



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
Bids and Awards Committee II

SUBJECT	:	<b>BID BULLETIN NO. 2</b>
PROJECT	:	<b>Procurement of Development, Printing, and Delivery of Textbooks and Teacher’s Manuals and Provision of Electronic Textbooks and Teacher’s Manuals for Grades 2, 5, and 8 (Early Procurement)</b>
PROJECT NO.	:	<b>2025-BLR2(001)-BII-CB-003</b>
DATE	:	<b>November 13, 2024</b>

This Bid Bulletin is hereby issued for the information and guidance of all prospective bidders and shall form an integral part of the bidding documents issued earlier for the above project.

**I. Section V. Special Conditions of Contract:**

- **GCC Clause 1 on pages 57 to 58, of the bidding documents, is hereby amended, viz:**

Original Provision	Provision as Amended
<p><b>Development</b></p> <p>The development of textbooks (TXs) and teacher’s manuals (TMs) shall be in accordance with the provision of DepEd Order (DO) 025 s. 2023 and Announcement for the development TXs and TMs for Grades 2, 5, and 8 that may be seen in the link: <a href="https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMs">https://bit.ly/Procurement TXsTMs</a>, attached as Annex “D”.</p>	<p><b><u>Development</u></b></p> <p><b><u>The development of textbooks (TXs) and teacher’s manuals (TMs) shall be in accordance with the provision of DepEd Order (DO) 025 s. 2023 and Announcement for the development TXs and TMs for Grades 2, 5, and 8 that may be seen in the link: <a href="https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMS_258">https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMS_258</a>, attached as Annex “A”.</u></b></p>
<p><b>Pre-delivery Inspection</b></p> <p>There shall only be a maximum of three (3) PDIs to be made, with a minimum of at least 35% for the 1st PDI and at least additional 35% for the 2nd PDI, and the remaining quantity/percentage for the last PDI.</p>	<p><b><u>Pre-delivery Inspection</u></b></p> <p><b><u>There shall only be a maximum of four (4) PDIs to be made, with a minimum of at least 25% for the 1st PDI, at least additional 25% for the 2<sup>nd</sup> PDI, at least additional 25% for the 3<sup>rd</sup> PDI, and the remaining quantity/percentage for the last PDI.</u></b></p>

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- **GCC Clause 2.2 on page 62, of the bidding documents, is hereby amended, viz:**

Original Provision	Provision as Amended
<p>Schedule of Payment</p> <p>Progress payments shall be paid to the Suppliers on the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The first progress payment shall be paid upon delivery and acceptance of at least thirty-five percent (35%) of the quantity of Goods subject to the total Quantity of Goods;</li> <li>• The second progress payment shall be paid upon delivery and acceptance of at least another thirty-five (35%) or at least seventy percent (70%) of the total quantity of Goods; and</li> <li>• The final payment shall be paid upon full delivery and acceptance of all the remaining quantity of Goods.</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Schedule of Payment</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Progress payments shall be paid to the Suppliers on the following conditions:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>The first progress payment shall be paid upon delivery and acceptance of at least twenty-five percent (25%) of the quantity of Goods subject to the total Quantity of Goods;</u></b></li> <li>• <b><u>The second progress payment shall be paid upon delivery and acceptance of at least another twenty-five percent (25%) of the total quantity of Goods;</u></b></li> <li>• <b><u>The third progress payment shall be paid upon delivery and acceptance of at least twenty-five percent (25%) of the total quantity of Goods; and</u></b></li> <li>• <b><u>The fourth final payment shall be paid upon full delivery and acceptance of all the remaining quantity of Goods.</u></b></li> </ul>

**II. Section VII. Technical Specifications:**

- **Revised General Specifications, this supersedes Item No. 5 of the Bid Bulletin No. 1, viz:**

Original Provision	Provision as Amended
<p>The Bidder shall submit the following:</p>	<p><b><u>The Bidder shall submit the following:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>1. One (1) set or eight (8) copies of TX and TM without identifying marks (e.g., name of author/s, publishers, printers, etc.) on the front cover,</u></b></p>

