

# IMO 2025 – Annual Regulations

24 December 2024

## Overview

- All deadlines are at 17:00 AEST (UTC +10:00).
- All sums of money mentioned are denominated in AUD (Australian dollars).
- The 66<sup>th</sup> International Mathematical Olympiad is henceforth known as IMO 2025.
- IMO 2025 is governed by these regulations and the [IMO General Regulations](#).
- Where there is conflict between the IMO 2025 Annual Regulations and the IMO General Regulations, the Annual Regulations take precedence.

## Official Information

- The host organisation for IMO 2025 is the [Australian Maths Trust \(AMT\)](#).
- Invoices will come from [accounts@amt.edu.au](mailto:accounts@amt.edu.au).
- The IMO 2025 website can be accessed [here](#).
- The Host Region for IMO 2025 is the [Sunshine Coast, Queensland, Australia](#).
- The IMO 2025 Exam will be held at the [Sunshine Coast Convention Centre](#).

## Summary of Key Dates

Official Invitations (Country / Territory) issued	24 December 2024
Final date for online registration of countries / territories	14 February 2025
Final date for online registration of Leaders / Deputies / Observers	14 March 2025
Final date for online registration of Student numbers	14 March 2025
Final date for online submission of problem proposals for shortlist	18 April 2025
Final date to request remote sitting	18 April 2025
Final date for online registration of full student details	30 April 2025
Official invitations (Individual) sent	1 May 2025
Full payment of fees required	31 May 2025
Online registration of travel details	6 June 2025
Arrival Day – IMOB Members	9 July 2025
Arrival Day - Leaders / Observer A	10 July 2025
Shortlisted problems available	10 July 2025
Arrival Day – Coordinators	12 July 2025
Arrival Day – Students / Deputy Leaders / Observer B / Observer C	13 July 2025
Request by Deputy Leaders / Observer B to undertake IMO Exam	14 July 2025
Contest Day 1	15 July 2025
Contest Day 2 (Leaders move sites)	16 July 2025
Departure Day	20 July 2025



## Program

1. The official program begins on Thursday 10 July 2025.
2. Official Arrival Days are:
  - a) IMO Board (IMOB) – Wednesday 9 July 2025
  - b) Leaders – Thursday 10 July 2025
  - c) Observer A (Obs A) – Thursday 10 July 2025
  - d) Coordinators – Saturday 12 July 2025
  - e) Students – Sunday 13 July 2025
  - f) Deputy Leaders – Sunday 13 July 2025
  - g) Observer B (Obs B) – Sunday 13 July 2025
  - h) Observer C (Obs C) – Sunday 13 July 2025
3. The official program terminates on Sunday 20 July 2025 for all attendees (Departure Day).
4. The Contest Days for IMO 2025 are:
  - a) Tuesday 15 July 2025
  - b) Wednesday 16 July 2025

## Deadlines

5. Deadlines:
  - a. Friday 14 February 2025 – Online registration of countries / territories
  - b. Friday 14 March 2025 – Online registration of Leaders / Deputies / Obs
  - c. Friday 14 March 2025 – Online registration of student numbers
  - d. Friday 18 April 2025 – Final date to submit problems for Shortlist
  - e. Friday 18 April 2025 – Final date to request remote sitting
  - f. Wednesday 30 April 2025 – Online registration of full student details
  - g. Thursday 1 May 2025 – Official invitations (Individual) sent
  - h. Friday 31 May 2025 – Full payment of fees
  - i. Friday 6 June 2025 – Online registration of travel details

## Transport and Arrivals

6. Official Arrival Sites:
  - a. **IMOB / Leaders / Obs A:** [Sunshine Coast Airport](#)
  - b. **Coordinators:** [Sunshine Coast Airport](#)
  - c. **Deputy / Obs B / Obs C / Students:** [Brisbane Airport](#) or [Sunshine Coast Airport](#)
7. Transport: Buses will be organised from the Official Arrival Sites to the accommodation for attendees arriving on the official arrival days only.



8. Transport outside of these parameters will not be supported by IMO 2025.
9. Early Arrivals can be booked independently at Novotel Twin Waters by [accessing this link](#).
10. Deputy Leaders / Obs B / Obs C and students that arrive before the event starts and stay at Novotel may be required to change rooms on 13 July 2025.
11. Leaders / Obs A that arrive before 10 July 2025 and stay at Novotel will be transported to the Leaders Site on 10 July 2025.
12. Shuttle buses will operate between the Leader and Student Sites from 16 to 19 July 2025.
13. Buses on Departure Day will transfer to both Sunshine Coast Airport and Brisbane Airport.

