

NEO SCIENCE OLYMPIAD ONLINE EXAM TERMS AND PRIVACY POLICY

1. Exam duration is 75 minutes for 25 questions in all categories.
2. The NEO Science Olympiad team will monitor participants through the Zoom program. Violations will be recorded and assessed after the exams. If participants encounter issues with their Zoom connection or face disconnection during the exam, it is advised to proceed with the examination.
3. A counter will display the total exam time and the remaining time until the end of the exam on the screen.
4. **If the scores are equal, the student who finished the exam early has the advantage.**
5. By using the NEXT/PREVIOUS buttons, the questions can be viewed and answered.
6. There are 4 answers for each question. The correct answer can be chosen by marking the A-B-C-D buttons below.
7. The answered questions are displayed on the screen in their order. To return to the questions that have not been answered yet, you can just click the relevant question number on that table.
8. **Each wrong answer deducts 1 point from the overall score.**
9. It is strictly prohibited to use a smartphone, calculator, or any other electronic device for mathematical operations during the exam. Using paper, pen or pencil is allowed.
10. **If a student finishes the exam early and finalizes the exam by pressing the "END EXAM" button, he/she cannot activate the exam again.**
11. Don't worry if you accidentally close the window and exit the exam. If you exited the exam without confirming it, you can log in again and continue where you left off. Your answers will not be deleted. But your time will keep running out. In this case, don't forget to reconnect Zoom.
12. A warning message will appear on the screen if you open a page other than the NEO Science Olympiad exam portal. Violations will be recorded by the system. **Each tab error will deduct 0.5 point from the overall score.**
13. Students must answer the questions without assistance. It is prohibited to ask for assistance from any person, printed material, or electronic devices.
14. The exam will automatically **end after 75 minutes** after saving all your answers. Do not worry if you forget to click the END EXAM button.
15. Please don't raise your hands or do not use the "Raise Hand" feature on Zoom. If you have questions or need assistance, please **fill out the Help Desk form** on the homepage.
16. Please close the Zoom application to conclude the session after completing the exams.
17. Copying, photographing, reproducing, sharing or archiving questions from the exam screen is strictly prohibited. The exams of those responsible will be canceled in case of violations in this regard.
18. In case of a technical problem, the student's LOGs registered on the NEO Science Olympiad servers will be examined and an evaluation will be made by taking into account; the confirmation of exam regulations, whether the exam has/hasn't started, how many questions were viewed if the exam screen was opened, the time left on the exam screen and all the other actions recorded.
19. **The results of the Exams in the Chemistry and Biology Categories will be announced on 27 December 2023.**
20. The NEO Science Olympiad reserves all rights to publish and use the questions from the Olympiad. It may not be broadcasted, copied, or otherwise used in any way.

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