<p>1. One (1) set or Eight (8) copies per lot must be submitted.</p> <p>However, if bidder is bidding for more than one (1) lot of the same TXs and TMs of the same Grade Level, only one (1) set may be submitted; and</p> <p>2. Six (6) copies of the duly accomplished TXs and TMs Curriculum Matrix.</p>	<p><u>spine, back cover, logo, text, address, copyright page, title page, and other pages. The front cover page is plain white, showing only the grade level and learning area in black using Arial, Times New Roman, or Century Gothic type font and less than 60 points. The back cover is plain white.</u></p> <p><u>2. One (1) complete and final copy of the TX and TM with cover art and complete details/elements and identifying marks for front and back covers and spine identifying marks for front and back covers and spine as shown in Attachment B, submitted in an envelope. The envelope must have a label indicating the grade level, learning area, bidder, and publisher's name.</u></p> <p><u>3. Six (6) copies of the duly accomplished TXs and TMs Curriculum Matrix.</u></p>
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- Attached, as Annex “B”, is the Revised Detailed Technical Specifications

III. Attached, as Annex “C”, is the Revised Amended Announcement for the Development, Printing, and Delivery of Textbooks and Teacher's Manuals for Grades 2, 5, and 8

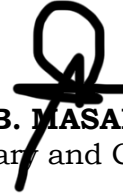
IV. Revised Description, of the bidding documents, is hereby amended, viz:

Original Provision	Provision as Amended
1. Region CAR	<u>1. CAR</u>
2. Region NCR	<u>2. NCR</u>
3. Region Caraga	<u>3. Caraga Region</u>

- Note: Revision will be followed in Section I. Invitation to Bid, Section III. Bid Data Sheet ITB Clause 14.1 and ITB Clause 19.3, and Section VI. Schedule of Requirements

All other provisions not herein modified shall remain in full force and effect.  
For your information and guidance.

**FOR THE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE II:**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Masapol', is written over the printed name.

**ROGER B. MASAPOL**  
Assistant Secretary and Chairperson

## **Annex “A”**

Evaluation Tool for TXs and TMs

[https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMS\\_258](https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMS_258)

**Annex “B”**

Lot No.	Description	DETAILED TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS									STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE (State Comply or Not Comply)	BIDDER'S ACTUAL OFFER																									
		No. of Pages		Total Quantity		Book Size	Paper Requirement		Colors				Binding																								
		TXs	TMs	TXs	TMs		Cover	Inside Pages	Cover	Inside Pages																											
<b>Grade 2 – English TXs and TMs</b>																																					
1	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	31,326	1,679	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																										
	Region IV-A			309,250	8,383																																
	Region XI			113,904	3,255																																
2	Region I	320	304	90,108	2,930									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																		
	Region IV-B			74,641	2,383																																
	Region X			110,435	3,398																																
3	Region III	320	304	232,364	6,190																	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding										
	Region V			142,928	4,297																																
	Region IX			90,306	2,971																																
4	<b>NCR</b>	320	304	202,238	5,530																									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region VIII			101,340	4,197																																
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			63,944	2,168																																
5	Region II	320	304	69,182	2,522	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																										
	Region VI			156,725	4,897																																
	Region VII			168,180	4,984																																
	Region XII			96,173	2,740																																
<b>Grade 2 – Filipino TXs and TMs</b>																																					
6	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	31,326	1,679									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																		
	Region IV-A			309,250	8,383																																
	Region XI			113,904	3,255																																

7	Region I	320	304	90,108	2,930	236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	Side UV Coating or better																		
	Region IV-B			74,641	2,383																					
	Region X			110,435	3,398																					
8	Region III	320	304	232,364	6,190								Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance												
	Region V			142,928	4,297																					
	Region IX			90,306	2,971																					
9	<b><u>NCR</u></b>	320	304	202,238	5,530														8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	4/1 color	With 1 Side UV Coating or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region VIII			101,340	4,197																					
	<b><u>Caraga Region</u></b>			63,944	2,168																					
10	Region II	320	304	69,182	2,522																					Uncoated text paper or better
	Region VI			156,725	4,897																					
	Region VII			168,180	4,984																					
	Region XII			96,173	2,740																					
<b>Grade 2 - Mathematics TXs and TMs</b>																										
11	<b><u>CAR</u></b>	304	288	31,326	1,679	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	4/1 color	With 1 Side UV Coating or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding															
	Region IV-A			309,250	8,383																					
	Region XI			113,904	3,255																					
12	Region I	304	288	90,108	2,930								Uncoated text paper or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance												
	Region IV-B			74,641	2,383																					
	Region X			110,435	3,398																					
13	Region III	304	288	232,364	6,190															Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance					
	Region V			142,928	4,297																					
	Region IX			90,306	2,971																					
14	<b><u>NCR</u></b>	304	288	202,238	5,530																					
	Region VIII			101,340	4,197																					
	<b><u>Caraga Region</u></b>			63,944	2,168																					
15	Region II	304	288	69,182	2,522	Uncoated text paper or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance																			
	Region VI			156,725	4,897																					
	Region VII			168,180	4,984																					
	Region XII			96,173	2,740																					

