



Mathematical Olympiads for Elementary & Middle Schools

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Welcome to the 42nd year of creative problem solving with MOEMS[®] - Mathematical Olympiads for Elementary & Middle Schools. We are very excited to see if our far-reaching contests continue to grow around the United States and the many other countries in which we are a presence. If you were involved last year, your team was a part of the 5,050 teams participating. If you are new to MOEMS, we are excited to have you “on board” and look forward to hearing about yours and your students’ experience.

As a reminder, all scores and score corrections must be made by you on our website. Entering those scores right after a contest is administered is the best way to assure you will not forget to do so. Since scores and statistics from all other teams are immediately available to you, you will be able to report back to your mathletes to let them know how they are doing “against” the rest of the world! All results and corrections must be entered by March 31, 2021.

Don’t be disappointed in May!!

The awards package of any team whose results are not completed and entered by March 31st will be processed based upon only the results reported until that date. Simply stated, scores sent to us on April 1st or later will result in a partial awards package, followed by the balance of your awards (we call these “supplemental awards”) after June 1, 2021.

Although our contests provide excitement and enrichment for your students on their own merit, you can add to their enthusiasm by entering their scores on the website soon after the contest, so they can see how well they fare among the 150,00 students on six continents around the world. If you need help accomplishing the score reporting, feel free to call us at 516.781.2400 and one of us will walk you through it.

Contest Dates

The table below lists the possible administration-of-contest dates for this year. Hopefully, none of these ranges will be an issue, as long as you plan your contests well in advance. The dates listed are for both Division E and Division M teams, OnPaper and OnLine contests.

Contest #	Administration Window		Final Date for Score Entry (by 11:59 PM)
	Earliest Date	Latest Date	
1	Mon, Nov 16, 2020	Sat, Dec 12, 2020	Sat, Jan 9, 2021
2	Mon, Dec 14, 2020	Sat, Jan 16, 2021	Sat, Jan 30, 2021
3	Mon, Jan 11, 2021	Sat, Feb 13, 2021	Sat, Feb 27, 2021
4	Mon, Feb 8, 2021	Sat, Mar 6, 2021	Sat Mar 20, 2021
5	Mon, Mar 8, 2021	Wed, Mar 31, 2021	Wed, Mar 31, 2021

A Few Reminders

Contests may be given at your convenience, but NEVER BEFORE the listed “Earliest Date” for that contest. Ideally, the contest should be given as soon as possible on or after that “Earliest Date” to allow enough time to enter your students’ scores. Scores entered later than the “Final Date for Score Entry” will be assessed a late fee.

There are no make-up contests for individual students. If you are aware of some activity that will cause several students to miss a contest, simply schedule your contest on a more suitable date, so that all the students may take the contest in the same place at the same time.

These dates also apply to Institute Teams. Please remember that there should be no student on an Institute Team who comes from a school where a MOEMS team exists at that level.

Enjoy MOEMS[®] and your academic year!