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2011 METROBANK-MTAP-DEPED MATH CHALLENGE

To: Bureau Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public and Private Elementary and Secondary Schools
All Others Concerned

- 1. The Metrobank Foundation, Inc. (MBFI), the Mathematics Teachers Association of the Philippines (MTAP), and the Department of Education (DepEd) announce the holding of the **2011 Metrobank-MTAP-DepEd Math Challenge** with the theme, "Moving Forward Through Excellence in Mathematics" from January to April 2011. This is a milestone of the 10th year of the National Math Challenge.
- 2. The overall objective of the competition is to contribute in improving the quality of Mathematics education in the Philippines. Specifically, it aims to:
 - a. awaken greater interest in Mathematics among elementary pupils and high school students in both public and private schools nationwide;
 - b. encourage them to strive for excellence in Mathematics;
 - c. encourage them to master the basic mathematical skills;
 - d. discover mathematical talents among the pupils and students:
 - e. develop the values of hardwork, perseverance, honesty, teamwork, and sportsmanship; and
 - f. provide them with opportunities in leadership and cooperative undertaking.
- 3. The elimination and division level competition will be participated in by elementary school pupils and high school students nationwide. However, only Grade VI pupils and Fourth Year High School students may participate in the regional and national levels. To enable a team or individual first place winner in the regional finals to qualify to the national finals, they must meet the "hurdle rate" established by the National Steering Committee. For the national finals, the following are the qualifications for both individual and team competitions:

For Elementary Level

- Top scorers in each geographical area (NCR, the rest of Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao)
- Remaining six (6) top scorers across all regions.



For Secondary Level

- Top scorers for both Categories A and B in NCR
- Top scorers in each geographical area (the rest of Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao)
- Remaining five (5) top scorers across all regions.
- 4. The division mathematics supervisor shall be in-charge of the preparation, implementation and documentation of the eliminations and division finals competition including preparation of the program and fielding of qualified officials to serve as judges, proctors and hosts/quizmasters. He/She will also be responsible for settling all questions including protests, which may arise in the course of the competition, or a panel of advisers may be formed by the schools division/city superintendent (SDS).
- 5. For the regional finals, the regional mathematics supervisor shall be incharge of the preparation, implementation and documentation of regional finals including preparation of program, designation of judges, proctors, correctors for the individual competition and hosts/quizmasters. An MTAP representative will assist in facilitating this stage of the contests, both in the individual and team competitions. He/She will be responsible for settling all questions, including protests which may arise in the course of the competition.
- 6. All DepEd officials including school heads and mathematics teachers are requested to actively campaign and enjoin support for the competition of all public and private schools in the country through the issuance of a memorandum to ensure maximum participation.
- 7. The participating parties shall shoulder expenses from the elimination round to the regional level competition. Participants from private schools shall make the necessary arrangements for their expenses with their school heads. At the national level, the Metrobank Foundation, Inc. (MBFI) will finance the transportation expenses, accommodation and meal allowance of the national finalists and their coaches. The MBFI shall also provide the awards for the winners from the division finals (medals) to the regional and national finals (cash prizes, medals and trophies), as well as, cash incentives for the coaches of the regional and national finalists.
- 8. The following documents and forms are contained in the enclosures:
 - a. Enclosure No. 1 Guidelines including Contest Schedules (MMC Document No. 1)
 - b. Enclosure No. 2 Contest Mechanics (MMC Document No. 2)
 - c. Enclosure No. 3 Registration Form (MMC Form No. 1)
 - d. Enclosure No. 4 Summary of Participants (MMC Form No. 2)
- 9. Separate guidelines will be issued for the NCR competition.
- 10. In case of conflict in schedule with other DepEd activities, the division and regional offices are advised to assign focal persons or proctors to administer the tests at the division and/or regional levels on the scheduled dates.

