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ASSESSMENT INSTRUCTION 12 OF 2021

**TO: DEPUTY DIRECTORS-GENERAL
CHIEF DIRECTORS
HEAD OFFICE DIRECTORS AND DISTRICT DIRECTORS
CHIEF EDUCATION SPECIALISTS
CIRCUIT MANAGERS
DEPUTY CHIEF / SENIOR EDUCATION SPECIALISTS
PRINCIPALS OF ALL PUBLIC AND INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS (GRADE 12)
TEACHER UNIONS / ORGANISATIONS
SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES**

DATE: 09 MARCH 2021

**2021 GRADE 12 PRACTICAL ASSESSMENT TASKS (PATs): NATIONAL SENIOR
CERTIFICATE (NSC) EXAMINATIONS**

1. The Provincial Department of Education received from the Department of Basic Education Circular E3 of 2021, which deals with the Practical Assessment Tasks (PATs) for 2021 Grade 12 National Senior Certificate (NSC) Examinations.
2. Practical Assessment Tasks (PATs) have been developed for subjects that have a practical component. These PATs are part of the assessment requirements for the 2021 National Senior Certificate (NSC) examinations as stipulated in the Curriculum Assessment Policy Statements (CAPS). The 2021 PATs are aligned with the Grade 12 abridged Section 4 of CAPS.
3. The following PATs are attached:
 - Agricultural Management Practices
 - Agricultural Technology
 - Computer Applications Technology



- Dance Studies
- Design Studies
- Dramatic Arts
- Civil Technology
- Consumer Studies
- Electrical Technology
- Engineering Graphics and Design
- Hospitality Studies
- Information Technology
- Mechanical Technology
- Music
- Technical Sciences
- Tourism

4. Districts are urged to ensure that the attached 2021 PATs are distributed to all the schools under their jurisdiction offering Grade 12 subjects with practical components. These PATs are also available on the Department of Basic Education (DBE) website.



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09/03/2021

 DATE