### Accommodation

14. There are three (3) primary accommodation locations for IMO 2025:
  - a) “Leaders’ Site” (IMOB, Leaders, Obs A)
  - b) “Coordinators’ Site” (Coordinators)
  - c) “Students’ Site” (Students, Deputy Leaders, Obs B, Obs C)
15. Leaders’ Site:
  - a) [Peppers Noosa Resort and Villas](#)
    - Check-in 10 July 2025 (IMOB on 9 July 2025)
    - Check-out 16 July 2025
  - b) IMOB / Leaders / Obs A will move sites on 16 July
  - c) [Atlantis](#) or [San Marino](#) or [Sand Dunes](#)
    - Check-in 16 July 2025
    - Check-out 20 July 2025
  - d) Shared holiday apartments
  - e) Standard accommodation is shared rooms within a multi-room apartment.
16. Coordinators’ Site:
  - a) [Ramada by Wyndham](#)
    - Check-in 12 July 2025
    - Check-out 20 July 2025
  - b) Shared holiday apartments
  - c) Accommodation is shared rooms within a multi-room apartment.
17. Students’ Site:
  - a) [Novotel Resort](#)
    - Check-in 13 July 2025
    - Check-out 20 July 2025
  - b) Twin or triple-share hotel room accommodation.
18. Space restrictions mean that the IMOB / Leaders / Obs A will not be accommodated at the Students’ Site.



### Single Rooms

19. Leaders, Deputy Leaders and Observers may request single rooms for a fee.
20. There are limited single rooms, with priority given in order of payment.
21. Once the rooming allocation is filled, further requests will not be accommodated.
22. Requests for single rooms and Observer attendance must be made by 14 March 2025.
23. Where individuals pay the fee to stay in a single room, they will be accommodated in a single room at all accommodation venues.
24. Single rooms may be a single room within a multi-room holiday apartment or a hotel room.

### Fees

25. Fees apply in the following circumstances:

a) Leader	Single Room	\$850 AUD
b) Deputy Leader	Single Room	\$850 AUD
c) Obs A	Shared Accommodation	\$2,300 AUD
d) Obs A	Single Room	\$4,200 AUD
e) Obs B / Obs C	Shared Accommodation	\$2,000 AUD
f) Obs B / Obs C	Single Room	\$3,900 AUD

26. There are no refunds on fee payments for non-attendance or changes in circumstance.

### Delegations

27. Invitations for countries/territories to attend IMO 2025 will be issued by 24 December 2024.
28. Official contacts on the IMO-Official website will receive official invitations for individuals by no later than Thursday 1 May 2025 where all details and roles have been submitted.
29. Australian visa processes can take at least eight (8) weeks to finalise and no responsibility will be taken by AMT for individuals that fail to obtain a visa to enter Australia.
30. Participating countries are strongly encouraged to investigate their visa requirements for Australia as soon as possible as Australia's visa regime can be complex and time consuming to complete.
31. Communications not sent from the official email address of a Leader or official national IMO contact will not be responded to.



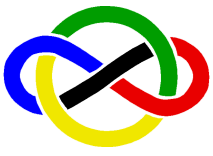
32. Participating countries are strongly encouraged to investigate their insurance requirements for travel to and while in Australia, with AMT accepting no responsibility for travel and health insurance of the members of any delegation.
33. All persons attending IMO 2025 in any capacity will be legally bound by Australia's laws.

#### In Loco Parentis

34. For each student less than 18 years old, Deputy Leaders must supply a legally notarised document valid in their country, signed by the parents of the student, assigning *in loco parentis* (legal guardianship) to the Leader, Deputy Leader or Observer during the event.
35. This document must be completed in English.

#### Exam

36. The IMO 2025 Exam will be held at the [Sunshine Coast Convention Centre](#).
37. The Exam Room will open from 7:30am.
38. From 8:15am, students will not be permitted to leave the room until after Q&A.
39. Students will sit the exam from 8:30am to 1:00pm.
40. The Q&A period will be held from 8:30am to 9:00am.
41. Contestants will not be permitted entry to the exam after 9:00am.
42. Students from the same country are not permitted to leave the Exam Room at the same time.
43. Students will not be permitted to leave the exam room in the final 15 minutes.
44. The exam will finish at 1:00pm, with students released in an orderly manner following this.
45. The times listed above are all indicative only and may change due to unforeseen circumstances.



### Non-Students and the Exam

46. Deputy Leaders / Obs B will be permitted the opportunity to undertake the IMO 2025 exam under conditions determined by the host country, which will be provided on arrival.
47. Deputy Leaders / Obs B granted the opportunity to undertake the exam will not be considered participants in the contest.

### Safety

48. Security protocols will be in place at venues, and unauthorised persons will not be permitted at any site, including parents that are not part of official delegations.
49. The IMO 2025 Safety and Wellbeing Manager has primary responsibility for the safety of students and will provide a report to the Jury and make recommendations regarding safety and wellbeing to the IMO 2025 Event Director, IMO Ethics Committee, IMOB and Jury where required throughout the event.
50. The laws of Australia take precedence over these Regulations and the IMO General Regulations, and serious allegations will be reported to police and/or may result in removal from the venue at the cost of the individual.

### Proposing Problems for IMO Shortlist

51. Proposals for problems must be received by Friday 18 April 2025.
52. Proposals must be submitted via the portal at the IMO Official website.
53. The final shortlisted problems will be available to Leaders and Observers A from 2:00pm on 10 July 2025 (Leaders' Arrival Day).

### Remote Sitting

54. Remote sitting will not be provided, except in exceptional circumstances at the absolute discretion of the event organisers, in consultation with the IMOB.
55. The exam shortlist is not provided to countries/territories participating remotely.

### Suspended Countries/Territories

56. The host country may invite six (6) students from suspended countries/territories to compete remotely as private individuals (not as a team). The exact protocol for their participation (translations, exam, marking, etc.) will be provided in due time.