



**THE 55<sup>th</sup>  
NATIONAL SCIENCE  
OLYMPIAD  
COMPETITION  
PHYSICAL SCIENCES**

**ENTER  
YOUR  
GRADE 10 – 12 LEARNERS  
TO WRITE  
PHYSICAL SCIENCES  
DURING THE 2019  
NATIONAL  
SCIENCE OLYMPIAD**



**ENTRY SUMMARY – PHYSICAL SCIENCES**

**Closing date – 08 February 2019**

**Exam date - 14 May 2019**

	Male	Female	Total	District Municipality	
Grade 10					
Grade 11				Total Afrikaans	Total English

# ENTRY GUIDELINES - PHYSICAL SCIENCES

## The 55<sup>th</sup> National Science Olympiad

**Closing Date – 8 February 2019**

### EDUCATORS:

- Please help motivate your learners to experience the thrill of competing with others from around the country in the National Science Olympiad.
- Help coordinate learners participation in this event.
- Only learners in grade 10, 11, and 12 may enter to compete for a range of exciting prizes.
- Help your learners prepare by accessing Olympiad papers from previous years at [www.saasta.ac.za](http://www.saasta.ac.za) (click on “National Science Olympiad”).

### EXAMINATION:

- The National Science Olympiad will comprise of two papers, namely Physical Sciences and Life Sciences (Biology).
- Learners may choose to enter for one of the papers or both.
- Minimum of 50% of the paper will be based on High School syllabus (Grade10 to 12).

### PLEASE NOTE:

- All learners should be entered before the closing date.
- National Science Olympiad Physical Sciences examinations will be written on Tuesday 14 May 2019 from 12:00 - 15:00 under the supervision of the teacher at the school (no need to worry about transport).
- Results and certificates are sent to schools. Certificates will be awarded to learners obtaining 50% and above. SAASTA will ensure that question papers are distributed to schools before the exam and collected thereafter.

### PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO:

- The TOP THREE NATIONAL WINNERS
- TOP PROVINCIAL WINNER (Excluding top National Winners)
- TOP GIRL LEARNER
- TOP GRADE 10 LEARNER
- TOP GRADE 11 LEARNER
- The TOP PERFORMING SCHOOL within HARMONY AREAS OF OPERATIONS
- The TOP LEARNER from SADC Schools
- The TOP LEARNERS will attend a science focus week during September/October vacation in Pretoria

Prizes will include a possible opportunity to attend an International Science Event, desktop computers, iPods, iPads, laptops, digital cameras and book vouchers.

### 4 EASY STEPS TO ENTER

1. Complete the attached form and return it to SAASTA as soon as possible.
2. Schools are encouraged to register using the online platform at [www.saasta.tlabs.ac.za](http://www.saasta.tlabs.ac.za). In case you are unable to use the online platform, please confirm that your school's entry has been received.
3. The entry fee for learners will be R35.00 per learner.
4. Special arrangements can be made for schools/learners that cannot afford the entry fee. Principals should contact us for details before 01 December 2018.
5. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any questions:

Officials: Mr Ramoloi Maxalaba / Mrs Erna Taljaard  
Tel: 012 392 9300/9346/9337  
Fax: 086 603 4174  
E-mail: [scienceolympiad@saasta.ac.za](mailto:scienceolympiad@saasta.ac.za)



**The entry fee is not refundable.**

**Only cheques, postal orders and bank deposits are acceptable and must be made payable to SAASTA (See bank details on the entry form).**

**National Science Olympiad examination papers are available in English and Afrikaans, indicate your preference on the entry form.**

# APPLICATION FOR ENTRY- PHYSICAL SCIENCES

## The 55<sup>th</sup> National Science Olympiad

Closing date: 08 February 2019

Examination date: 14 May 2019

Kindly complete the entry form and ensure it reaches SAASTA before the above closing dates.

Name of school: .....

Postal address: .....

City/Town/Village: ..... Postal code: .....

Street address: .....

City/Town/Village: ..... Postal code: .....

School tel. no: ..... School fax no: .....

Email address: .....

Name of educator in-charge: .....

Teacher's tel. no: ..... Teacher's cell no: .....

Teacher's email address: .....

Name of HOD and contact details: .....

Number of question papers:  English  Afrikaans

Please tick the appropriate boxes: (✓)

	Urban	Rural	Township	Previously Disadvantaged
Public				
Private				N/A
Home - Schooled				N/A

MST School  YES  NO

School within  
Harmony areas  
of operation  YES  NO

Province /Country: .....

District Municipality: .....

Circuit: .....

Please indicate method of payment (by ticking the appropriate box):  Cheque  Postal Order  Direct deposit



**Bank Details**  
SAASTA  
ABSA  
Branch: Pretoria  
Account number: 40-6014-5672  
Branch code: 632005  
Ref: SCOL – School Name

**Postal Address**  
Science Olympiad  
SAASTA  
PO Box 1758  
Pretoria  
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### PLEASE NOTE:

Use the word SCOL and School name in the reference block when making a direct deposit  
Participation fee in 2019 is R35.00 per learner

# ENTRY FORM - PHYSICAL SCIENCES

## The 55<sup>th</sup> National Science Olympiad

School's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Learner							
No.	Surname	First name(s)	Initials	Afrikaans	English	Gender M/F	Grade (In 2019)
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Note: You can make copies of this page in order to enter as many learners as you want.