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REGION I SCHOOLS DIVISION OF VIGAN CITY

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But only for the information of DepEd Officials,
Personnel/staff, as well as the concerned public.

28th PHILIPPINE MATHEMATICAL OLYMPIAD

Per letter from Daryl Allen Saddi dated September 9, 2025, the Mathematical Society of the Philippines (MSP), in collaboration with the Department of Science and Technology-Science Education Institute (DOST-SEI) is inviting high school learners to participate in the 28th Philippine Mathematical Olympiad (PMO) for the School Year 2025-2026.

This year, the competition will follow a hybrid format, combining both onsite and online participation options. Over 30 official PMO test centers will be available across the country to accommodate learners for the onsite exams. However, to ensure inclusivity, learners who reside in areas far from any designated test center may be allowed to participate online, subject to verification and guidelines provided by the PMO.

As in previous PMOs, the competition will consist of three stages:

- 1. Qualifying Stage: October 18, 2025 (Saturday)
- 2. Area Stage: December 13, 2025 (Saturday)
- 3. National Stage: February 28, 2026 (Saturday) and March 1, 2026 (Sunday)

Each participating school may register up to 30 high school learners (Grades 7-12). The registration fee is Php 200.00 per contestant. If your school wishes to send more than 30 contestants, please email pmo@math.upd.edu.ph for approval. Kindly note that approval is not guaranteed.

To begin the registration process, each school must designate a School Coordinator (SC)who will register using PMO28 Form A. Coaches and learners may begin training in preparation for the competition. Past contest questions are available at the official PMO website.

Participating schools are advised to take note on the following important deadlines.

Task	Deadline
Application to be an SC	September 15, 2025 (Monday) 11:59 PM
Registration of Contestants	September 19, 2025 (Friday) 11:59 PM
Payment of Registration Fees	September 29, 2025 (Monday) 11:59 PM







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The following links are available on both the PMO Facebook page and the official website:

- General Guidelines Registration process and competitiondetails
- School Coordinator Sign-Up
- School Certification Form For new School Coordinators
- Department of Education Advisory

Participation of public and private schools shall be on **VOLUNTARY** basis and in compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order No. 12, s. 2025 titled "Multi-Year Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities" and DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith."

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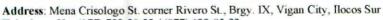












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Re: Invitation to Participate in the 28th Philippine Mathematical Olympiad

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings of good health this 2025.

The Mathematical Society of the Philippines (MSP), in collaboration with the Department of Science and Technology – Science Education Institute (DOST-SEI), is pleased to invite high schools from your Division to participate in the 28th Philippine Mathematical Olympiad (PMO) for the school year 2025-2026.

The PMO, the country's longest-running and most prestigious nationwide mathematics competition for high school students, continues to provide an excellent platform for students to showcase their mathematical abilities.

This year, the competition will follow a hybrid format, combining both onsite and online participation options. Over 30 official PMO test centers will be available across the country to accommodate students for the onsite exams. However, to ensure inclusivity, students who reside in areas far from any designated test center may be allowed to participate online, subject to verification and guidelines provided by the PMO.

Competition Stages

As in previous PMOs, the competition will consist of three stages:

- 1. Qualifying Stage: 18 October 2025 (Saturday)
- 2. Area Stage: 13 December 2025 (Saturday)
- 3. National Stage: 28 February 2026 (Saturday) and 1 March 2026 (Sunday)

This tiered structure allows participants to demonstrate their abilities at increasing levels of difficulty and prestige.

Registration and Participation

Each school may register up to 30 high school students (Grades 7-12). The registration fee is PHP 200 per contestant.

To begin the registration process, each school must designate a School Coordinator (SC) who will register using PMO28 Form A. Coaches and students may begin training in preparation for the competition. Past contest questions are available at the official PMO website.

Note: If your school wishes to send more than 30 contestants, please email pmo@math.upd.edu.ph for approval. Kindly note that approval is not guaranteed.

Important Deadlines

Task	Deadline
Application to be an SC	15 September 2025 (Mon) 11:59 PM
Registration of Contestants	19 September 2025 (Fri) 11:59 PM
Payment of Registration Fees	29 September 2025 (Mon) 11:59 PM

Useful Links

The following links are available on both the PMO Facebook page and the official website:

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Please note several important updates for this year's PMO, including the introduction of separate Area Stages for North and South Luzon and the addition of new awards recognizing outstanding performance in the Qualifying and Area Stages.

We look forward to your school's active participation in the 28th PMO.

Sincerely,

Daryl Allen Saddi, PhD

Director, 28th Philippine Mathematical Olympiad