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INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NATIONAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY WEEK (NSTW) SCI-MATH BATTLE 2025

The Philippine Science High School – Central Luzon Campus (PSHS-CLC), in partnership with the Department of Science and Technology, will hold the NSTW Sci-Math Battle 2025 Regional Round on October 10, 2025, at PSHS-CLC, Lily Hill, Clark Freeport Zone, Pampanga. The event acts as a prelude to the National Competitive Examination and is one of the key activities of the National Science and Technology Week 2025.

The contest is open to all Grade VI students from public and private elementary schools in Central Luzon. Each school can send one team with two members, and there is no registration fee. Schools must complete the pre-registration form at bit.ly/4lNAiwk by September 30, 2025. The contest mechanics and guidelines are attached for your reference.

Participation by learners from both public and private schools is voluntary and must not disrupt instructional time. This complies with DepEd Order No. 009, s. 2005, titled 'Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith.'

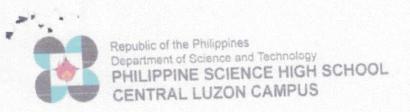
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PhiSciCLaban SciMath Battle: 2025

CONTEST MECHANICS AND GUIDELINES

BACKGROUND

The Philippine Science High School (PSHS) System is a premier network of science high schools in the country, dedicated to nurturing the brightest young minds in STEM. It operates under the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) and offers a specialized curriculum designed to develop globally competitive scientists, engineers, mathematicians, and innovators.

The PhiSciCLaban SciMath Battle: 2025 is a general academic quiz contest open to both public and private elementary schools in Region III. Its specific objectives are:

- To promote a culture of excellence among the youth of the region;
- 2. To develop values of perseverance and sportsmanship among participants;
- 3. To provide an avenue for the professional growth of teachers through contest coaching.

ELIGIBILITY TO JOIN

- 1. The competition is open to all private and public elementary schools in Central
- 2. Each school is allowed to send one team with two (2) members.
- 3. Participants must be bona fide Grade VI Filipino students representing their respective schools.

PRE-REGISTRATION

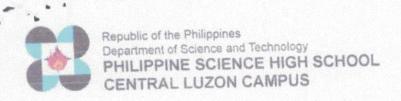
- No registration fee will be collected for this quiz contest.
- Schools wishing to participate must complete the official pre-registration form. available at bit.lv/4INAiwk, on or before September 30, 2025.

VENUE AND SCHEDULE

- 1. The event will be held at the Multipurpose Gymnasium, PSHS-CLC, Lily Hill, Clark Freeport Zone, Pampanga, on October 10, 2025.
- 2. On-site registration for preregistered participants will be from 8:00 AM to 8:30 AM.
- 3. The contest proper will run from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM.

CONTEST PROPER

- 1. Questions will focus on science and mathematics.
- 2. Calculators, books, gadgets, and other reading materials are not allowed during the contest proper and in the contest area.
- 3. The contest will consist of two (2) segments: the Qualifying Round and the Final Round.





QUALIFYING ROUND

- 1. Participants will take a 30-item written test (a mix of easy, average, and difficult questions) to be completed in 60 minutes.
- 2. The top 15 teams with the highest total scores will advance to the Final Round.
- 3. In case of a tie for qualifying ranks, a set of five (5) tiebreaker questions (with a 10-minute time limit) will be given to the teams until the tie is resolved.
- 4. If fewer than 15 teams are present, all participants will move on to the Final Round.

FINAL ROUND

- 1. The Final Round will be a competition among the top 15 participating teams. It will consist of three phases:
 - Easy: 10 questions (3 points each)
 - Average: 10 questions (5 points each)
 - Difficult: 10 questions (7 points each)
- Time limits for each question will vary based on difficulty.
- 3. Participants must write their answers on the board provided.
- Misspelled answers will be marked incorrect.
- 5. The top three (3) teams with the highest total scores after 30 questions will qualify for the National Round and be declared winners.
- 6. In case of a tie:
 - Three (3) tiebreaker questions (1 point each) will be asked.
 - If the tie persists, a sudden-death question will determine the winner
- 7. Only registered coaches may raise clarifications to the judges immediately after a question has been raised and answered.
- 8. The judges' decision is final and irrevocable.

AWARDS

- Champion: P10,000.00 prize, trophy, medals, and certificates
- 2. First Runner-Up: ₱8,000.00 prize, trophy, medals, and certificates
- Second Runner-Up: ₱5,000.00 prize, trophy, medals, and certificates
- Qualifying Round Top Scorer(s): ₱3,000.00 prize, medal, and certificate

Certificates of participation will be given only to coaches and participants whose names appear on the official registration form.

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