



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION XI
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF DIGOS CITY

OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

CID-2025-027

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
 CID Chief
 Public Schools District Supervisors
 Education Program Supervisor in Mathematics
 Elementary and Secondary Public and Private School Heads
 Elementary and Secondary Public and Private School Teachers
 All Others Concerned

Subject : **INVITATION OF MATH-LINX TRAINING AND ASSESSMENT CENTER (MTAC)**

Date : January 24, 2025

Herewith is the invitation letter of Ms. Jo Anne Rae G. Macarandan, Chief Executive Officer of Mathlinx Training and Assessment Center (MTAC), dated January 13, 2025 re: Mathlinx National Mathematics Competition on February 15 and 22, 2025 via Zoom platform.

The guidelines and other details are found in the enclosure.

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Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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 Schools Division Superintendent

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM
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To: Schools Division Superintendents

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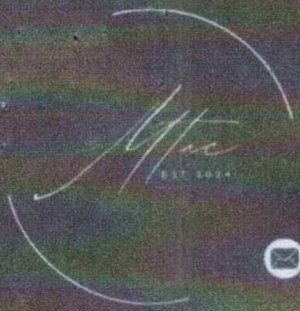
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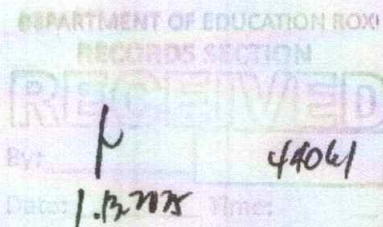


Mathlinx Training and Assessment Center



January 13, 2025

ALLAN G. FARNAZO
Regional Director
Department of Education
Region XI



Dear Dir. FARNAZO:

Subject: Invitation to Participate in National Mathematics Competition by Mathlinx Training and Assessment

Warm greetings!

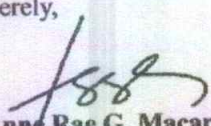
The Mathlinx Training and Assessment Center (MTAC) is an organization of mathematics educators officially registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) under registration number, SEC NO. 6536986. As our inaugural activity, we are launching the National Siphayan Quest (NSQ), an online math challenge on February 15 and 22, 2025. We cordially invite the schools/institutions in your region to participate in the competition.

This contest will provide a valuable opportunity for students to showcase their mathematical skills and abilities. Moreover, this contest aims to engage parents, teachers, and local organizations in promoting quality math education that will be contributory to our country's development and progress.

We look forward to your participation and support in promoting math literacy and proficiency. We hope you can extend our invitation to other institutions for their voluntary participation. Together, let us be one in nurturing Filipino learners' journey towards excellence.

We look forward to welcoming your students start their Siphayan quest!

Sincerely,


Jo Anne Rae G. Macarandan
Chief Executive Officer
Mathlinx Training and Assessment Center (MTAC)



National Sipsnayan Quest 2025

Online Math Challenge

General Guidelines:

1. The National Sipsnayan Quest (NSQ) is an online mathematics challenge open to all bonafide students enrolled in the Philippines from Grade 5 to Grade 10.
2. The competition will test the participants' knowledge and skills based on DepEd's K-12 learning competencies.
3. The contest will feature fifty (50) short answer questions to be completed in one (1) hour.
4. All participants, coaches, parents, and guardians are expected to observe academic honesty.
5. There will be two contest dates with three batches. The participants have the option to choose their preferred contest date.

February 15, 2025 (Saturday)

First Batch	:	8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Grade 5 and Grade 6
Second Batch	:	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 nn	Grade 7 and Grade 8
Third Batch	:	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Grade 9 and Grade 10

February 22, 2025 (Saturday)

First Batch	:	8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Grade 9 and Grade 10
Second Batch	:	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 nn	Grade 5 and Grade 6
Third Batch	:	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Grade 7 and Grade 8



Preliminary Mechanics:

1. Registration

Participants shall be able to submit their registration form on the following dates:

Registration: January 1, 2025 – February 8, 2025

Registration Fee: Php 500.00

To register, sign up here: <https://forms.gle/9WED8Y3U6x9d9Uw>

Deadline of Registration: February 8, 2025

For more updates visit our FB Page: Mathlinx Training and Assessment Center

2. Technical Requirements

- a. Participants shall make sure that they have a high speed stable internet connection throughout the competition.
- b. Participants shall use a laptop or desktop with working camera and audio (with mic) for the competition.
- c. The camera view should include the workspace (e.g., worktable where the participant will compute for answers) and the participant.
- d. Pen and solution papers may be used for computation.
- e. Calculators and any mathematical tools, applications, and software are strictly NOT allowed.



3. Awards

The following awards shall be given:

Individual Awards:

Perfect Score	:	Mathlinx Hall of Fame (Plaque of Recognition)
45 to 49 points	:	Sipnayan Excellence Award (Gold Medal and Certificate)
40 to 44 points	:	Sipnayan Excellence Award (Silver Medal and Certificate)
35 to 39 points	:	Sipnayan Excellence Award (Bronze Medal and Certificate)
25 to 34 points	:	Sipnayan Distinction Award (Certificate)
24 points and below	:	Certificate of Participation

School Awards:

- Most Number of Awardees for Grade School (Top 3)
- Most Number of Awardees for Junior High School (Top 3)
- Most Number of Delegates for Grade School (Top 3)
- Most Number of Delegates for Junior High School (Top 3)

Coaches will receive Certificates of Appreciation

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Contest Mechanics:

1. Each participant must download and log in to ZOOM.
2. Participants must be in the ZOOM meeting at least 15 minutes before the official time.
3. Participants must rewrite their name using the following format:
SCHOOL_SURNAME, First Name
(Ex. UPD_DIAZ, Ana)
4. Participants should stay on cam, unmuted, and are not using any virtual background throughout the duration of the competition.
5. Switching of tabs, taking screenshots, and screen recording are strictly prohibited.
6. If a participant gets disconnected, a warning will be given. If disconnected twice, the participant is automatically disqualified.
7. Participants must be alone in the room during the competition.
8. Participants must not leave their seats without permission while the contest is on-going.
9. Questions about test items will not be entertained during the competition.
10. The organizer reserves the right to disqualify a participant in the event of cheating or any violation of the mechanics.



Answering and Scoring Mechanics:

1. Contestants are to answer the questions directly on the questionnaire.
2. The answers should be type-written in numerals or words or the combination of the two if necessary. (example: $2x$ squared or two x squared)
3. Answers without units may be accepted unless specified in the question.
4. Each correct answer corresponds to one point.
5. The winners will depend on the total points earned.

Other Mechanics:

1. There will be a dry run before the actual contest proper.
2. Registrants can also avail themselves of the review sessions with a minimal fee of 300 pesos which will be conducted before the competition. Review schedule are as follows:

January 11, 2025 (Saturday)

- First Batch : 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Grade 5 and Grade 6
Second Batch : 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 nn Grade 7 and Grade 8
Third Batch : 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Grade 9 and Grade 10

January 18, 2025 (Saturday)

- First Batch : 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Grade 9 and Grade 10
Second Batch : 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 nn Grade 5 and Grade 6
Third Batch : 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Grade 7 and Grade 8