Grade 2 – GMRC TXs and TMs																															
16	<b>CAR</b>	224	208	31,326	1,679	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																				
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17	Region I	224	208	90,108	2,930							8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding														
	Region IV-B			74,641	2,383																										
	Region X			110,435	3,398																										
18	Region III	224	208	232,364	6,190													8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding								
	Region V			142,928	4,297																										
	Region IX			90,306	2,971																										
19	<b>NCR</b>	224	208	202,238	5,530																			8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region VIII			101,340	4,197																										
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			63,944	2,168																										
20	Region II	224	208	69,182	2,522																									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better
	Region VI			156,725	4,897																										
	Region VII			168,180	4,984																										
	Region XII			96,173	2,740																										
Grade 2 – Makabansa TXs and TMs																															
21	<b>CAR</b>	240	208	31,326	1,679	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																				
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	Region V			142,928	4,297																										
	Region IX			90,306	2,971																										
24	<b>NCR</b>	240	208	202,238	5,530																			8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region VIII			101,340	4,197																										
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			63,944	2,168																										



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	Region XII			96,173	2,740																																	
<b>Grade 5 - English TXs and TMs</b>																																						
26	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	37,046	1,468	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																											
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27	Region I	320	304	108,508	2,439									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding																			
	Region IV-B			79,917	1,953																																	
	Region X			117,896	2,352																																	
28	Region III	320	304	249,262	3,558																	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding											
	Region V			150,735	3,313																																	
	Region IX			91,888	2,249																																	
29	<b>NCR</b>	320	304	198,314	1,984																									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding			
	Region VIII			111,085	3,642																																	
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			70,712	1,746																																	
30	Region II	320	304	82,193	2,168																																	8.25" x 10.75"
	Region VI			171,183	3,425																																	
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<b>Grade 5 - Mathematics TXs and TMs</b>																					
36	<b><u>CAR</u></b>	304	288	37,046	1,468									8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
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43	Region III	240	208	249,262	3,558			Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance														
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<b>Grade 5 – Araling Panlipunan TXs and TMs</b>																						
46	<b><i>CAR</i></b>	224	208	37,046	1,468	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding										
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	Region VIII			111,085	3,642																	
	<b><i>Caraga Region</i></b>			70,712	1,746																	
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	Region VI			171,183	3,425																	
	Region VII			172,633	3,234																	
	Region XII			105,113	1,938																	

Grade 5 – Science TXs and TMs																																					
51	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	37,046	1,468	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	with a minim um of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding																										
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Grade 5 – Music & Arts TXs and TMs																																					
56	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	37,046	1,468	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	with a minim um of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding																										
	Region IV-A			320,794	4,076																																
	Region XI			116,917	2,042																																
57	Region I	320	304	108,508	2,439							8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	with a minim um of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding																				
	Region IV-B			79,917	1,953																																
	Region X			117,896	2,352																																
58	Region III	320	304	249,262	3,558													8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	with a minim um of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding														
	Region V			150,735	3,313																																
	Region IX			91,888	2,249																																
59	<b>NCR</b>	320	304	198,314	1,984																			8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	with a minim um of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding								
	Region VIII			111,085	3,642																																
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			70,712	1,746																																

