

**2010 REGISTRATION INFORMATION - PHILIPPINE SCHOOLS**

School Information:

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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School Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

School Fax No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

School Science Coordinator:

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Participants Information:

| Name of Participants | Year Level<br>(base on the in-coming SY 2010-11) |
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Note: In case you need more of this form, please reproduce.

**Registration Procedure**

1. The entry fee for each participant in competition is Php550.00 only.

2. FOR THE DEPOSITOR/PARTICIPANTS:  
Please deposit your payment to:

Bank Name: BPI Bank (Zamboanga City Branch)  
Account Name: MTG Philippines  
Peso Account No.: 2111-0214-68

Depositor should write the participant's complete name, grade/year level base on the incoming school year 2010-2011, school name, and kind of contest to be participated (2010 Big Science Competition) on the deposit slip and ENDORSE it to your respective school Science Coordinator.

3. FOR THE SCIENCE COORDINATOR:  
Science Coordinator will collate all the deposit slips and submit together with the Registration Form to the MTG Office:

**Mr. Jerome Salazar • (0906) 510-8776**  
Philippine Board of Studies Foundation Inc.  
3/F Unit 3A, ZAMEVECO BLDG.,  
51-53 Pilar Street, Zamboanga City 7000

*Note: We will not accept deposit slip and registration form sent thru fax or email*

4. Do not assume that once the deposit has been made, your entry will be automatically registered in our databank. We will only process and include your name as an official participant to the 2010 Big Science Competition only when we receive the original deposit slip with complete data of the registration form sent to us.

5. We do not accept any registration filed by individual student. It must be made through the recommendation of the school duly endorsed & signed by the Principal/ Science Coordinator.

MTG REGRETS THAT NO REGISTRATION REFUNDS ARE ALLOWED.

Registration ends on July 30, 2010

**big science competition**

Wednesday 1 September 2010

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## Big Science Competition

The Rio Tinto Big Science Competition allows students to discover their science talent while encouraging critical thinking and problem-solving skills. This international competition is open to students of all abilities in incoming school years 7-12 (HS 1st - 4th Year and 1st - 2nd year College)

### The Big Science Competition has taken a new look for 2010.

Competition questions are written by the Australian Council for Educational Research, Australia's leading authority in educational research. Questions are matched to the new Australian Science Curriculum. Schools will be sent a new diagnostic report, designed by teachers for teachers. All students will receive a certificate recognising their achievement. See our website for sample questions and report forms, and further details: [www.asi.edu.au](http://www.asi.edu.au)

## 2010 Competition Papers

Big Science Competition questions are based on cutting-edge scientific issues in the modern world such as climate change, biodiversity and the prevention of disease.

Content is aligned to the new Australian Science Curriculum and drawn from three inter-related strands:

- Science inquiry skills
- Science as a human endeavour
- Science understanding: the knowledge of science

There are three school divisions:

- Junior (Years 7 & 8) or HS 1st-2nd year
- Intermediate (Years 9 & 10) or HS 3rd-4th year
- Senior (Years 11 & 12) or 1st-2nd year college

Format: 30 multiple-choice questions

Time allowed: 60 minutes

## Student Awards

All students receive certificates based on their competition results ranging from High Distinction to Participation.

The top-scoring students are invited to an award ceremony to celebrate their achievements. These students are also encouraged to participate in the National Qualifying Exams for the Science Olympiads.

## About Us

### Australian Science Innovations

Australian Science Innovations (ASI) is an independent not-for-profit organisation which runs the Rio Tinto Big Science Competition and the Science Olympiads. Our aim is to enthuse students about science. We want to encourage them to study science and consider careers in science, technology, engineering and medicine. ASI activities are for students aged between 10 and 17, and their teachers.

For details on ASI programs:

[www.asi.edu.au](http://www.asi.edu.au)

## Rio Tinto & ASI

The Big Science Competition is a joint initiative between Rio Tinto and ASI. Rio Tinto is a leading international business involved in each stage of mineral and metal production. With production mainly from Australia and North America, Rio Tinto operates in more than 50 countries. As a company dependent on science and technology, Rio Tinto is committed to the development of science education in Australia.

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