

## 2025 Kiwi English, Mathematics and Science Competitions



25 February 2025

Dear Parents and Caregivers

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

The competitions are open to all Year 5-10 students in English, Mathematics and Science. Students can only register for the year level they are currently in. Each student can enter in one or more subject. 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		
Science	Maths	English
Tue 17th June	Wed 18th June	Mon 23rd 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 **Friday 14th March 2025**: <https://forms.gle/7qsUGxnamMZ9Ewmf7>
3. Make the payment of \$9.90 per test on the KAMAR Parent Portal before **Friday 4th April 2025**.

If you have any questions please email your campus office: [golflands@elim.school.nz](mailto:golflands@elim.school.nz)

Kind regards

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