- 11. Arrangements for substitute teachers must be made to ensure that the classes of the participating teacher-coaches will not be disrupted.
- For more information and further inquiries, please contact Sr. Iluminada C. Coronel, f.m.m., President, Mathematics Teachers Association of the Philippines (MTAP) at the Stella Maris College, Cambridge St., Cubao, Quezon (02)912-5249 e-mail address: City telefax or at no.: iccoronel_mtaphil@yahoo.com; or the MTAP Office at telephone no.: (02) 709-0447; or the MBFI Secretariat at telephone nos.: (02) 857-8757 and (02) 898-8898 or through e-mail address: <u>aareyes@metrobank.com.ph</u>, jonathan.givero@metrobank.com.ph or idlabitad@metrobank.com.ph.
- 13. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

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Secretary

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Reference:

DepEd Memorandum: No. 504, s. 2009

To be indicated in the <u>Perpetual Index</u> under the following subjects:

CONTESTS
Learning Area, MATHEMATICS
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MATH CHALLENGE



The Metrobank-MTAP-DepEd Math Challenge is a Math contest for elementary and secondary students in both public and private schools nationwide. It is implemented by the Metrobank Foundation, Inc. (MBFI), the Mathematics Teachers Association of the Philippines (MTAP) and the Department of Education (DepEd).

The overall objective of the Metrobank-MTAP-DepEd Math Challenge is to contribute in improving the quality of mathematics education in the Philippines. Specifically, it aims to:

- A. Awaken greater interest in Mathematics among elementary and secondary students in both public and private schools all over the country;
- B. Encourage students to strive for excellence in Mathematics;
- C. Encourage mastery of basic mathematical skills;
- D. Discover mathematical talents among the students;
- E. Develop the values of hardwork, perseverance, honesty, teamwork and sportsmanship; and
- F. Provide students with opportunities in leadership and cooperative undertaking.

The topics in the DepEd Basic Education Curriculum for Elementary and Secondary, per grade/year level, shall be the basis of coverage of the competition.

For public schools, concerned principals are required to report to the Division Math Supervisor the contestants per grade/year level representing their respective schools, in a manner agreed upon in the Division.

For SUCs and private schools, participating schools are required to accomplish a one-page registration form (MMC Form 1) duly certified by the principal/registrar, which indicates the school's official contestants and coaches/trainers per grade/year level. The accomplished form should be sent directly to the DepEd Division Math Supervisor In-charge where the school is located, on or before December 7, 2010.

The concerned DepEd Division Math Supervisors shall then accomplish the summary of participants (MMC Form 2) which indicates the testing centers and the total number of students per grade/year per testing center. The accomplished form must be submitted to MTAP on or before December 15, 2010 through fax no. (02) 912-5249 and/or (02) 709-0447. Failure to submit may cause delay in sending the test questionnaires and conduct of the elimination round, which is scheduled on January 13-14, 2011.

Registration forms are available at the Metrobank Foundation office, all Metrobank Branches, and division offices of the Department of Education. The forms may also be downloaded at the Metrobank Foundation website at http://www.mbfoundation.org.ph starting December 2010 or through the MMC blogsite at http://www.mymathchallenge.multiply.com.

A **National Steering Committee** composed of officers / representatives from MBFI, MTAP and DepEd, shall oversee the implementation and formulate the guidelines, policies and mechanics of the competition.

The **MBFI** shall serve as major sponsor and thus, be involved in all aspects and phases of the competition including supervision of the <u>National Finals and Awarding Ceremonies</u>.

The **MTAP** shall prepare the test questionnaires for the Elimination Rounds, Division Finals and the Regional Finals; and oversee the conduct of the Regional Finals in coordination with DepEd and the National Finals in coordination with MBFI. MTAP will also be responsible for settling all questions, including protests, which may arise in the course of the competition at the <u>Regional Level</u>.

The **DepEd** shall supervise the competition from the Elimination Rounds to the Regional Finals and shoulder expenses incidental thereto from sources to be determined by participating parties. DepEd will also be responsible for settling all questions, including protests, which may arise in the course of the competition from the <u>Elimination to the Division Level</u>.

- A. Eliminations: All bonafide students enrolled in Grades I to VI and 1st to 4th Years in any public and private school in 17 regions including those from SUCs, as certified by the principal or registrar of the school.

 Note: Contestants must be actually enrolled in the grade/year level they are competing. In NO instance shall mixed grade/year level participation in team competition be allowed. Only Three (3) students per grade/year level shall represent each school, for both public and private.
- B. <u>Division Finals</u>: Top 6 (min.) to 20 (max.) highest scoring schools in the elimination round per grade/year level

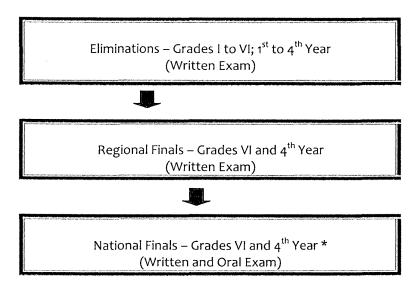
Note: The number of qualified division finalists depends on the total number of schools that will participate in the elimination round. Please refer to the Contest Mechanics (MMC Document No. 2) for details.

