

# MEET BRAINIACS



**The Brainiacs Olympiad is an International competition designed to challenge and inspire students from grades 3 to 12 across a variety of academic fields.**





# BRAINIACS OLYMPIAD



**1**

**MATHEMATICS**

**2**

**PHYSICS**

**4**

**BIOLOGY**

**3**

**CHEMISTRY**

**5**

**PROJECT**

# BRAINIACS CATEGORIES

## MATHEMATICS

**GRADES 3-4**

**GRADES 5-6**

**GRADES 7-8**

**GRADES 9-10**

**GRADES 11-12**



**BIOLOGY  
CHEMISTRY  
PHYSICS**

**GRADES 7-8**

**GRADES 9-10**

**GRADES 11-12**



## PROJECT

**GRADES 6-12**

**TEAM SIZE ARE**

**UP TO 3**

**MEMBERS**



# PROJECT CATEGORIES

**ENGINEERING**

**COMPUTER SCIENCE & AI**

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

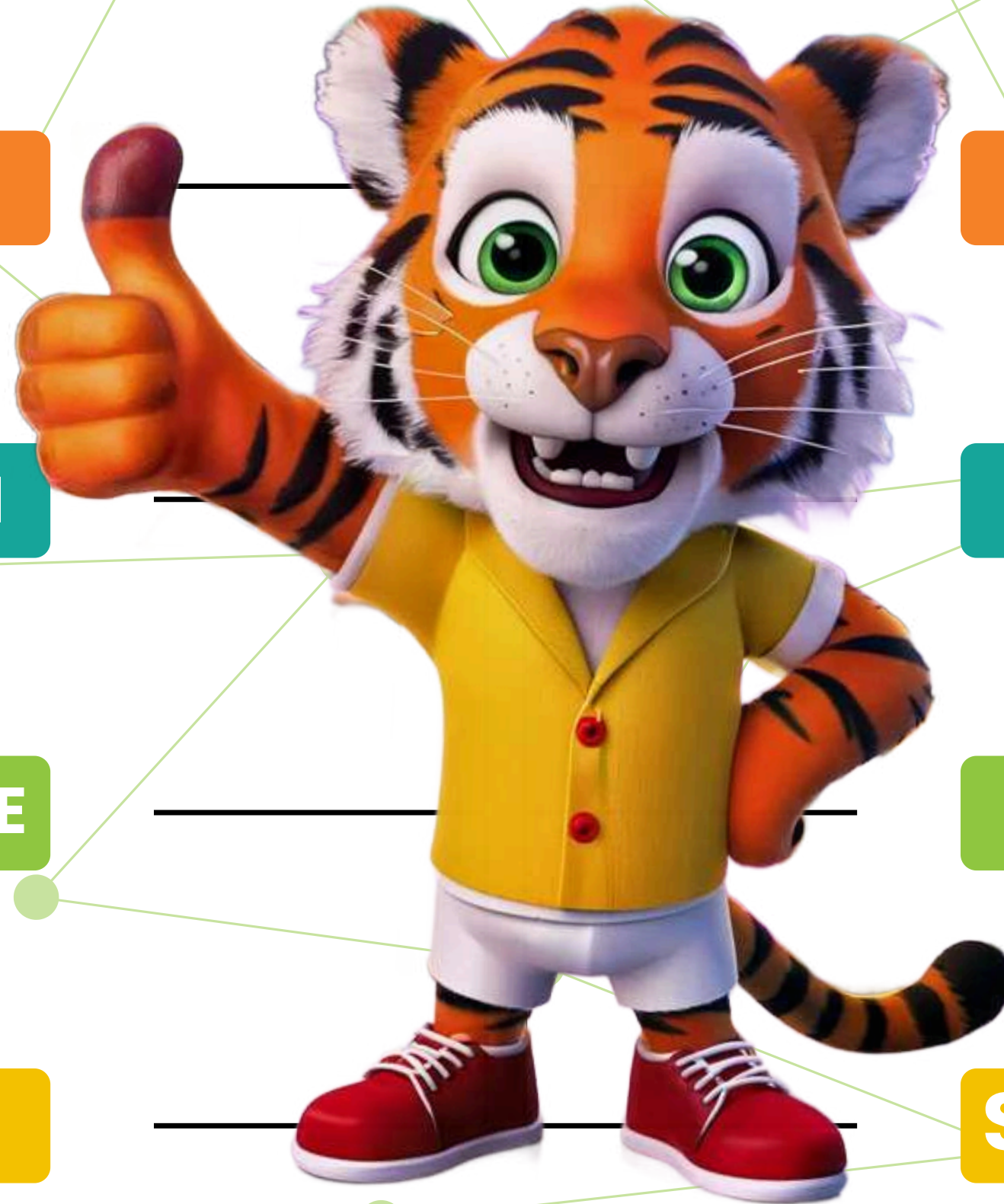
**HEALTHY LIFE**

**SHORT MOVIES**

**BUSINESS**

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

**SPACE EXPLORATION**



# BRAINIACS ROUNDS



**The Olympiad  
is held in two distinct  
stages: Preliminary and  
Global rounds.**



 **Online I**

 **Online II**

 **Onsite**

*The two online rounds are the same, but feature different questions. Those who did not qualify for the global round in the first online round, along with those who were absent from the first round, can participate in the second round.*