60	Region II	320	304	82,193	2,168			tolerance						
	Region VI			171,183	3,425									
	Region VII			172,633	3,234									
	Region XII			105,113	1,938									
<b>Grade 5 - PE &amp; Health TXs and TMs</b>														
61	<b>CAR</b>	304	288	37,046	1,468	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding			
	Region IV-A			320,794	4,076									
	Region XI			116,917	2,042									
62	Region I	304	288	108,508	2,439									
	Region IV-B			79,917	1,953									
	Region X			117,896	2,352									
63	Region III	304	288	249,262	3,558									
	Region V			150,735	3,313									
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64	<b>NCR</b>	304	288	198,314	1,984									
	Region VIII			111,085	3,642									
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			70,712	1,746									
65	Region II	304	288	82,193	2,168									
	Region VI			171,183	3,425									
	Region VII			172,633	3,234									
	Region XII			105,113	1,938									
<b>Grade 5 - EPP TXs and TMs</b>														
66	<b>CAR</b>	224	216	37,046	1,468	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding			
	Region IV-A			320,794	4,076									
	Region XI			116,917	2,042									
67	Region I	224	216	108,508	2,439									
	Region IV-B			79,917	1,953									
	Region X			117,896	2,352									
68	Region III	224	216	249,262	3,558									
	Region V			150,735	3,313									

	Region IX			91,888	2,249			-3% tolerance					
69	<b><u>NCR</u></b>	224	216	198,314	1,984			Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance					
	Region VIII			111,085	3,642								
	<b><u>Caraga Region</u></b>			70,712	1,746								
70	Region II	224	216	82,193	2,168								
	Region VI			171,183	3,425								
	Region VII			172,633	3,234								
	Region XII			105,113	1,938								
<b>Grade 8 – English TXs and TMs</b>													
71	<b><u>CAR</u></b>	320	304	26,360	388			Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763								
	Region XI			94,731	895								
72	Region I	320	304	84,423	781			Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coating or better				
	Region IV-B			60,650	593								
	Region X			82,376	830								
73	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance					
	Region V			118,624	1,017								
	Region IX			67,910	646								
74	<b><u>NCR</u></b>	320	304	175,783	1,177			Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance					
	Region VIII			84,701	782								
	<b><u>Caraga Region</u></b>			52,229	569								
75	Region II	320	304	60,744	589								
	Region VI			140,140	1,225								
	Region VII			137,382	1,275								
	Region XII			79,263	838								
<b>Grade 8 – Filipino TXs and TMs</b>													
76	<b><u>CAR</u></b>	320	304	26,360	388	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763								
	Region XI			94,731	895								
77	Region I	320	304	84,423	781			Basis weight: 70	With 1 Side UV				

	Region IV-B			60,650	593			gsm with -3% tolerance	Coatin g or better				
	Region X			82,376	830								
78	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442			Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance					
	Region V			118,624	1,017								
	Region IX			67,910	646								
79	<b><i>NCR</i></b>	320	304	175,783	1,177			Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance					
	Region VIII			84,701	782								
	<b><i>Caraga Region</i></b>			52,229	569								
80	Region II	320	304	60,744	589								
	Region VI			140,140	1,225								
	Region VII			137,382	1,275								
	Region XII			79,263	838								
<b>Grade 8 – Mathematics TXs and TMs</b>													
81	<b><i>CAR</i></b>	320	304	26,360	388								
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763								
	Region XI			94,731	895								
82	Region I	320	304	84,423	781			Uncoated text paper or better					
	Region IV-B			60,650	593								
	Region X			82,376	830								
83	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442			Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	4/1 color				
	Region V			118,624	1,017								
	Region IX			67,910	646								
84	<b><i>NCR</i></b>	320	304	175,783	1,177			Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region VIII			84,701	782								
	<b><i>Caraga Region</i></b>			52,229	569								
85	Region II	320	304	60,744	589			Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance					
	Region VI			140,140	1,225								
	Region VII			137,382	1,275								
	Region XII			79,263	838								

Grade 8 – Values Education TXs and TMs																									
86	<b>CAR</b>	320	208	26,360	388	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding														
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763																				
	Region XI			94,731	895																				
87	Region I	320	208	84,423	781							8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding								
	Region IV-B			60,650	593																				
	Region X			82,376	830																				
88	Region III	320	208	189,047	1,442													8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region V			118,624	1,017																				
	Region IX			67,910	646																				
89	<b>NCR</b>	320	208	175,783	1,177																			8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better
	Region VIII			84,701	782																				
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			52,229	569																				
90	Region II	320	208	60,744	589	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding														
	Region VI			140,140	1,225																				
	Region VII			137,382	1,275																				
	Region XII			79,263	838																				
Grade 8 – Araling Panlipunan TXs and TMs																									
91	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	26,360	388							8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding								
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763																				
	Region XI			94,731	895																				
92	Region I	320	304	84,423	781													8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	1/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region IV-B			60,650	593																				
	Region X			82,376	830																				
93	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coatin g or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding														
	Region V			118,624	1,017																				
	Region IX			67,910	646																				
94	<b>NCR</b>	320	304	175,783	1,177																			8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better
	Region VIII			84,701	782																				
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			52,229	569																				