- C. Regional Finals:
 - Individual Competition: All top placers in each division during the elimination round, for both Grade 6 and 4th Year
 - Team Competition: All the 1st placers during the Division Finals, for both Grade 6 and 4th Year
- D. National Finals (for both Individual and Team Category)

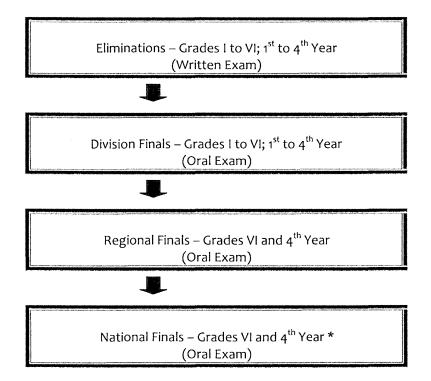
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- For Elementary Level:
 - i. Top scorers in each geographical area (NCR, Rest of Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao)
 - ii. Remaining six (6) top scorers across all regions
- For Secondary Level:
 - i. Top scorers for both Category A & B in NCR
 - ii. Top scorer in each geographical area (Rest of Luzon, VIsayas, and Mindanao)
 - iii. Remaining five (5) top scorers across all regions

A. INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION



B. TEAM COMPETITION



• Refer to Contestants / Qualifications (VII. D.) for details of qualified National Finalists

- A. <u>Division Finals</u> To enable a team to win any of the prizes at stake, i.e. 1st prize, 2nd prize, 3rd prize, they must meet a score of at least <u>25 points</u> out of a perfect score of 60 points.
- **B.** Regional Finals To enable a team or individual contestant to win any of the prizes at stake, i.e. 1st prize, 2nd prize, 3rd prize, they must meet a score of at least 25 points out of a perfect score of 60 points.
- C. <u>National Finals</u> To enable a team or individual first place winner in the Regional Finals to qualify to the National Finals, they must meet the "hurdle rate" established by the National Steering Committee, which is <u>40 points</u> out of a perfect score of 60 points. Please refer to <u>Contestants</u> / <u>Qualifications</u> (VII. D.) for details.

A. Elimination Stage (Grades 1 to 6; 1st to 4th Years)

The following top-ranking students shall be given certificates of merit:

- 1st Honors: for those who get 45 or more correct answers
- ❖ 2nd Honors: for those who get 40 44 correct answers
- ❖ 3rd Honors: for those who get 35 39 correct answers

B. Division Finals (Grades 1 to 6; 1st to 4th Years)

- Medals for each member of the top 3 winning teams per grade/year level, <u>provided they meet the</u> "hurdle rate"
- Certificates of recognition for the schools of the top 3 winning teams, per grade/year level
- Certificates of appreciation for all coaches/trainors
- Certificates of merit for non-winning contestants

C. Regional Finals (Grade 6 and 4th Year)

- Medals and cash prizes for the top 3 individual winners and members of the top 3 winning teams per level, <u>provided they meet the "hurdle rate"</u>
- Certificates of recognition for the top 3 individual winners and members of the top 3 winning teams per grade/year level
- Trophies for the schools of the top 3 winning teams per level, provided they meet the "hurdle rate"
- Certificates of recognition for all coaches/trainors
- Certificates of merit for non-winning Regional Finalists

D. National Finals (Grade 6 and 4th Year)

- Medals and cash prizes for the top 3 individual winners and the members of the top 3 winning teams per level
- Trophies for the schools of the top 3 winning teams per level
- Certificates of recognition for all coaches/trainors
- Certificates of recognition for National Finalists

· Coaches in the Regional and National Finals will receive cash allowance. However, if the coach handles both individual and team contestants from the same school, he/she will receive cash allowance only once.

