolio containing the following documents:

- a. Personal Information Sheet (PIS)
- b. Functional Literacy Test (FLT)
- c. Assessment Forms 1-2
- d. Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) Forms 1-4
- e. At least four (4) work samples per Learning Strand (each highlighting the specific competency demonstrated)

This certification is issued as one of the requirements for the registration in the 2024 Accreditation and Equivalency Test.

Certified by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
**ALS Teacher/Community ALS Implementor/Learning Facilitator**

Signature over Printed Name

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Endorsed by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Division ALS Focal Person/  
Education Program Specialist II for ALS**

Signature over Printed Name

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Certification of Additional Intervention



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SCHOOLS DIVISION OF \_\_\_\_\_



### CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ with  
(Given Name, Middle Name, Last Name, Extension Name)  
LRN \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ is a/an  
(CLC Name)  
\_\_\_\_\_ ALS PROGRAM COMPLETER in the Learners Information  
Elementary or Junior High School  
System (LIS) of SY \_\_\_\_\_.

He/She underwent additional intervention in the ALS K to 12 Basic Education Curriculum (BEC).

This certification is issued as one of the requirements for the registration in the 2024 Accreditation and Equivalency Test.

Certified by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
**ALS Teacher/Community ALS Implementor/Learning Facilitator**

Signature over Printed Name

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# List of Registrants



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 Region \_\_\_\_\_  
 Division of \_\_\_\_\_



## Accreditation and Equivalency (A&E) Test List of Registrants

Testing Center: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Region & Division Code: \_\_\_\_\_ A&E Test Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Summary of Registrants	
Male	
Female	
<b>Total</b>	

No.	Name	Age	Birthdate (mm/dd/year)	Sex (M/F)	Documents Submitted (Check the appropriate Column)			
					Birth Certificate	Proof of Birthdate	Certificate of Portfolio	Certificate of Additional Intervention
1								
2								
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