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MEC M E M O R A N D U M  
No. 208, s. 1980

NATIONAL SEMINAR-WORKSHOP ON CURRICULUM AND TESTING

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors

1. A National Seminar-Workshop on Curriculum and Testing will be conducted by the Bureau of Elementary Education at the BEE Monitoring Room and Covelandia, Binakayan, Kawit, Cavite on November 13-21, 1980.
2. The objective of the seminar-workshop is to work out, prior to the signing of the loan agreement, the requirements for the proposed sector loan for elementary education (PRODED). Specifically, the participants are expected to:
  - a. develop a simplified core curriculum that will strengthen the elementary sector;
  - b. acquire skills in developing tests and interpreting test results necessary for more effective monitoring and evaluation of PRODED sector projects; and
  - c. improve their management capability for PRODED implementation.
3. The participants in the seminar will include the chiefs of the elementary education divisions of the thirteen (13) MEC Regional Offices and selected personnel from the Bureau of Elementary Education.
4. Mr. J. Ratnaike, UNESCO Educational Adviser, will be the guest consultant in the Seminar-Workshop.
5. All expenses incident to the attendance of the participants to this seminar-workshop shall be charged against the funds for programs and projects of the Bureau of Elementary Education, subject to the usual auditing and accounting rules and regulations.
6. Attached is the tentative program of activities.
7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum to all concerned is desired.

(SGD.) ONOFRE D. CORPUZ  
Minister of Education and Culture

Incl.:

As stated

Reference:

N o n e

Allotment: 1--(D.O. 1-76)

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

- Course of Study, ELEMENTARY
- OFFICIALS
- SEMINARS
- WORKSHOPS

(Inclosure to MEC Memorandum No. 201, s. 1960)

TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Pre-Seminar Orientation: Monitoring Room, BEE

November 13, Thursday

8:00 - 8:30 - Registration  
8:30 - 8:45 - Warming Up  
8:45 - 10:00 - Overview and Presentation:  
A Core Curriculum Model  
10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K  
10:30 - 12:00 - Reaction Session  
12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K  
1:30 - 3:00 - Reaction Session (Cont.)  
3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K  
3:30 - 5:00 - Synthesis

November 14, Friday

8:00 - 8:15 - Warming Up  
8:15 - 10:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
Types of Tests  
10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K  
10:30 - 12:00 - Practicum  
12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K  
1:30 - 3:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
Principles of Test Construction  
3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K  
3:30 - 5:00 - Practicum

Seminar-Workshop: Covelandia, Binakayan, Kawit, Cavite

November 16, Sunday

1:00 - 2:00 - Assembly at MEC  
2:00 - 3:00 - Travel to Covelandia  
3:00 - 5:00 - Registration  
5:00 - 7:00 - S U P P E R  
7:00 - 8:00 - Pre-conference orientation  
8:00 - 10:00 - Fellowship Hour

November 17, Monday

8:00 - 10:00 - Opening Program  
- Doxology  
- Pambansang Awit  
- Welcome Talk  
- Keynote Speech  
10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K  
10:30 - 12:00 - Report on Mission and Values Thrust  
12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K  
1:30 - 3:00 - Report on Mission and Values Thrust (Cont.)  
3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K  
3:30 - 5:00 - Open Forum

November 18, Tuesday

- 8:00 - 10:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
The Objective Test  
- Presentation of Sample Objectives/  
Type Test Items
- 10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K
- 10:30 - 12:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
Principles of Construction of Objective Tests
- 12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K
- 1:30 - 3:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
Principles of Tests Construction (cont.)
- 3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K
- 3:30 - 5:00 - Practicum in Writing Objective Test Items

November 19, Wednesday

- 8:00 - 10:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
Development of Rating Scales,  
Inventories and Performance Tests
- 10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K
- 10:30 - 12:00 - Practicum
- 12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K
- 1:30 - 3:00 - Group Sessions -  
Constructing Objective Test  
Items by Subject Areas
- 3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K
- 3:30 - 5:00 - Group Sessions (cont.)

November 20, Thursday

- 8:00 - 10:00 - Lecture - Demonstration:  
Item Analysis and Test Revision
- 10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K
- 10:30 - 12:00 - Practicum
- 12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K
- 1:30 - 3:00 - Group Sessions -  
Analysis of Test Results  
Revision of Test Items
- 3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K
- 3:30 - 5:00 - Group Sessions (cont.)

November 21, Friday

- 8:00 - 10:00 - Presentation of Test Items  
- Group Evaluation
- 10:00 - 10:30 - B R E A K
- 10:30 - 12:00 - Revision of Test Items
- 12:00 - 1:30 - N O O N B R E A K
- 1:30 - 3:00 - Clearing House
- 3:00 - 3:30 - B R E A K
- 3:30 - 5:00 - Closing Program

HOME SWEET HOME