95	Region II	320	304	60,744	589			tolerance						
	Region VI			140,140	1,225									
	Region VII			137,382	1,275									
	Region XII			79,263	838									
<b>Grade 8 – Science TXs and TMs</b>														
96	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	26,360	388	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	with a minimum of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding			
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763									
	Region XI			94,731	895									
97	Region I	320	304	84,423	781									
	Region IV-B			60,650	593									
	Region X			82,376	830									
98	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442									
	Region V			118,624	1,017									
	Region IX			67,910	646									
99	<b>NCR</b>	320	304	175,783	1,177									
	Region VIII			84,701	782									
	<b>Caraga Region</b>			52,229	569									
100	Region II	320	304	60,744	589									
	Region VI			140,140	1,225									
	Region VII			137,382	1,275									
	Region XII			79,263	838									
<b>Grade 8 – Music &amp; Arts TXs and TMs</b>														
101	<b>CAR</b>	320	304	26,360	388	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	with a minimum of 24 colored pages for images related to content ; the	Perfect binding			
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763									
	Region XI			94,731	895									
102	Region I	320	304	84,423	781									
	Region IV-B			60,650	593									
	Region X			82,376	830									
103	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442									
	Region V			118,624	1,017									

	Region IX			67,910	646			-3% tolerance		rest is 1/1 color																	
104	<b><u>NCR</u></b>	320	304	175,783	1,177	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	Perfect binding																	
	Region VIII			84,701	782																						
	<b><u>Caraga Region</u></b>			52,229	569																						
105	Region II	320	304	60,744	589																						
	Region VI			140,140	1,225																						
	Region VII			137,382	1,275																						
	Region XII			79,263	838																						
<b>Grade 8 - PE &amp; Health TXs and TMs</b>																											
106	<b><u>CAR</u></b>	320	304	26,360	388						8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	Perfect binding												
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763																						
	Region XI			94,731	895																						
107	Region I	320	304	84,423	781	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance	With 1 Side UV Coating or better	Perfect binding																	
	Region IV-B			60,650	593																						
	Region X			82,376	830																						
108	Region III	320	304	189,047	1,442											8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance	1/1 color	Perfect binding							
	Region V			118,624	1,017																						
	Region IX			67,910	646																						
109	<b><u>NCR</u></b>	320	304	175,783	1,177																8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	4/1 color	Perfect binding		
	Region VIII			84,701	782																						
	<b><u>Caraga Region</u></b>			52,229	569																						
110	Region II	320	304	60,744	589						8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	Perfect binding												
	Region VI			140,140	1,225																						
	Region VII			137,382	1,275																						
	Region XII			79,263	838																						
<b>Grade 8 - TLE TXs and TMs</b>																											
111	<b><u>CAR</u></b>	240	232	26,360	388	8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better	4/1 color	Perfect binding																	
	Region IV-A			243,364	1,763																						
	Region XI			94,731	895																						
112	Region I	240	232	84,423	781											8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Basis weight: 70	With 1 Side UV	1/1 color	Perfect binding						

	Region IV-B			60,650	593			gsm with -3% tolerance	Coatin g or better				
	Region X			82,376	830								
113	Region III	240	232	189,047	1,442			Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance					
	Region V			118,624	1,017								
	Region IX			67,910	646								
114	<b><i>NCR</i></b>	240	232	175,783	1,177			Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance					
	Region VIII			84,701	782								
	<b><i>Caraga Region</i></b>			52,229	569								
115	Region II	240	232	60,744	589								
	Region VI			140,140	1,225								
	Region VII			137,382	1,275								
	Region XII			79,263	838								



Republic of the Philippines
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OFFICE OF THE UNDERSECRETARY FOR CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

AMENDED ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, PRINTING, AND DELIVERY OF TEXTBOOKS AND TEACHER'S MANUALS FOR GRADES 2, 5, AND 8

The Department of Education (DepEd), by virtue of Republic Act (RA) No. 9155 or the Governance of Basic Education Act of 2001, has authority, accountability, and responsibility for ensuring access to, promoting equity in, and improving the quality of basic education.

