

2023 Kiwi English, Mathematics and Science Competitions



Dear Parents / Caregivers / Whānau

The University of Canterbury is offering your child the opportunity to participate in the KIWI English, Mathematics and Science competitions. These competitions take place annually and are designed by New Zealand teachers for New Zealand students based on the New Zealand Curriculum. For further information, please consult the CAM website www.canterbury.ac.nz/cam.

The competitions are open to all Year 5-10 students in English, Mathematics and Science. Students can enter in one or more subjects. Each competition will provide parents/caregivers with an individual student report of their child's overall performance. These are available through your school. The supervised online tests will take place in the last 3 weeks of Term 2 and the first week of Term 3. **The competitions are to be administered at school under exam conditions and supervised.**

All participating students will receive a certificate and a prize will be awarded to the top student nationally in each competition. If two or more students share the same top score then the prize is awarded to the student with the highest speed and accuracy.

There will not be any practice test papers. These online tests are provided primarily as a competition and not as a teaching resource.

| COMPETITION DATES | English | Mathematics | Science |
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| Golflands Campus | Tue 20th June | Thu 22nd June | Wed 28th June |
| Mt Albert Campus | Wed 21st June | Fri 23rd June | Tue 27th June |

If you would like your child to participate in these competitions, please follow these steps:

1. Read the information at this link: <https://www.canterbury.ac.nz/cam/kiwi-competitions/>
2. Use this link to register before **Monday 3rd April 2023**: <https://forms.gle/yyLF52tb4Wsitj5c6>
3. Make the payment of \$9.90 per test on the KAMAR Parent Portal before **Friday 28th April 2023**.

If you have any questions please email your campus office: golflands@elim.school.nz or mtalbert@elim.school.nz

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