



March 24, 2017

**REGIONAL MEMORANDUM**

No. 065, s. 2017


**2017 METROBANK-MTAP-DEPED MATH CHALLENGE  
REGIONAL FINALS**

**To: Schools Division Superintendents**

1. The Department of Education Regional Office VI, Metrobank, and MTAP will conduct the 2017 Regional Math Challenge at Iloilo National High School, La Paz, Iloilo City on March 31, 2017.
2. The overall objective of the Competition is to contribute to the improvement of the quality of Mathematics Education in the Philippines through the following:
  - a. awakening greater interest in Mathematics among elementary and secondary school learners;
  - b. encouraging them to strive for excellence in Mathematics;
  - c. discovering mathematical talents among them;
  - d. developing the values of hard work, perseverance, honesty, teamwork, and sportsmanship; and
  - e. providing them with opportunities in leadership and cooperative undertaking.
3. Participants to this activity are Division topnotcher who meet the hurdle rate for Individual Category (25 points out of a perfect score of 50); Team Category (30 points out of a perfect score of 60); Official coaches; Principals, and Education Program Supervisors who are required to be at the venue at 7 o'clock in the morning for registration and Opening Program at 8:00 o'clock, after which the contest proper will begin.
4. A registration fee of FIVE HUNDRED PESOS (P500.00) will be charged each participant to cover expenses for the lunch and snacks, operational expenses and tokens for judges.
5. The Mathematics Education Program Supervisor shall submit a completion report on the conduct of the Elimination and Schools Division Finals on or before March 23, 2017 through this email address - [mmc\\_secretariat@yahoo.com](mailto:mmc_secretariat@yahoo.com), while results of the Division Level Competition shall be submitted to Mr. Jerry A. Oquendo, Education Program Supervisor, office of Curriculum and Learning Management Division, DepEd Region VI, Duran Street, Iloilo City, on the same date.

6. Attendance of public school participants is on official time and 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. Participants from private schools shall make necessary arrangements for their expenses with their School Heads.

7. Wide and immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

  
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Incl.: none

Reference: DepEd Memo No. 22, s. 2017 and letter of  
Irene D. Labitad, MTAP- Asst. Executive Director

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