# 2024 Math Kangaroo

The largest youth math competition in the world



**103** 103 countries

and regions participating

## Bilingual

Chinese and English papers are provided for Chinese students

# 6,000,000

Around 6 million candidates in the world

# 65%

More than 65% of participants receive awards

## **44 years** Founded in 1980 44 years of history

Past Paper

Past papers offered

for preparation

# Interest

A contest that can inspire students' interest in math

# Camp

Gold Award participants are eligible for Kangaroo Europe and Asia camps

Participation Grades: Grades 1-12, categorized into six levels of difficulty Date: Mar. 30, 2024 (Sat.) Registration Deadline: Mar. 15, 2024 Each level contains two grades, and each grade will be awarded separately

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Scan the QR code to register

#### MATH KANGAROD Math Kangaroo Introduction

Math Kangaroo was proposed by Peter O'Halloran, an Australian mathematician and teacher, in the 1980's. In 1991, this idea was taken up in Paris, France. Very quickly, it spread throughout Europe. The competition began to be called "Kangaroo" because of its Australian origin. The main purpose of Math Kangaroo is to promote mathematical thinking and stimulate an interest in math, by providing students with an opportunity to compare their abilities against the abilities of other students, from different countries around the world. Math Kangaroo is now the largest math competition for school students in the world. As of now, it has been held in 103 countries and regions. In 2023, approximately 6 million students participated globally, with around 900,000 students from Brazil. Traditional mathematical powerhouses such as Germany and Russia contributed approximately 800,000 and 400,000 participants respectively. Countries like France, the Czech Republic, and Poland each had around 300,000 participants, while Kazakhstan, Ukraine, Austria, the Netherlands, and Belgium all had over 100,000 young students participating. The Math Kangaroo Activity has a history of over 20 years in the United States, with rapidly increasing annual participation, particularly in California, which has a significant Asian population, where Math Kangaroo slots are in high demand.



## **Competition Rules & Information**

Language: English/Chinese

Location: Paper-based in partnering school (online service application accepted)

Format: Individual test, multiple-choice questions

Participation Grades: From 1st grade to 12th grade (Grades 1-12), categorized into six levels of difficulty

Level	Corresponding Grade	Date	Scoring System
Level A	Grade 1-2	Mar. 30, 2024	Level A-B: 24 multiple-choice questions with a total score of 120. The starting score is 24 points. Questions 1-8 are worth 3 points. Questions 9-16 are worth 4 points. Questions 17-24 are worth 5 points. (1 point will
Level B	Grade 3-4	(Sat.) 10:00-11:15	be deducted for wrong answers, and no point will be deducted for blank answers.)
Level C	Grade 5-6		Level C-F: 30 multiple-choice questions with a total score of 150. The
Level D	Grade 7-8	Mar. 30, 2024	starting score is 30 points. Questions 1-10 are worth 3 points. Questions
Level E	Grade 9-10	(Sat.)	11-20 are worth 4 points. Questions 21-30 are worth 5 points. (1 point will be deducted for wrong answers, and no point will be deducted for blank
Level F	Grade 11-12	14:00-15:15	answers.)

\* Level A provide Chinese questions reading to ensure that young participants can understand the questions.

\* Students can choose to register for the level higher than their grade, but can not choose the level lower than their grade.

#### Awards

**Global Awards** 

Math Kangaroo Perfect Score: Full marks

#### **National Awards**

- Top Gold: Top 5%
- Gold Award: Top 15%
- Silver Award: Top 25%
- Bronze Award: Top 40%
- Proficiency Award: Top 25% by Province / Municipality / Autonomous Region / Special autonomous region (after national awards)

\* Each grade will be awarded separately. Students with a perfect score will receive a medal as well.

### **Registration Details**

Fee: 184HKD/160RMB per student (includes exam, grading, certificate, proctor fee, past-papers)
\* Priced in HKD. The RMB price varies with the exchange rate.

Deadline: Mar. 15, 2024

**Registration:** Scan the QR code on the cover or register through the school

## The Math Kangaroo International Gold Award Camp

To deepen the dissemination of the "Kangaroo Without Borders", with the goal of nurturing future mathematicians, Kangaroo Global organizes the International Math Camp every summer. It exclusively invites award winners, primarily those with gold or above awards.

In the upcoming summer of 2024, award-winning participants from China will have a unique opportunity to participate in both the Kangaroo Asia Camp and Kangaroo Europe Camp.

Academic Modules: the Kangaroo Individual and Team Challenges, keynote lectures by leading mathematicians, workshops and social activities, Math Bazaar, etc.

Date: Early August 2024

Location: Hainan, China

Language: English

**Age:** Open to students in grades 5-10, for those who have achieved gold or above awards in C, D, and E levels (JR and SR committees)

\* Students who have achieved gold or above awards in D/E levels (grades 7-10) will also be invited to participate in the Kangaroo Europe Camp organized by France or Poland.

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