

# 2012 International Math Contest (IMC) Team Tryouts

**1) IMAS TRYOUT:** (Hong Kong Summer Camp Qualifying Round 1)

**Date:** Wed 12/7/11 at *Fremont* or Thu 12/8/11 at *Cupertino* **Time:** 7- 8:30 pm

**2) IMC TRYOUT:** (IMC-Taiwan Qualifying Round and Hong Kong Summer Camp Qualifying Round 2)

**Date:** Wed 2/8/12 at *Fremont* or Thu 2/9/11 at *Cupertino* **Time:** 7- 8:30 pm

For registration info, visit website: [www.mathedge.org/imc2012.html](http://www.mathedge.org/imc2012.html) or contact Yick Cheung at (510) 468-6959 or email at [imc2012\\_tryout@yahoo.com](mailto:imc2012_tryout@yahoo.com).

## Try Out To Enter A Prestigious World Math Competition in Taiwan and 12-Week Training:

If your child enjoys solving math problems, he/she is invited to try out for the **USA-Silicon Valley** teams that will compete in an **International Math Contest in Taiwan in July 25-30, 2012**. It is a unique opportunity for Grades 3-9 students to have an academic and a cultural experience with children from around the world. Having participated in International Math Competitions for the past 7 years, the **USA-Silicon Valley** teams have won dozens of honorable awards and received a lot of press coverage. At last year's IMC 2011 held in Indonesia, the teams won **Champion and 2<sup>nd</sup> runner-up in team awards** and all **8 individual awards**.

The competition is composed of two divisions:

- 1) Lower level (students must **be grade 6 or lower**)
- 2) Upper level (students must **be grade 9 or lower**)

Student who scores in the top10% in the 2) IMC tryout will be invited to go through a 12-week intensive training. Another test will be administered to determine the final students representing the USA teams to compete in Taiwan. **For these students, all expenses (except airfare) for room & board, and local tours in Taiwan during the six days will be covered.**

## Qualify for Free Summer Camp Training in Hong Kong Conducted by IMAS

International Mathematics Assessments for Schools (IMAS) is a world-class mathematics assessment test organized by IMAS Executive Council. It offers 2 rounds of contests, followed by a summer camp in Hong Kong.

For the students who performed well in both rounds of IMAS contests, a free **Summer Camp will be held in July at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University**. This is a good opportunity for the participants to promote friendships with students from different countries and learn mathematics from world-class instructors. **Free training, meals, and accommodation (except airfare) will be provided for the invited participants.**

## Tryout Awards:

**From the IMAS Round 1 tryout results, the top 3 students in each grade will receive a trophy. In addition here would be IMAS awards:**

From the **IMAS Round 1** results, the students will receive a **personal report and certificates** according to their percentile ranking: High Distinction (above 95 percentile), Distinction (above 85 and below 95 percentile), Credit (above 50 and below 85 percentile) and Participation (below 50 percentile).

From the IMC Tryout (**IMAS Round 2**) results, the top 30% percentile participants will receive **medals** according to their percentile ranking: Gold (top 5% percentile), Silver (6% to 15% percentile) and Bronze (16% to 30% percentile).

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