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**REGIONAL SCIMATH BATTLE BY THE PHILIPPINE SCIENCE HIGH  
SCHOOL – EASTERN VISAYAS CAMPUS (PSHS-EVC)**

Attached is the letter from the PSHS-EVC, dated September 15, 2025,  
announcing the conduct of the Regional SCIMATH Battle on October 29, 2025 at  
PSHS-EVC, Pawing, Palo, Leyte.

The target participants are Grade 6 learners and teachers. The Schools  
Division Offices are to identify the team of 2 learners who will join the said activity  
per identified number of slots.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-  
disruption-of-classes policy* stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 titled *Instituting  
Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

See the attached letter for more information or contact:

Cary Von Alano  
Mobile No.: 0998-867-3211  
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Considering that this is an Advisory, Schools Division Superintendents are  
given the discretion to act on this matter.

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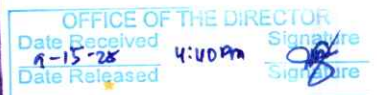
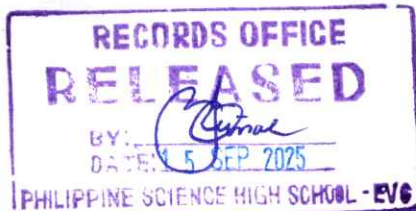
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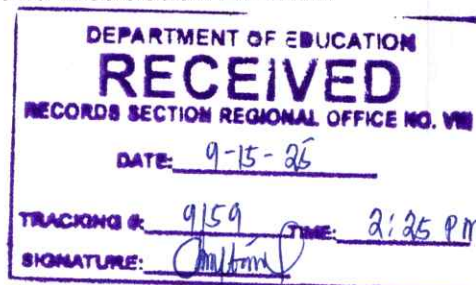
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September 15, 2025

**DIR. RONELO AL K. FIRMO**

OIC Regional Director

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Dear Dir. Firmo,

Greetings!

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In this regard, we would like to invite one (1) team to represent each Division and an additional slot for our five (5) adopted schools. The registration per team is free of charge. The identified participants are as follows:

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1	Baybay City	1
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7	Leyte	1
8	Maasin City	1
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10	Ormoc City	1
11	Samar	1
12	Southern Leyte	1
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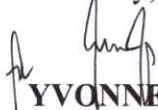
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Please refer to the attached mechanics of the 2025 Regional SCIMATH Battle.

We look forward to a fruitful collaboration with you and your teachers!

Sincerely,

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**YVONNE M. ESPERAS**  
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**MECHANICS**  
**2025 Regional SCIMATH Battle**

**I. DATES AND VENUES**

STAGE/LEG	VENUE	DATE
Regional Eliminations	PSHS-EVC Main Auditorium	October 29, 2025

**II. ELIGIBILITY**

1. The quiz show is open to bona fide **Grade 6** pupils of the current school year.
2. Each school is allowed to field only **one (1) team**, composed of two (2) members: **one (1) male and one (1) female**.
3. Each participating school shall have one official coach only. If the school has no coach, the privilege shall be given to the principal or any school representative.
4. The contestants must be in their school uniform and ID during the competition.

**III. GENERAL MECHANICS**

1. The quiz show shall have three rounds: **Easy, Average, and Difficult**.
  - a. There will be a total of **25 questions**: 10 multiple-choice questions for the Easy and Average rounds and 5 identification and problem-solving questions for the Difficult round.
  - b. Each correct answer shall have a **corresponding point**: 1 point for Easy, 3 points for Average, and 5 points for Difficult.
  - c. Each question for each round must be **answered within the time allocated** for it: 10 seconds for Easy, 20 seconds for Average, and 30 seconds for Difficult.
  - d. The questions will cover the scope of the National Competitive Examination: **Scientific Ability, Quantitative Ability, Abstract Reasoning, and Verbal Ability**.

Particulars	Easy	Average	Difficult	Clincher
Point/s per correct answer	1	3	5	In case of a tie, a sudden-death playoff shall be conducted between or among the teams with equal scores until a winner emerges.
Number of Questions	10	10	5	
Type of Questions	Multiple Choice		Identification and Problem Solving	
Time Limit, seconds	10	20	30	

Scope	Number of Questions		
	Easy	Average	Difficult
Science	3	3	1
Math	3	3	2
Abstract	2	2	1
English	2	2	1

2. The top 3 teams with the highest points will be declared the winners for each stage of the quiz show.
3. However, only the top 1 team to emerge during the Regional Eliminations shall proceed and be the official representative of the region to the National Category.
  - a. In the event that 1 member or both members of the winning team from the Regional Eliminations is unavailable to compete during the National Finals, a replacement shall be taken from the next team in rank.
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#### IV. QUIZ SHOW PROPER MECHANICS

1. Before the quiz show starts, each team will be provided with the following:
  - a whiteboard where they will write their answers using a marker; and
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2. The use of calculators or any computing devices is **NOT** allowed.
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#### V. PROTESTS

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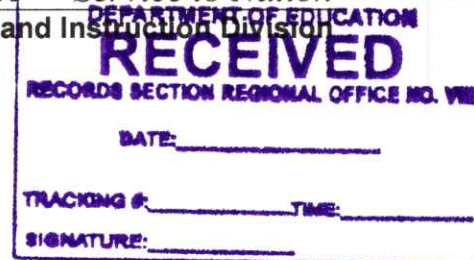
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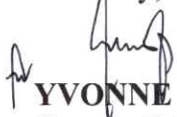
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