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MINISTRI NG EDUKASYON AT KULTURA
(MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE)
Manila

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MEMORANDUM
No. 148, s. 1979

1980 STATE SCHOLARSHIP, NATIONAL INTEGRATION STUDY GRANT
AND NON-MUSLIM EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE TESTS

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Chiefs of Services and Heads of Units
Presidents, State Colleges and Universities
School Superintendents
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges and Universities

1. The screening and test schedule of candidates for the State Scholarship Test (SST), the National Integration Study Grant Test (NISGT), and the Non-Muslim Educational Assistance Test (N-NEAT) for school year 1980-1981 to be administered by the National Scholarship Center, this Ministry, are hereby announced as follows:

a. Screening

Publicity period July 2 -
September 3, 1979

Start of screening and selection
of qualified applicants by High
School Screening Committees August 6, 1979

Deadline for the submission of the
lists of applicants recommended by
the High School Screening Committees
to the Division Screening Committees September 7, 1979

Deadline for the submission of Con-
solidated lists/reports duly certified
by the school superintendents to the
National Scholarship Center, fur-
nishing the Regional Office copies
thereof October 31, 1979

b. Administration of:

State Scholarship Test and Non-Muslim Educational Assistance Test (Elementary Graduates) January 26, 1980

National Integration Study Grant Test and Non-Muslim Educational Assistance Test (Secondary graduates) January 27, 1980

2. In the selection of the applicants for any of the scholarships/ study grants which are open to students coming from public, private, vocational, barrio or barangay schools, the following guidelines should be observed:

a. As to Qualifications

(1) For the State Scholarship Test

- (a) He must be among the first ten of the graduating class in which he is enrolled as regular fourth year student at the time the scholarship test is given;
- (b) He shall be considered "poor" which means that the annual gross income of his parents does not exceed P12,000 per annum, as evidenced by a certified true copy of the 1978 Income Tax Return;
- (c) He must be in good health, of excellent moral character and unquestionable integrity; and
- (d) He must be a natural born citizen of the Philippines and shall not be more than 21 years of age at the time of his selection as a scholar.

(2) For the National Integration Study Grant Test

- (a) He must be a bonafide member of any of the national cultural communities;
- (b) His parents' annual gross income does not exceed P12,000 as determined by a certified true copy of the 1978 Income Tax Return;
- (c) He must be graduating from high school or has already graduated but with no units earned in college and must belong to the upper 15 percent of the graduating class excluding students from the non-cultural communities;

- (d) He must be physically fit and of good moral character; and
- (e) He must not be over 25 years old at the time of his selection as a grantee.

(3) For the Non-Muslim Educational Assistance Test (Secondary Graduates)

- (a) He must be a bonafide member of any of the recognized "Hill" tribes;
- (b) The applicant must meet also the same qualifications as enumerated in items b, c, d, and e for the National Integration Study Grant Test.

(4) For the Non-Muslim Educational Assistance Test (Elementary Graduates)

- (a) He must meet the same qualifications as that for the N-MEAT (Secondary Graduates) except that he must belong to the top 15 percent of the graduating elementary class non-cultural community students excluded; or be an elementary graduate provided he has not as yet earned any high school unit.

b. As to the composition of Screening Committee:

(1) Local High School Screening Committee

- Chairman - Principal/Director/Head of School
- Members - Teacher adviser, Senior Class Organization
- Teacher adviser, Junior Class Organization
- School Guidance Counselor

(2) Division (Provincial/City) Screening Committee

- Chairman - Provincial/City Schools Superintendent
- Co-Chairman - Vocational Schools Superintendent and President of State Colleges and Universities
- Members - Provincial Governor/City Mayor or his authorized representative
- Provincial/City Treasurer or his authorized representative
- President of Provincial/City Federation of PTA
- Division Guidance Counselor

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(3) Screening Committee for the K-MEAT (Elementary Grades)

- Chairman - District Supervisor
- Members - Principal of the Elementary Schools
 - Teacher Adviser Grade VI Class
 - School Counselor/Coordinator
 - Brangay Captain

3 Other requirements, guidelines and details are hereby prescribed

- a. A certified true copy of the 1978 BIR Income Tax Return must be attached to the application form which should be duly notarized and signed by all concerned and submitted to the National Scholarship Center through the examiner during the administration of the test
- b. An examination fee of two pesos (P2.00) shall be charged every qualified applicant who shall be issued a copy of the Application Form/Test Permit only upon payment of the said application fee
- c. The amount representing the fees paid by the qualified applicants shall be submitted by the Division Office to the National Scholarship Center, in cash or postal money order, on or before October 31, 1979, together with the list of applicants for each test. The list of applicants for each test shall be submitted following the attached sample form furnishing the regional office a copy thereof
- d. Proceeds from such fees shall be disbursed accordingly as compensation for services of test proctors, coordinators, custodial workers and miscellaneous expenses
- e. The test centers used in the 1979 scholarship/study grant tests will be the same test centers to be utilized in the 1980 SST NISCT and K-MEAT
- f. Examiners from the Central Office will be sent to the field to conduct the test and give a briefing to test proctors and coordinators a day before the administration of the examination

4. To forestall any further complaint, the screening committees are requested to strictly follow the guidelines set for the income requirement of the applicants' parents and the applicants not having earned college or high school units

5. It is desired that district supervisors, school principals, and other information agencies cooperate in the dissemination of this information, in meetings, seminars, conferences, publications or other instances.

(SGD.) JUAN L. MANUEL
Minister of Education and Culture

Incls.:

as stated

Reference:

MEC Memorandum: No. 211, s. 1978

Allotment: 1-2-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

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

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LIST OF APPLICANTS FOR THE 1960
NATIONAL INTEGRATION STUDY GRANT TEST (NIGST)

NAME OF EXAMINEE	APPLICATION FORM NO.	SEX	NAME OF SCHOOL	WRITE MEMBERSHIP
Dancel, Lynn	10100	F	Texas High Sch.	None

This is to certify that the above-listed applicants have been screened and approved in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the National Integration Study Grant Program (NIGSP).

Date

Provincial/City Schools Supt.

Copy furnished:
The Regional Director

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(Inclosure No. 4 to MEC Memorandum No. 412, s. 1973)

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LIST OF APPLICANTS FOR 1980
ECONOMIC EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
COLLEGE LEVEL

NAME OF APPLICANT	REGISTRATION NO.	NAME OF COLLEGE	TRIBE
Garcia, Juan	2034	St. Vincent's ACADEMY	Luaya

This is to certify that the above listed applicants have been screened and approved in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the continuation educational assistance program.

Date Provincial/City Schools Supt.

Copy furnished:
The Regional Director