| ACTIVITY | DATE | REMARKS | |
|---|---|--|--|
| Deadline for Submission of Applications to Division Math Supervisors: (a) Registration Forms (MMC Form 1) for SUCs and private schools (b) Total number of students per grade/year level for public schools | December 7, 2010 (Provincial) | List of contestants to be submitted to DepEd Division Offices concerned | |
| Deadline for Submission of MMC Form 2 (DepEd Division Math Supervisors to Submit Summary of Total Participating Students per Grade/Year Levels to MTAP) | December 15, 2010 | Summary of Participants should be sent to MTAP office through Telefax Nos. (02) 912-5249 and/or (02) 709-0447 | |
| Elimination Round | January 13, 2011 (Elementary) January 14, 2011 (Secondary) | Venue to be determined by DepEd Division Math Supervisors | |
| Division Team Finals | February 10, 2011 (Elementary) February 11, 2011 (Secondary) | | |
| Regional Finals: Individual (Written Exam) and Team (Orals) | March 11, 2011 | Venue to be determined by DepEd Regional Math Supervisors on or before January 31, 2011 | |
| National Individual Finals (Written Exam) | April 8, 2011 | Venue to be determined by MTAP | |
| National Finals (Individual and Team Orals) Awarding Ceremonies | April 9, 2011 | Venue is Metrobank Plaza Auditorium, Makati City | |

FOR MORE DETAILS OR QUERIES:

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MATH CHALLENGE

MECHANICS
(MMC Document No. 2)

- I. SCHOOL LEVEL: (Grades 1 to 6; 1st Year to 4th Year)
 - 1. Have a competition using a test by grade/year level prepared by the school.
 - 2. The top 3 students per grade/year level who will obtain the highest score will represent the school in the Elimination Round. (Note: the elimination round is open to <u>ALL</u> interested schools, both private and public.) We urge school districts not to have their own elimination to choose contestants for the whole district.
 - 3. There shall be a maximum of (18) pupils for Elementary and/or (12) pupils for Secondary in every participating school, broken down as follows.

| Example: | School A (Elementary) | | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| No. of Pupils | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

| School A (High School) | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Year | 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd | 4 th |
| No. of Pupils | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

- 4. All participating SUCs and private schools are required to accomplish a one-page Registration Form (MMC Form 1), which should be sent directly to the <u>DepEd Division Math Supervisor</u> in-charge on or before <u>December 7, 2010</u>. For the public school, the number of contestants will be communicated to the Division Math Supervisor by the concerned principals in a manner agreed upon in the Division.
- II. ELIMINATION ROUNDS: (Grades 1 to 6; 1st Year to 4th Year)
 - 5. The <u>DepEd Division Math Supervisor</u> shall be in-charged of the preparation, implementation and documentation of the Elimination Rounds competition. <u>He/she will also be responsible for settling all questions, including protests, which may arise in the course of the competition, or a panel of advisers may be formed by the Division Schools Superintendent.</u>
 - 6. **Test-Type:** Written Exam, test materials shall be prepared by MTAP and transmitted through the Metrobank branch in the Division / area. The concerned Branch Manager shall turn-over the questionnaires personally to the Division Math Supervisor at least a day before the Elimination Round. However, the package containing the questionnaires shall be opened just before the start of the competition.
 - 7. Conduct of the Competition: Please refer to Mechanics for the Elimination Rounds (MMC Document No. 3).
 - 8. All selected students per grade/year in a school shall take a written test in a place or center designated by the Division. The test materials shall be prepared by MTAP and transmitted through the Metrobank branch in the Division.
 - 9. In case there is no Metrobank branch in the area, the test materials shall be delivered directly to the division office/s c/o the Schools Division Superintendent concerned who shall open the test materials just before the start of the competition.
 - 10. In case the number of questionnaires sent is not enough, only the Division Math Supervisor or his/her duly trusted representative may photocopy the questionnaires immediately after opening the package. Only the exact number of the questionnaires will be reproduced. This provision will be included in the memo/advisories issued to the Supervisors to avoid leakage.
 - 11. A division may have one or more testing centers depending on the distances between the schools, the size of the division and the number of participating schools. It will be feasible to have one center per district for the elementary; for the secondary, a cluster of towns may have one center. A cluster of City Divisions with very few secondary schools may also have just one center.

