



# Maths Talent Quest 2008

It's that time of year again to start thinking about your Maths Talent Quest entries. In its 26<sup>th</sup> year, the Maths Talent Quest (MTQ) is an important component of the student activities program within the MAV that promotes mathematics across the curriculum and provides students with an opportunity to apply their knowledge of mathematics to a diverse range of topics. It encourages students to think deeply about mathematics and to use mathematics in everyday contexts.

## Some important information and changes to the MTQ for 2008:

- Please **download the Information Booklet** from the MAV website - this is your 'Number 1' source for MTQ information.
- Check the MAV website regularly for updates.
- Registration will open in Term 2 and will be available on the MAV website.
- You are required to complete your School Judging and select entries to send to the State Judging **BEFORE** you register on the MAV website.
- Every entry submitted **MUST** include a **SEPARATE log book/journal/diary** detailing the student/s progress and reflections.
- Schools can now enter a **maximum of eight entries per year level**.
- It is **compulsory** for each metropolitan school to provide a **minimum of two hours judging**. Where schools have **more than ten entries**, an **extra two hours of judging** must be provided for every **five extra entries**.  
*Regional schools are also encouraged to participate in judging.*
- All participating students will receive a certificate.
- Winning students will receive a certificate and book voucher – no cash prizes will be given

## IMPORTANT DATES

<b>NOW</b>	Download the Information Booklet from the MAV website and start thinking about your entry
<b>Term 2</b>	Registration of entries opens on the MAV website
<b>Mon 21 July</b>	FINAL date for receipt of registrations
<b>Thurs 7 and Fri 8 August</b>	Primary and Secondary School entries to arrive at the State Judging Centre
<b>Sun 10 to Sat 16 Aug</b>	State Judging at La Trobe University, Bundoora
<b>Tues 19 Aug</b>	Display of all entries (AM) Collection of entries (PM)
<b>Thurs 23 Oct</b>	Awards Ceremony

## MTQ COST STRUCTURE

Number of entries per year level (max 8)	Fee per year level - MAV Members (incl. GST)	Fee per year level - Non-Members (incl. GST)
1	\$20.00	\$25.00
2	\$40.00	\$50.00
3	\$60.00	\$75.00
4	\$80.00	\$100.00
5	\$100.00	\$125.00
6	\$120.00	\$150.00
7	\$140.00	\$175.00
8	\$160.00	\$200.00

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