Hence, the State must ensure the provision of quality textbooks (TXs) for all learners and teacher's manuals (TMs) for teachers. To fulfill this mandate, DepEd is expected to set standards in the provision and selection of textbooks.

Aligned with the MATATAG agenda of taking steps to accelerate the delivery of basic education facilities and services, DepEd intends to procure the set of LRs for Grades 2, 5, and 8 for the second phase of MATATAG K to 10 Curriculum implementation through early procurement activity (EPA) within the 4th Quarter of 2024 for delivery to identified sites on or before the opening of the school year 2025-2026.

Publishers are enjoined to develop sets of TXs and TMs aligned with the MATATAG Curriculum for the tabulated learning areas for Grades 2, 5, and 8, with the following specifications:

Table with 5 columns: Learning Level, Learning Area, Language to be Used, and Minimum Number of Pages (TX, TM). Rows include Grade 2\* with sub-rows for Makabansa, GMRC, Filipino, English, and Mathematics.

Important Notes:

- \*Other languages may be called for development in a separate issuance.
1Grade 2 TMs must be written in Filipino language, except for English that should have a TM in English and Mathematics which may have a TM in Filipino/English.
2The number of pages of TXs and TMs may exceed the minimum number of pages. However, the increase must be divisible by 16 for production purposes. For budget purposes, the Department shall only account for the minimum number of pages.



Learning Level	Learning Area	Language to be Used	Minimum Number of Pages <sup>1</sup>		
			TX	TM	
Grade 5	Filipino	Filipino	320	304	
	Araling Panlipunan		224	208	
	GMRC		240	208	
	EPP		224	216	
	MAPEH	Music and Arts	English	320	304
		PE & Health		304	288
	Mathematics			304	288
	Science			320	304
	English			320	304

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Learning Level	Learning Area	Language to be Used	Minimum Number of Pages <sup>1</sup>		
			TX	TM	
Grade 8	Filipino	Filipino	320	304	
	Araling Panlipunan		320	304	
	Values Education		320	208	
	TLE	English	240	232	
	MAPEH		Music & Arts	320	304
			PE & Health	320	304
	Mathematics		320	304	
	Science		320	304	
	English		320	304	

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**MINIMUM TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

**A. Grade 2 TXs and TMs (All Learning Areas)**

Book Size	Paper Requirement		Colors		Binding
	Cover	Inside Pages	Cover	Inside Pages	
8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better  Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance  Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance  Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	4/1 color  With 1 Side UV coating or better	1/1 color	Perfect binding

**B. Grades 5 and 8 TXs and TMs**

*\* (Mathematics, English, Filipino, EPP/TLE, GMRC/Values Education, Araling Panlipunan, PE and Health)*

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Standards in developing TXs and TMs, evaluation tools for post qualification of TXs and TMs, indicative timeline, and DepEd Order 25, s. 2023 (Guidelines on the Procurement and Quality Assurance of Textbooks and Teacher's Manuals) for the procurement thereof may be seen in the link: [https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMS\\_258](https://bit.ly/ProcurementTXsTMS_258), subject to updates as may be deemed necessary.

All inquiries pertaining to this announcement may be addressed to DepEd Bureau of Learning Resources Production Division thru email address [blr.lrp@deped.gov.ph](mailto:blr.lrp@deped.gov.ph) or you may call telephone numbers (02) 634-09-01 or 631-49-85.

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\* (Science and Music and Arts)

Book Size	Paper Requirement		Colors		Binding
	Cover	Inside Pages	Cover	Inside Pages	
8.25" x 10.75"	Foldcote caliper 12, solid white 236 gsm or better	Uncoated text paper or better  Basis weight: 70 gsm with -3% tolerance  Opacity: 90% with -3% tolerance  Brightness: 80% with -3% tolerance	4/1 color  With 1 Side UV coating or better	with a minimum of 24 colored pages for images related to content; the rest is 1/1 color	Perfect binding

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