OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGH SCHOOL MATH TEAMS

CONTESTS AND TOURNAMENTS AT YOUR SCHOOL AND AROUND THE SOUTHEAST

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SIX ROUND CONTESTS

Georgia Math League \$75 fee
At least 5 students
www.mathleague.com

ATLANTIC-PACIFIC MATH LEAGUE \$75 fee

At least 10 students mysite.verizon.net/atpachome

American Scholastic Math Association \$65 fee

At least 8 students www.asan.com/asa



FIVE ROUND CONTESTS

Mandelbrot Regional or National, \$32, both levels for \$48 At least 4 students www.mandelbrot.org

CONTINENTAL MATH LEAGUE 9th grade

\$85 first team, additional \$70 At least 6 students www.continentalmathematicsleague.com



FOUR-ROUND CONTESTS

CONTINENTAL MATH LEAGUE calculus

\$85 first team, additional \$70

At least 6 students

www.continental mathematics league.com



Three-Round Contests

MANDELBROT TEAM PLAY \$32; up to 2 more teams at \$8 each

Must also register for Competition

4-student teams

www.mandelbrot.org

ROCKET CITY MATH LEAGUE FREE!

At least 5 students www.rocketcitymath.org

Mu Alpha Theta Log 1 FREE!

Three levels; at least 2 students per level Topic test, ciphering, general www.mualphatheta.org/Contests/Log1.aspx



NATIONAL ASSESSMENT & TESTING

FALL START-UP Individual speed contest
TEAM SCRAMBLE Full team speed contest
CIPHERING TIME TRIALS individual ciphering
FOUR-BY-FOUR 4-person team ciphering
COLLABORATIVE Week-long full team contest
\$50 each; all 5 for \$200
www.natassessment.com



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Web-based Contests

I-TEST FREE

50+ problems, 5 days Five students form a team on-line www.theitest.com

On-Line Math League \$80 per level

Alg, Geo, Alg II, Calculus At least 4 students per level www.academicleagues.com/math.asp



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JV AND VARSITY TOURNAMENTS

COBB COUNTY INVITATIONAL Don.Slater@cobbk12.ga.us
ROCKDALE cgarner@rockdale.k12.ga.us
LASSITER INVITATIONAL Don.Slater@cobbk12.ga.us
NORTHVIEW INVITATIONAL stone@fultonschools.org
St. Valentine's Day Mathacre mathacre.shorturl.com
DWIGHT LOVE/GREATER ATLANTA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
clawrence@greateraltantachristian.org



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Tournaments

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VARSITY TOURNAMENTS

University of Georgia

MERCER UNIVERSITY

ARMSTRONG ATLANTIC JV

Augusta State

Georgia Southern JV

Georgia Southwestern

GEORGIA TECH JV

COLUMBUS STATE

NORTH GEORGIA COLLEGE

Valdosta State



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VESTAVIA HILLS HIGH SCHOOL

DUKE UNIVERSITY

CHATTACHOOCHEE VALLEY

College of Charleston

FURMAN UNIVERSITY

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

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STEP 1: THE AMC

- ► AMC10, AMC12
- ▶ The most popular national contest
- AMC A: Feb 10; AMC B: Feb 25 Take Both!
- ▶ \$40 + \$16 per 10
- Score over 100 on AMC12 or score in top 1% on AMC10 move on to AIME

STEP 2: THE AIME

- ► March 17 OR April 1 Not Both!
- ► FREE
- ▶ 3 hours, 15 problems
- ▶ "USAMO Index" = $AMC score + (10 \times AIME score)$
- ► Goal is to select 500 students to move on to UASMO



STEP 3: THE USAMO

- ► April 28 & 29
- ► FREE
- ▶ 3 proofs in 4.5 hours each day for two days
- ► Select MOSP participants from USAMO
- ► Top 6 form IMO team

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STEP 1: COLLECT RESULTS

- ► AMC & AIME scores as indicators
- Kennesaw State Contest results (Georgia's own AMC on Oct 29; Round 2 for qualifiers is Feb 4. math.kennesaw.edu/~ckoppelm)
- ► Tournament results The more ARML people in attendance, the better
- ► GCTM State Tournament Last Saturday in April – Invitation only!



STEP 2: FORM A TEAM

- ▶ Up to 45 students to form 3 teams of 15 plus 3 alternates
- ▶ We pick you, or you pick yourself
- ▶ Practice Sundays in May and on Memorial Day



STEP 3: ARML!

- ▶ First weekend after Memorial Day
- ▶ Penn State, UNLV, University of Iowa, UGA
- www.arml.com