

2010 CHEMISTRY OLYMPIAD

RULES FOR THE EXAMINATION HELD ON March 6 and March 7, 2010

1. Each school entering students in this competition must complete the enclosed registration form. Please type or print the information and submit the form along with the \$25.00 fee (check made out to ACS - New York Section) to:

Dr. Stephen Z. Goldberg
Chemistry/Adelphi
Box 701
Garden City, NY 11530
2. The **maximum number of students** that may be entered is six (**6**); **however, a school may register up to twelve (12) students by submitting two registration forms and a total registration fee of \$50.00.**
3. The registration form and fee must be received at the above address on or before Wednesday, February 17, 2010.
4. Students from schools that have not registered will not be admitted to the examination.
5. Receipt of registration form and fee will be acknowledged by February 24, 2010. If you (the teacher completing the form) do not receive this verification by February 24 you must call Dr. Stephen Z. Goldberg at 516-877-4147.
6. Please have each student select the appropriate test center and record it next to each student's name on the registration form. Please provide all information requested for each student so that we may contact the student if s/he qualifies for the National Exam.
7. Each student must bring two (2), sharpened #2 pencils to the examination.
8. Non-programmable calculators are permitted (battery operated only). Graphing calculators or other programmable calculators are not permitted and if students bring them they will not be allowed to use them. NO CELL PHONES OR OTHER ELECTRONIC DEVICES ARE PERMITTED.
9. Be sure the student is aware of the correct test center and date of the exam. Students should arrive at least 20 minutes before the exam. The exam will begin at 10:00 a.m.
10. A copy of student's scores, the statistical data available, and Certificates of Participation will be mailed to each school.
11. Please advise the students that there will be no penalty for incorrect answers.
12. The committee in charge of the competition will notify the students, who are eligible to take the national examination, by March 19, 2010
13. **All students who take the USNCO national examination, April 24-25, 2010, MUST BE U.S. CITIZENS on the day the examination is taken in April.**
14. **IMPORTANT:** Under no circumstances should students or parents contact Professor Goldberg or any of the site coordinators. Any necessary contacts should be made by the teacher. **Failure to comply with this may result in the disqualification of the student or, in extreme cases, of the entire school.**