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INVITATION TO INTERNATIONAL CODING OLYMPIAD

Attached is an invitation to the International Coding Olympiad-The World's
Largest Coding Olympiad.

Please refer to the attached document for further details.

For information and guidance.

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CODING OLYMPIAD**www.codingolympiad.org**Dear Students and Teachers,**

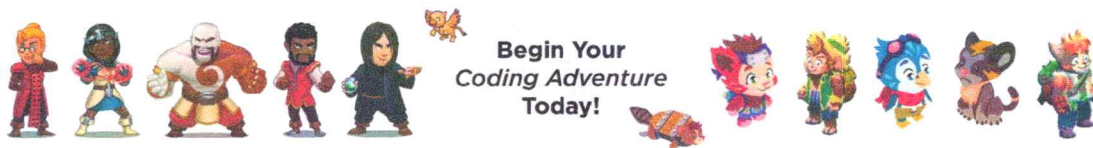
Coding Olympiad exams are approaching soon.

- This international coding competition is open to all students worldwide in grades 1 through 12, depending on the chosen category.
- Students participate individually in the International Coding Olympiad; team registration is not required.
- Students with no prior coding experience or training are welcome to participate.
- After registration, all students will receive a free membership for their chosen category on the CodeCombat or Codementum platform, valid until 31 July 2026.
- The study materials available on these platforms are designed for self-learning and to help students develop coding skills.
- Students may participate in multiple categories. Each final exam result will be evaluated and awarded separately. Each category has its own rules, programming languages, and scoring system.

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

- Programming languages supported:
 - CodeCombat Platform: *Python, JavaScript*
 - Codementum Platform: *Block, Python, JavaScript*
 - AI Category: *English text prompts*
- Participation requires payment of the exam fee, and each category has its own fee structure.
- All exams are conducted entirely online. No alternative exam links will be sent via email; all exams must be accessed through the Coding Olympiad Student Panel.

- Students must have a reliable internet connection, a device with an active camera (PC, laptop, tablet), and a quiet environment suitable for examination.



- After completing the exams, all participants will receive a digital certificate of achievement or participation. In addition, the top 3 students in each grade group and category will be awarded a physical medal and certificate.
- All students in grades 3–11 who participate in the online exams are eligible for the Grand Finals, which will be held in Orlando, New York, or Rome.
- Furthermore, these top 3 students will also receive **special discounts** for the Grand Final participation: **1st places** - 75% discount, **2nd places** - 50% discount, **3rd places** - 25% discount (**36 students in total**)

Don't miss these online exams to qualify for the Coding Olympiad Grand Finals.

NEXT ROUND EXAM DATES BY CATEGORY

ARENA BATTLES
by
CODECOMBAT
Online Final 1st Option
25 October 2025

CHALLENGES
by
Codementum
Qualification 1st Option
1 November 2025

AI PROMPT LAB
by
AI ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
Online Final
15 November 2025

5TH CODING OLYMPIAD CATEGORIES & EXAM DATES

Arena Battles by CodeCombat
Online Final (1) > 25.10.2025
Online Final (2) > 14.03.2026
AI Prompt Lab
Online Exam > 15.11.2025

Challenges by Codementum
Qualification 1st Option > 01.11.2025
Qualification 2nd Option > 24.01.2026
Qualification 3rd Option > 07.03.2026
Online Final Exam > 29.03.2026

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Register Today and Begin Your Training in the Arena or Studio!

ARENA BATTLES BY CODECOMBAT (Python / JavaScript)

In FarmScape Arena, participants use Python or JavaScript code to build and manage a digital farm. You control your hero with commands like `hero.build("river",`



"C3") to create rivers, gardens, and wheat fields. Plan your layout strategically to maximize crop growth and resources. This game teaches coding logic, sequencing, and problem-solving through fun, hands-on programming.



CHALLENGES BY CODEMENTUM (Block / Python / JavaScript)

Codementum challenges participants to guide a character across obstacles using loops, variables, and movement commands. Players learn to use repetition

and logic to reach goals efficiently. The game combines creativity and coding fundamentals in a puzzle-like environment. It's a great way to practice real Python and JavaScript skills while having fun.

5TH CODING OLYMPIAD GRAND FINALS - 2026



ORLANDO January 2026



ROME July 2026



NEW YORK August 2026

GRAND FINAL

ORLANDO

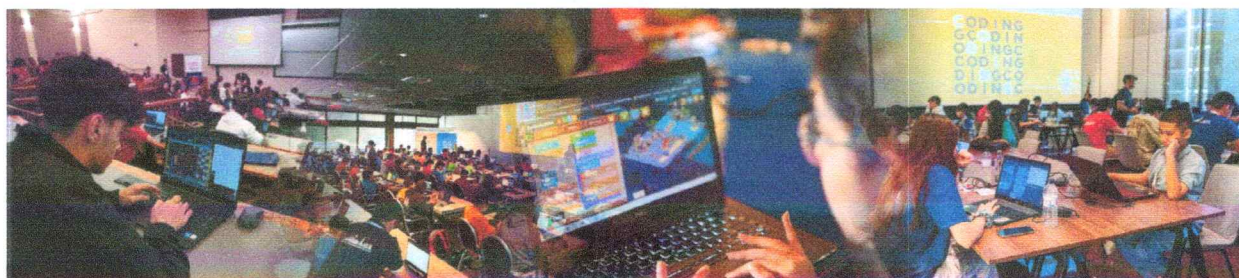
Miami

JANUARY 4-11
2026

FOR GRADE 3-11

- Arena Battles**
- AI Prompt Lab**
- Robotix**
- DIY Project**
- Team Challenge**

Don't miss the Online Exams to qualify for the Grand Final!





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- ▶ Apollo / Saturn V Center
- ▶ Rocket Garden
- ▶ Gateway: The Deep Space Launch Complex
- ▶ Planet Play
- ▶ Step - Power - Launch



Amazing Activities in Orlando & Miami

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- ▶ Universal Islands of Adventure
- ▶ Millionaire's Row Boat Tour
- ▶ Beach and Ocean
- ▶ Miami Beach Boardwalk
- ▶ Lummus Park
- ▶ Art Deco Historic District
- ▶ South Pointe Park & Pier
- ▶ Lincoln Road Mall
- ▶ Graffiti Art at Wynwood Walls
- ▶ Air Force Fun Helicopter Tour
- ▶ ...



DETAILED INFORMATION

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Please do not forget to follow announcements on Coding Olympiad's homepage and social media accounts.



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