



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



OFFICE OF THE SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

CID-2025-515

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 TO PARTICIPATE TO THE 5<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL VEDIC MATHS OLYMPIAD**

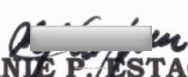
Date : October 23, 2025

Attached is a letter from James Glover, Chair of Institute for the Advancement of Vedic Mathematics (IAVM), re: Conduct of the 5<sup>th</sup> International Vedic Mathematics Olympiad on November 15, 2025 for Intermediate, Senior and Open categories and on November 29, 2025 for Lower Primary, Upper Primary and Junior categories.

Further details are available at <https://instavm.org/ivmo-25/>.

Participation to these activities shall be within the discretion of the School Heads. Further, the No Disruption of Classes Policy as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled: "Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith," must be strictly implemented. Additionally, no government funds will be involved.

Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
**MELANIE P. ESTACIO, PhD, CESO VI**  
Schools Division Superintendent

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INSTITUTE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF VEDIC MATHEMATICS



## IVMO 2025

### A Competition in Speed, Problem-Solving and Mathematical Acumen

1<sup>st</sup> October 2025

Dear Principal,

I wish to draw your attention to an exciting competition focusing on Vedic Maths. It is called the International Vedic Maths Olympiad and will be held next month across diverse countries. I would like to extend an invitation for students at your school/college to participate.

IVMO consists of one hour exam-like papers that test the ability and speed in using Vedic maths techniques and their application to problem-solving. Each paper has 40 questions. Students who do not know the Vedic techniques can still enter and do well. The competition is available in both online and offline mode.

Since its inception in 2021, IVMO has become increasingly popular. Last year there were over 10,000 participants and this year we are expecting in the region of 15,000. IVMO is particularly favoured in the Philippines from where most of participants come.

Dates and levels of entry are as follows:

|               |                    |                           |
|---------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Lower Primary | 9 years and under  | 29 <sup>th</sup> November |
| Upper Primary | 11 years and under | 29 <sup>th</sup> November |
| Junior        | 13 years and under | 29 <sup>th</sup> November |
| Intermediate  | 16 years and under | 15 <sup>th</sup> November |
| Senior        | 18 years and under | 15 <sup>th</sup> November |
| Open          | No age limit       | 15 <sup>th</sup> November |

The competition is run through Centre Coordinators and, should you be interested, then your school/college should appoint a member of staff to take on that responsibility. Further details are available on our website at <https://instavm.org/ivmo-25/>. You can also contact us via email at [ivmolympiad@gmail.com](mailto:ivmolympiad@gmail.com).

The IAVM is a UK based charity working across the globe, and focuses on the dissemination, promotion and development of Vedic mathematics, particularly in relation to education. We offer curriculum design services, teacher training, workshops, competitions, courses and conferences.

I look forward to hearing from you.

With kind regards

James Glover

Chair IAVM