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MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES MONTH 2024

The University of the Philippines Los Baños Mathematical Sciences Society (UPLB MASS) will be conducting the Mathematical Sciences Month 2024 on October 1–26, 2024.

This year's celebration will focus on the theme, Live Now: Unboxing Mathematical Sciences in the Digital Age, highlighting the intersection of Mathematical Sciences and Social Media through the conduct of activities and competitions.

1. National Mathematical Challenge (MATHEMATCH) 2024
A 3-member team quiz competition open to all Junior High School (JHS) and Senior High School (SHS) students nationwide.

2. Teachers' Seminar

A seminar for the coaches/teachers of the participating students in the National Mathematical Challenge (MATHEMATCH) 2024 that aims to enhance their understanding and application of key concepts related to the event's theme.

3. STAT the Fact 2024

An online infographic making competition that challenges participants to create an infographic based on this year's theme for the National Statistics Month. This is open to all JHS and SHS students nationwide.

4. CyberSine 2024

An online short video making competition that aims to celebrate the significance of Computer Science within this year's Mathematical Sciences Month theme. This is open to all JHS and SHS students nationwide.

Participants of public and private schools shall be subject to the no disruption of classes policy stipulated in DepEd Order (DO) No. 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith and the policy on off-campus activities stated in DO 66 s. 2017. This is also subject to the no-collection policy as stated in Section 3 of Republic Act No. 5546 also known as An Act Prohibiting the Sale of Tickets and/or the Collection of Contributions for Whatever Project or Purpose from Students and Teachers of Public and Private Schools, Colleges and Universities (Ganzon Law).

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