- **Example:** Suppose Division A has 20 participating schools. Then, there will be 20 x 3 or 60 Grade 1 pupils to take the test, 60 for Grade 2, up to Grade 6 or a total of 360 pupils who will take the test in the Center. If those 20 schools are very far from each other, the Division may have more than one center for them.
- 12. The test papers will be corrected using the key provided for.
- 13. <u>The winners of the elimination round should be announced immediately after the competition</u>, if possible, then followed by a DepEd memo to formalize the announcement.
- 14. In case the results will not be released because of a valid reason (i.e. too many schools joined and the assigned correctors will not be able to finish checking the test papers on time), the Division Math Supervisor should announce before the Elimination starts that the results will not be released immediately after the competition but a DepEd memo shall be issued instead.
- 15. The top individual scorer of the <u>whole</u> Division (one each from Grade 6 and 4th year) qualifies to compete at the Regional Individual Finals. In case of a tie, it should be broken through the use of the questions prepared by MTAP for that purpose.
- 16. The scores of the top two contestants of a school by grade/year level shall be added to form the school's score. Suppose the scores of the (3) contestants of **School A** in **Grade 1** are as follows:

- The score of School A will be 35 + 38 = 73. The Grade 1 team from School A will be composed of Jose and Rosa.
- Assuming School A qualifies to compete in the Division Team Finals, Efren will be the alternate if
 either Rosa or Jose is not available on the date of the competition.
- If in case <u>both</u> Jose and Rosa are not available to compete due to unforeseen circumstances, Efren will not be allowed to compete alone. Thus, their team will automatically be disqualified. <u>SUBSTITUTION IS</u> NOT ALLOWED.
- 17. The school scores of the whole division per grade/year shall be ranked from highest to lowest.
- 18. The top 6 to 20 highest scoring schools qualify to participate in the **Division Team Finals** competition. There shall be no cut-off score. The number of teams qualified to join the Division Finals is dependent on the number of participating schools in the elimination rounds. Please refer to matrix below:

| Number of Participating Schools | Number of Teams to Qualify in the Division Finals | Number of Participating Schools | Number of Teams to Qualify in the Division Finals |
|---------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---|
| 15 or fewer | 7 op 6 | 31:35 | Top 14- |
| 16-20 | Top 8 | 36-40 | Top 16 |
| 21-25 | Top 10 | 41:45 | Top 18 |
| 26-30 | Top 12 | 46 or more | Top 20 |

- **Note:** 20 is the maximum number of teams because experience indicates that it is the maximum number manageable for an oral team competition.
- 19. Certificates of Merit shall be awarded to students from Grades 1 to 6 and 1st to 4th Years who qualify under the following conditions, based on their performance in the Elimination Rounds:

First Honors: for those who get 45 or more correct answers; Second Honors: for those who get 40 - 44 correct answers; Third Honors: for those who get 35 - 39 correct answers.

III. DIVISION FINALS: (Grades 1 to 6; 1st Year to 4th Year - Team Competition)

- 20. The <u>DepEd Division Math Supervisor</u> shall be in-charged of the preparation, implementation and documentation of the Division Finals competition including preparation of the program and designation of judges, proctors and hosts/quizmasters. He/she will also be responsible for settling all questions, including protests, which may arise in the course of the competition, or a panel of advisers may be formed by the Division Schools Superintendent.
- 21. **Test-Type:** Written-Oral contest, test materials shall be prepared by MTAP and transmitted through the Metrobank branch in the Division / area. The concerned Branch Manager shall turn-over the questionnaires personally to the Division Math Supervisor at least a day before the Division Finals. However, the package shall be opened just before the start of the competition.
- 22. Conduct of the Competition: Please refer to Mechanics of the Oral Competition (MMC Document No. 4), which will be sent to the Division Math Supervisors together with the questionnaires for the Elimination Rounds.
- 23. In case there is no Metrobank branch in the area, the test materials shall be delivered directly to the division office/s c/o the Division Math Supervisor concerned. The Math Supervisor in-charge shall open the test materials just before the start of the competition.
- 24. In case the number of question strips sent for Part III of the Oral Competition is not enough, only the Division Math Supervisor or his/her duly trusted representative may have additional copies made. Only exact number of questionnaires shall be reproduced.
- 25. It is desirable that the Team Orals for the different grade/year levels follow one after the other. However, if the testing center has enough venues, proctors and judges, the competition of two grade/year levels may be conducted simultaneously.
- 26. The results of the division finals will be announced immediately after the competition and a DepEd memo should be issued to formalize the announcement. A copy of the memo should be furnished to the DepEd Regional Math Supervisor for reference in the preparation for the Regional Finals.
- 27. Medals will be awarded to the members of the top 3 winning teams per grade/year level. <u>However, to enable a team to win any of the prizes at stake, i.e. 1st prize, 2nd prize, 3rd prize, they must meet a score of at least 25 points out of a perfect score of 60 points.</u>
- **Example:** Suppose the top 3 teams of Division A have the following scores: School A = 32; School B = 28; School C = 23. So team members of School A and School B will receive medals. School C will not be awarded since the score is less than 25.
- NOTE: Hurdle rate requirement for the awarding of Medals should be announced during the OPENING PROGRAM.
- 28. First place winners in Grade 6 and 4th Year High School are qualified to compete in the *Regional Finals* provided they meet the hurdle rate of **25 points**.
- 29. Certificates of Recognition will be awarded to the schools of the top 3 winning teams. Certificates of appreciation will be given to all coaches and staff members of the competition. All non-winning contestants will be given certificates of merit.

