

Republic of the Philippines Department of Education



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ADMINISTRATION OF THE PHILIPPINE INFORMAL READING INVENTORY (PHIL-IRI) POSTTEST

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Elementary Schools

- 1. In line with DepED Memorandum No. 324, s. 2004 "Administration of the Philippine Informal Reading Inventory (Phil-IRI)", the Phil-IRI pretest oral reading was conducted in all schools in July-August 2004. The Bureau of Elementary Education (BEE) distributed a complete set of Phil-IRI materials for the pretest to all regions and divisions in July of same year. Reproduction, distribution and administration of said materials to all schools was the responsibility of the regions and divisions using local funds.
- 2. Part of the Phil-IRI is the administration of the posttest on the last two weeks of March 2005. All regions and divisions will be provided a set of Phil-IRI materials composed of the Testing Manual, Forms, Teacher's Copy and Assessment Tools for Pupils described in the enclosure. The regions and divisions will reproduce, distribute and administer the materials to all schools using local funds.
- 3. The Phil-IRI posttest shall be kept with utmost confidentiality and thus should not in any way be posted or exposed to pupils to maintain reliability and validity until the appropriate time of administration.
- 4. Education supervisors and principals are expected to orient/reorient teachers on the proper conduct, recording of results in appropriate forms for the Phil-IRI and analysis of data.
- 5. All reports on the conduct of the Phil-IRI are expected to be submitted to the office indicated in the forms not later than April 15, 2005.
- 6. For more information, please contact Dr. Chona Castaño, Chief, Staff Development Division, Bureau of Elementary Education (SDD-BEE), DepED Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City with telefax nos. (02) 687-2948; (02) 632-1361 local 2058.
- 7. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

FLORENCIO B. ABAD Secretary

THE PHILIPPINE INFORMAL READING INVENTORY MATERIALS

The Philippine Informal Reading Inventory (Phil-IRI) materials consist of the following:

I. Testing Manual

This part discusses the administration of the Phil-IRI in detail. It includes the description of the following: objectives, the teachers' preparatory activities, the graded word list and the passage. The testing manual serves as a guide to teachers, principals, supervisors or test administrator designated by the principal. The testing manual shall be studied carefully before administering the Phil-IRI graded passages.

II. Forms

This part contains the following forms:

Name of Forms	Who Will Administer	Where to Submit
1. Phil-IRI Form 1 (Individual Summary Record)	Teacher/Test Administrator	Teacher's File
2. Phil-IRI Form 2	Teacher/Test Administrator	School
(Class Reading Profile)		
3. Phil-IRI Form 3	Principal	Division
(School Reading Profile)		
4. Phil-IRI Form 4	Division English Supervisor	Region
(Division Reading Profile)		
5. Phil-IRI Form 5	Regional English Supervisor	BEE Central Office
(Regional Reading Profile)		

III. Teacher's Copy

This part consists of the graded word list for placement and passages from Pre-Primer (P-P) to Second Year (Y-II). The teacher/test administrator holds this copy for marking the scores of the individual pupil during the administration. The scores should be transferred to each pupil's Phil-IRI Form 1 - Individual Summary Record.

IV. Assessment Tools For Pupils

This part consists of the graded word list for placement and passages from Pre-Primer (P-P) to Second Year (Y-II). The pupil holds this copy while reading.

Encl.:

As stated

Reference:

DepED Memorandum: (No. 324, s. 2004)

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

To be indicated in the <u>Perpetual Index</u> under the following subjects:

REPORTS TEACHERS TESTS

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