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THE 2013 MTG-DEPED QUALIFYING EXAMINATION AND INTERNATIONAL
MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE COMPETITIONS

The Mathematics Trainers' Guild (MTG), Philippines will administer the *2013 MTG-DepEd Qualifying Examination* on July 20, 2013 and the *International Mathematics and Science Competitions* on the following dates and venues:

| Qualifying Examination/Competition | Date | Venue |
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| Junior Balkans Mathematics Olympiad | June 21-26, 2013 | Istanbul, Turkey |
| Bulgaria International Mathematics Competition | June 28-July 5, 2013 | Burgas, Bulgaria |
| Brand's International Sudoku Championship | July 13-14, 2013 | Bangkok, Thailand |
| Po Leung Kuk Primary Math World Contest | July 14-18, 2013 | Hong Kong |
| China Southeast Math Olympiad | July 20-25, 2013 | Jiangxi Province, China |
| Environmental Math Contest | July 23-26, 2013 | Hong Kong |
| Search for Math Wizard Math Asia Cup | | |
| Singapore International Math Competition | August 2-5, 2013 | Singapore |
| China Girls' Mathematics Olympiad | August 5-10, 2013 | Zhejiang, China |
| World Sudoku Championship | October 12-19, 2013 | Beijing, China |

The Qualifying Examination aims to:

1. seek to evaluate the breadth of the students' mathematical knowledge and skills;
2. select superior students in the field of Mathematics for further training and advancement;
3. provide the Filipino youth the appropriate avenue to enhance their mathematical skills through phases of intensive Mathematics training programs; and
4. develop the mathematical potentials of the Mathematics promising students to meet the international Mathematics Standards.

The target participants in the Qualifying Examination are the Math-inclined or Math-promising elementary pupils and secondary students from both public and private schools nationwide.

The students who will pass the Qualifying Examination shall be eligible to enrol as trainees in the 12-Saturday Mathematical Challenge for Filipino Kids Training Program (MCFKTP) and Young Mathematicians In-House Intensive Training Program (YMIITP) and Mathematical Olympiad Summer Training Program (MOSTP)

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to 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*.

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