IV. REGIONAL FINALS

30. The <u>DepEd Regional Math Supervisor</u> shall be in-charge of the preparation, implementation and documentation of the Regional Finals, including preparation of program, designation of judges, proctors, correctors for the individual competition and hosts/quizmasters.

- 31. An <u>MTAP representative</u> will assist in facilitating this stage of the contest, both in the individual and team competition. <u>He/she will also be responsible for settling all questions, including protests, which may arise in the course of the competition.</u>
- 32. The MTAP representative shall bring the questionnaires and awarding materials on the date of the contest.
- A. INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION: (Grade 6 and 4th Year only)
- 33. Test-Type: Written The test will consist of three types of questions: Part I 15 questions worth 2 points each; Part II 5 questions worth 3 points each; and Part III 3 questions worth 5 points each for a total of 60 points.
- 34. For this competition, the contestants must use their code numbers given to them at the registration.
- 35. The contestants will be given 1.5 hours to answer the test.
- 36. Partial credit will be given to answers in Parts II and III.
- 37. There may be more than one corrector for the papers, but only one may correct either Part II or Ill for the sake of consistency in the giving of partial credit. Each paper must be counter-checked by a corrector of another part of the paper.
- 38. The top three scorers will be declared winners and awarded medals and cash prizes, <u>provided they meet the "hurdle rate"</u> of 25 points out of a perfect score of 60 points. However, regardless of their scores, they will receive certificates of recognition.
- 39. Certificates of merit will be given to all non-winning Regional Finalists and certificates of recognition for all trainors/coaches.
- B. TEAM COMPETITION: (Grade 6 and 4th Year only)
- 40. Test-Type: Written-Oral
- 41. Conduct of the Competition: Please refer to Mechanics of Oral Competition (MMC Document No. 4). The mechanics are the same as that of the Division Finals.
- 42. The top 3 teams will be declared winners and awarded medals and cash prizes, <u>provided they meet the</u> <u>"hurdle rate" of 25 points out of a perfect score of 60 points</u>. However, regardless of their scores, they will receive certificates of recognition.
- 43. Trophies will be awarded to the schools of the winning teams, <u>provided their contestants meet the</u> "hurdle rate" of 25 points out of a perfect score of 60 points. Certificates of recognition will be given to all coaches and staff members.
- **NOTE:** Hurdle rate requirement for the awarding of trophies, medals and cash prizes should be announced during the OPENING PROGRAM.
- 44. Coaches of both individual and team contestants shall be given cash allowance by the Metrobank Branch representative concerned. <u>However, in case the individual and team regional finalists come from the same school, only the coach of the team shall be given cash allowance</u>. This should be announced by the Host/Quizmaster during the OPENING PROGRAM.
- 45. All non-winning Regional Finalists will be given certificates of merit.
- 46. The Metrobank Foundation will provide the cash prizes, medals and trophies while MTAP, shall award certificates.

V. NATIONAL FINALS

- A. SELECTION OF NATIONAL FINALISTS: (Grade 6 and 4th Year only)
- 47. Scores of all regional first place winners in each geographical area, i.e., NCR, Rest of Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao, for both individual and team competition, shall be ranked from highest to lowest.
- 48. Slots Allocation of National Finalists:

For Elementary Level

- > Top scorers in each geographical area (NCR, Rest of Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao)
- > Remaining six (6) top scorers across all regions.