# PRELIMINARY ROUND. SUBJECT FORMAT & SCORING

**5-EASY**

**+4 POINTS**

**10-NORMAL**

**+5 POINTS**

**5-DIFFICULT**

**+6 POINTS**

**Preliminary  
Rounds  
available in English,  
French, Russian, and  
Spanish languages  
questions to answer in 75  
minutes. There's no  
penalty for wrong  
answers or  
unanswered  
questions.**



# PRELIMINARY ROUND PROJECT RULES & SUBMISSIONS



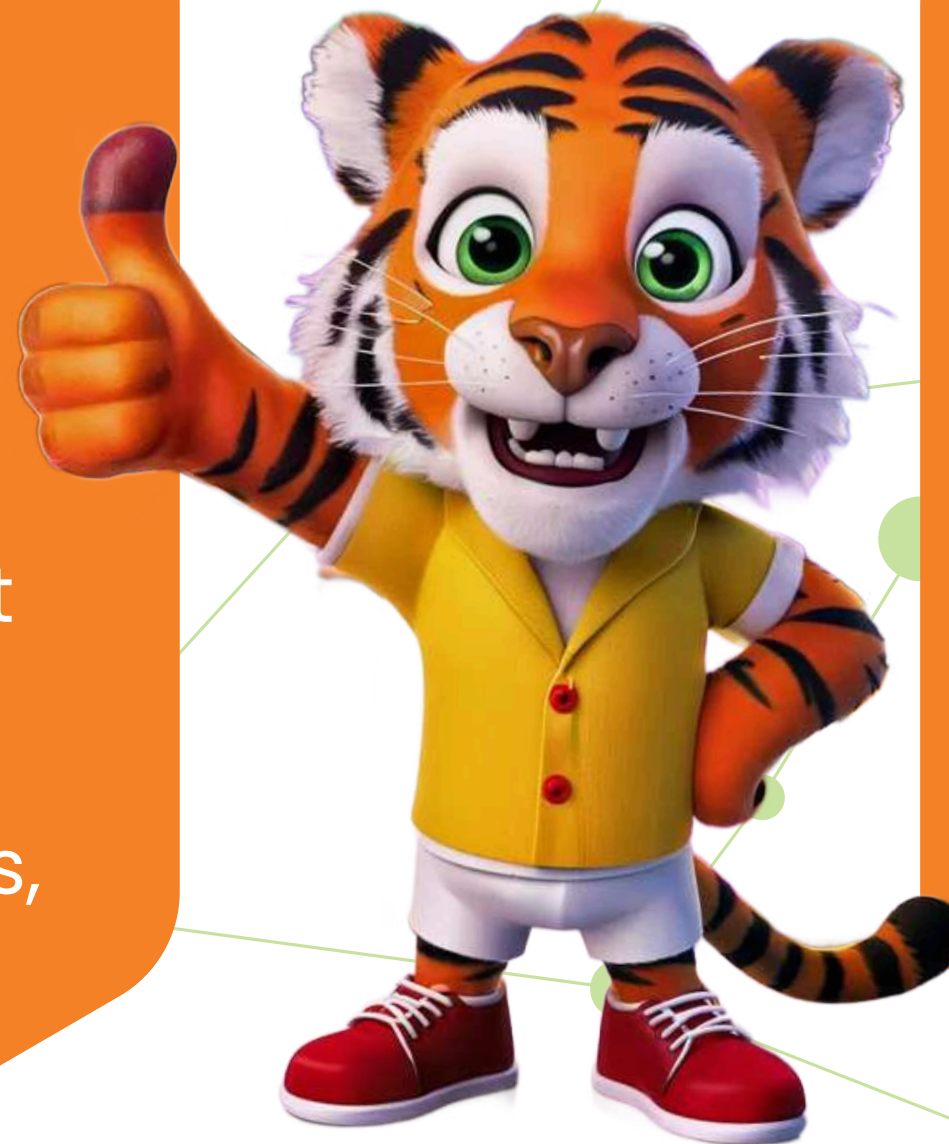
## **Project Description:**

Up to 20 pages (PDF).

