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In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013
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**4th 2026 MATHEMATICS TRAINERS GUILD PHILIPPINES QUALIFYING EXAMINATION
AND INTERNATIONAL MATH AND SCIENCE CONTEST**

The Mathematics Trainers Guild (MTG) Philippines will conduct the 2026 Qualifying Examination on August 15, 2026, for interested math-inclined learners from public and private schools nationwide at designated MTG training centers across the country.

Learners who successfully pass this qualifying examination will be eligible to participate in the following MTG training programs:

- a. 2026–2027 Mathematical Challenge for Filipino Kids Training Program (MCFKTP);
- b. Young Mathematicians' In-House Intensive Training Program; and
- c. Mathematical Olympiad Summer Training Program.

Interested participants may access registration details and other relevant information through the official MTG website at <https://www.mtgphil.org>.

A total of 900 successful public school learners from various regions will be awarded scholarship grants to join the 2026–2027 MCFKTP. Those who complete and pass the above training programs will be selected to represent the Philippines in the following international mathematics and science competitions abroad.

Competitions	Venue	Date
International Mathematics and Science Olympiad	Jakarta, Indonesia	October 2–7, 2026
International Mathematics Open for Young Achievers	Bangkok, Thailand	October 26–29, 2026
International Mathematics Wizards Challenge	Bangkok, Thailand	October 26–28, 2026
International Mathematics and Science Challenge	Burgas, Bulgaria	October 23–27, 2026
International Talented Mathematics Contest	Bangkok, Thailand	To be announced (TBA)
STEMCO Global Finals – Science	TBA	TBA

Participation of schools shall be purely voluntary and will not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order (DO) No. 009, s. 2026, titled Guidelines on the Implementation of the Three-Term School Calendar in Basic Education and Activities and DO 9, s. 2005, titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith and the policy on off-campus activities stated in DO 66, s. 2017.

This is also subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 also known as An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law).

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