For Secondary Level

- > Top scorers for both Category A & B in NCR
- > Top scorers in each geographical are (Rest of Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao)
- > Remaining five (5) top scorers across all regions.
- 49. Top rankers must also meet the "hurdle rate" established by the National Steering Committee, which is 40 points out of a perfect score of 60 points.
- 50. In case of tie, the Metrobank Branch concerned will administer the tie-breaking test at a designated venue, in coordination with the DepED Regional Office.
- 51. National Finalists shall be notified formally by Metrobank Foundation as soon as the consolidation of results is completed by MTAP and MBFI.
- B. INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION: (Grade 6 and 4th Year)
- 52. The individual contestants will undergo both written and oral competitions. The individual written competition will be administered a day before the oral competition
- 53. The final score of each individual contestant will be 60% of written score + 40% of the oral score. This will be announced after the oral competition.
- 54. The contestants will be ranked according to the combined scores and the top three will be declared winners.
- C. TEAM COMPETITION: (Grade 6 and 4th Year)
- 55. The team contestants will undergo an oral competition only. The mechanics are the same as those of the Division and Regional Finals.
- 56. The top three teams will be declared winners.

Note: The complete mechanics of both the individual and team competitions at the national level shall be explained prior to the start of the contest.

FOR MORE DETAILS:

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MATH CHALLENGE

FORM

(for SUCs and Private Schools On MMC Form No. 1

| DepEd Division: | | Region: |
|------------------------------------|---|----------------|
| Name of School: | | Contact No.: |
| School Address: | | _School Email: |
| Contact Person: | Position: | Contact No.: |
| Grade/Year Level | Grade/Year Level | |
| Contestant #1: | Contestant #1: | |
| Contestant #2: | Contestant #2: | |
| Contestant #3: | Contestant #3: | |
| Coach/Trainor: | Coach/Trainor: | |
| Grade/Year Level | Grade/Year Level | |
| Contestant #1: | Contestant #1: | |
| Contestant #2: | Contestant #2: | |
| Contestant #3: | Contestant #3: | |
| Coach/Trainor: | Coach/Trainor: | |
| Grade/Year Level | Grade/Year Level | |
| Contestant #1: | Contestant #1: | |
| Contestant #2: | Contestant #2: | |
| Contestant #3: | Contestant #3: | |
| Coach/Trainor: | Coach/Trainor: | |
| I hereby certify that the above co | ontestants are bonafide students of our school. | |
| Date | Principal/R (Signature over p | |

IMPORTANT:

- Submit this registration form to the Division Math Supervisor where your school is located, on or before December 7, 2010.
- Competition venues will be determined by the DepEd Division Math Supervisors. Please inquire from them before the Elimination Round, which is scheduled on January 13, 2010 (Elementary) and January 14, 2010 (Secondary).
- This form may be photocopied as needed.

FOR MORE DETAILS OR QUERIES:

Write or call Sr. Iluminada C. Coronel, F.M.M., President, Mathematics Teachers Association of the Philippines (MTAP), at the Stella Maris College, Cambridge St., Cubao, Quezon City with Telefax Nos. (02) 912-5249; (02) 709-0447 or e-mail at iccoronel_mtaphil@yahoo.com/ / aareyes@metrobank.com.ph / jonathan.givero@metrobank.com.ph

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MATH CHALLENGE

PARTICIPANTS
(Elimination Round)
MMC Form No. 2

To be accomplished by DepEd Division Math Supervisor In-Charge of the competition Full Name: Cell phone No: DepEd Division: ______ Tel./Fax no: DepEd Division email: Personal Email: Note: For our guidance in sending the test materials, please indicate the Metrobank Branch nearest your division (write NA if not applicable): Metrobank Branch Manager: Name of Metrobank Branch Address: INSTRUCTIONS: (To be filled out by the DepEd Division Math Supervisors). Please specify under the "Elimination Centers" column the venues of the competition, while under the Grades/Year Level column please indicate the summary or the total number of contestants per grade/year level per center that will participate in the Elimination Round. Please note that there may be one center per district or cluster of districts. **GRADE / YEAR LEVELS** (e.g. Grades 1 to 6; 1st year to 4th years) **ELIMINATION CENTERS** Public Public Public Private Public Private Public Private Public Private Private Private 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. Please use additional sheets if necessary. Total Number of Participating Schools in the Elimination Round: Public: Private: _____

Signed:

Division Math Supervisor

IMPORTANT: Please fax this form to MTAP Office c/o **Sr. Iluminada C. Coronel, F.M.M.** at telefax no. **(02) 912-5249 on or before December 15, 2010**. Failure to submit on said date may cause delay in sending the test materials for the Elimination Round, which is scheduled on January 13-14, 2011. Delivery of test materials is on a first come – first serve basis.