

**International Mathematical Olympiad Preliminary Selection Contest -
Hong Kong 2022**

<Instruction to Contestants – Preparation Before Attending Briefing Session>

The **paper-based selection contest** will be **conducted online via Zoom meeting**. **The Briefing will be held on 11, 13, 14 & 15 May 2022. Contestants MUST attend the session assigned for you.**

About the briefing

All contestants must attend the briefing. You should be ready for the followings:

- Visit the [competition page](#) to check your contestant number and the briefing session assigned, read the Instruction to Contestants – Online Selection Contest Arrangements carefully.
- Set up your camera accordingly to our guideline.
- Prepare a photo of yourself holding your Identity card.
- Create a Google Account.
- Prepare Device 3 for taking photo of the answer papers. Install a scanning applications (If applicable).
- Zoom meeting information of briefing session is provided via email on 29 Apr.

1. Camera setup

- Your Device 2 or detachable webcam should be placed in a position that could capture your work area, screen of Device 1, and your upper body throughout the contest.
- A simple holder could be created with books, boxes, etc..

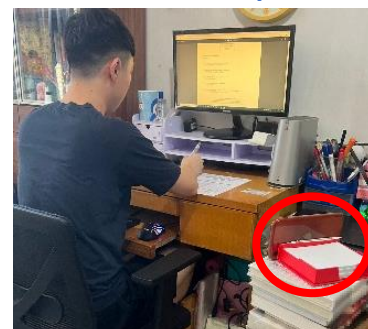
P.S. Make sure your Device 2 is stable on the holder and prevent it from falling.

- This is how you should position your camera to capture your work area.

Sample setup of home-made holder

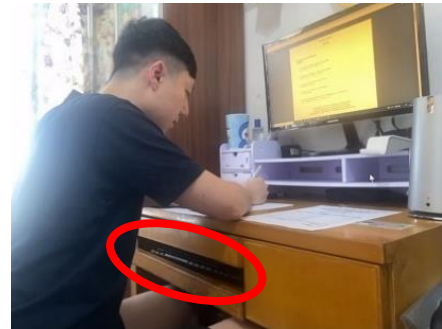


Student setup view



- This is how your invigilator will see you in Zoom.
- Make sure your stationaries, mouse, cups, etc. will not block the view of the camera.
- Control the light source or adjust the screen brightness to ensure the screen can be seen clearly on Zoom.
- Your upper body should be captured by the camera.
- If there is drawer for your desk, it should be captured by the camera.

Invigilator view of your Zoom



2. Holding your Identity card

Before attending the briefing session:

- Prepare a photo of yourself holding the ID Card.
- Full name, birthday, ID number, and picture on your ID card, and your face must be shown clearly in the photo.

Holding your Identity card



3. Download scanning applications

- You may be required to stay behind and submit the draft papers if: Your network is disconnected for a long time / your time in washroom is too long / any irregularity occurred.
- Using scanning apps to take photos of your answer papers could make your photo more readable. It could also help you convert the photos into one PDF file.
- We suggest the applications “CamScanner”:
 Google: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.intsig.camscanner&hl=zh_HK&gl=US
 Apple: <https://apps.apple.com/hk/app/id388627783>
- You could also use other suitable applications.
- Please download a suitable applications before the briefing session to have a trial in submitting draft papers