

Error Notification – Grade 6-8 WKCE Directions for Test Administration

Please read and distribute this important information to all test proctors regarding a correction to page 35 of the Fall 2008 WKCE Directions for Test Administration for Grade 6-8.

On Page 35 of the manual, proctors are instructed to ask students to open their test books to Page 101 to find the first page of the Science test. The Science tests for Grade 8 Forms A, B, and C correctly begin on Page 101, but the Science test for Grade 8 Form D begins on Page 99. Students should be instructed to turn to Page 99 of Grade 8 Form D to find the Science test.

Please see below for the correct instruction:

Science

40 minutes

These directions are for grade 8 only.


Directions for Administering the Science Test

NOTE: Before testing, check the testing area to be sure that charts that may give away answers are not in view.

Make sure that each student has his or her own test book, a No. 2 pencil, and an extra eraser.

Error

SAY Please open your test book to Page 101, which is the first page of the Science test. Make sure it says "Science" at the top of the page.

 *Demonstrate. Check to be sure that all students are in the correct place in their test books.*

SAY We will begin by doing a sample question. For Sample A, fill in only the circle that goes with the answer you choose. Be sure to fill in the circle completely and make your mark heavy and dark. If you want to change an answer, completely erase the mark you made before making a new mark.

It may be helpful to hold up a folded test book so that students can be sure they are on the correct page.

Following the instructions exactly ensures similar testing conditions in all classrooms. Test

Instead Say: If you are working in Form A, B, or C please open your test book to Page 101 to find the first page of the Science test. If you are working in Form D, please open your test book to Page 99 to find the first page of the Science test. Make sure it says "Science" at the top of the page.