## **PRMO - 2019**

## Pre-RMO exam: First step to Indian Mathematical Olympiad 2019-20

- 1. The pre-Regional Mathematical Olympiad (PRMO) exam will be held on **August 11, 2019**, **between 10.00 AM to 1.00 PM** at different centres all over India. In order to be eligible for selection to the next stage of the Mathematical Olympiad Programme in India, namely, the Regional Mathematical Olympiad (RMO) it is mandatory that students qualify through this centrally administered PRMO. The PRMO exam will be organized by MTA (Mathematics Teachers' Association). The website for PRMO is available at
  - http://www.mtai.org.in/prmo
- 2. Eligibility: Candidates born on or after August 1, 2000 and studying in Class 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12 are eligible to write PRMO 2019.
- 3. The PRMO will be a machine-correctable 3-hour duration test with 30 questions. Each question has an answer which is a number with one or two digits. Sample PRMO questions and Sample OMR sheet showing marked answers can be downloaded from <a href="http://olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in/how-to-prepare/past-papers/">http://olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in/how-to-prepare/past-papers/</a>.
- 4. The fee will be Rs 230.00 for each non-KV and non-JNV student. The registration centre will retain Rs 20.00 (to be used for making student lists and printing admission tickets) and remit the balance of Rs 210.00 to MTA. There will be a reduced fee of Rs.125.00 for each KV and Rs.100 for each JNV student. For such students, the registration centre will remit the entire amount (Rs.125 or Rs.100) to MTA.
- 5. All KV and JNV students have to register through their schools to avail the reduced fee.
- 6. The PRMO exam portal will be open from **June 1 to July 7 for student registration** through registered Centres.
- 7. Non KV and Non JNV students can also directly register for the PRMO exam through the portal. Such registration will be provisional and subject to verification by a designated registration Centre. The link for direct student registration will be available from July 1 to July 7, 2019.
- 8. Students can approach one of the approved "registration centres" in this list and register through them for the PRMO exam between June 15 and July 7, 2019 for a fee of Rs 230.00 (and reduced fee of Rs.125.00 for KV and JNV students). Optionally, non KV and non JNV students can also register directly from the portal between July 1 and July 7, 2019 (see para 10 above.) However they must complete the verification process through a designated registration centre.
- 9. From each region, the top (up to) 300 students from Classes 8, 9, 10, 11 and the top (up to) 60 students from Class 12 will be eligible to write the Regional Mathematics Olympiad exam. For the KV, JNV schools which have a countrywide coverage, the number to be selected is up to 5 per cent from Classes 8, 9, 10, 11 and up to 1 per cent from Class 12, of the number of registrations.
- 10. All further steps of the Indian Mathematical Olympiad programme, subsequent to the PRMO exam, will be conducted by HBCSE. For details go to this link: <a href="https://olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in">https://olympiads.hbcse.tifr.res.in</a>.