**Presentation:** Up to 10 slides (PDF).

**QUAD Paper:** Optional but recommended.

**Optional Materials:** Photos, videos, brochures, posters, etc.



**Short Movie:** 3–6 minutes, upload to YouTube, submit the link.

**Language:** Submissions must be in English.

**Results:** Projects must include results to be accepted.



# PRELIMINARY ROUND HONORING

*In the Preliminary Round, medals are awarded based on the points earned by the participants\*.*

**40-49%**

**50-74%**

**75-89%**

**90-100%**

**HONORABLE  
MENTION**



**BRONZE  
MEDAL**



**SILVER  
MEDAL**



**GOLD  
MEDAL**



**DISCOUNT  
\$50**

**DISCOUNT  
\$100**

# GLOBAL FINAL SUBJECT FORMAT & SCORING

**5-EASY**

**5-NORMAL**

**5-DIFFICULT**

**5-OPEN ENDED**

Global Round  
available in English,  
French, Russian, and  
Spanish languages  
questions to answer in 120  
minutes. There's no  
penalty for wrong  
answers or  
unanswered  
questions.

**+3 POINTS**

**+4 POINTS**

**+6 POINTS**

**+7 POINTS**



# GLOBAL FINAL PROJECT RULES



**-Research Paper:** Max 20 pages

Optional: Journals, brochures,  
videos, etc.

**-QUAD Paper:** Optional but  
recommended.

**-Poster:** Size: 90cm × 120cm.

Must include: Introduction,  
Goal, Results, and  
Conclusion.



**-Prototypes/Models:**

Recommended to  
complement your  
presentation.

**-Presentation:**

Max 15 minutes, followed  
by 5 minutes of Q&A.

Must be in  
English.

# GLOBAL FINAL PROJECT SCORING CRITERIA

**20**

**INNOVATION  
& CREATIVITY**

**15**

**PRACTICAL  
APPLICATION**

**SCIENTIFIC &  
TECHNICAL CONTENT**

**15**

**TEAMWORK**

**10**



**15**

**PRESENTATION  
QUALITY**

**10**

**DOCUMENTATION**

**TECHNICAL  
EXPERTISE**

**15**

**OVERALL TOTAL**

**100**

# GLOBAL ROUND HONORING

*In the Global Round, medals are awarded based on the percentage distribution according to the number of participants\*.*

**15%**

**HONORABLE  
MENTION**



**30%**

**BRONZE  
MEDAL**



**20%**

**SILVER  
MEDAL**



**10%**

**GOLD  
MEDAL**



# TIMELINE

## ONLINE I

### EXAM DATE:

February 1, 2025

### REGISTRATION

### DEADLINE:

January 25, 2025

### EXAM RESULTS:

February 8, 2025



## ONLINE II

### EXAM DATE:

February 15, 2025

### REGISTRATION

### DEADLINE:

February 10, 2025

### EXAM RESULTS:

February 22, 2025



## GLOBAL FINAL



### NORMAL

### REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION

DEADLINE:

March 8, 2025

### LATE REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION

DEADLINE:

April 1, 2025

# PARTICIPATION FEE

**SUBJECT  
PRELIMINARY ROUNDS**



**APPLICATION FEE:  
\$15  
per participant**

**GLOBAL ROUND**



**NORMAL  
REGISTRATION:  
\$1200  
per participant**

**PROJECT  
PRELIMINARY ROUND**



**APPLICATION FEE:  
\$50  
per project**

**GLOBAL ROUND**



**LATE  
REGISTRATION:  
\$1400  
per participant**

# GLOBAL FINAL SCHOLARSHIP DISCOUNTS



100%



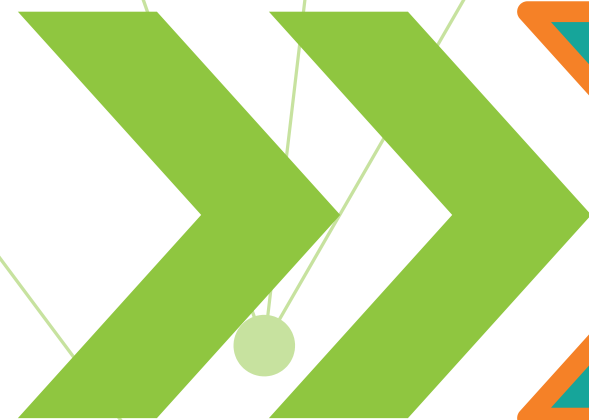
75%



50%



25%



Students who are in their final year and do well in the Brainiacs Olympiad can receive scholarship discounts between 25% and 100% at Xiamen University Malaysia, **based on how well they performed academically\***.



**Application Deadline:**

Make sure to submit your application by April 1, 2025. Late applications won't be considered, so plan ahead.

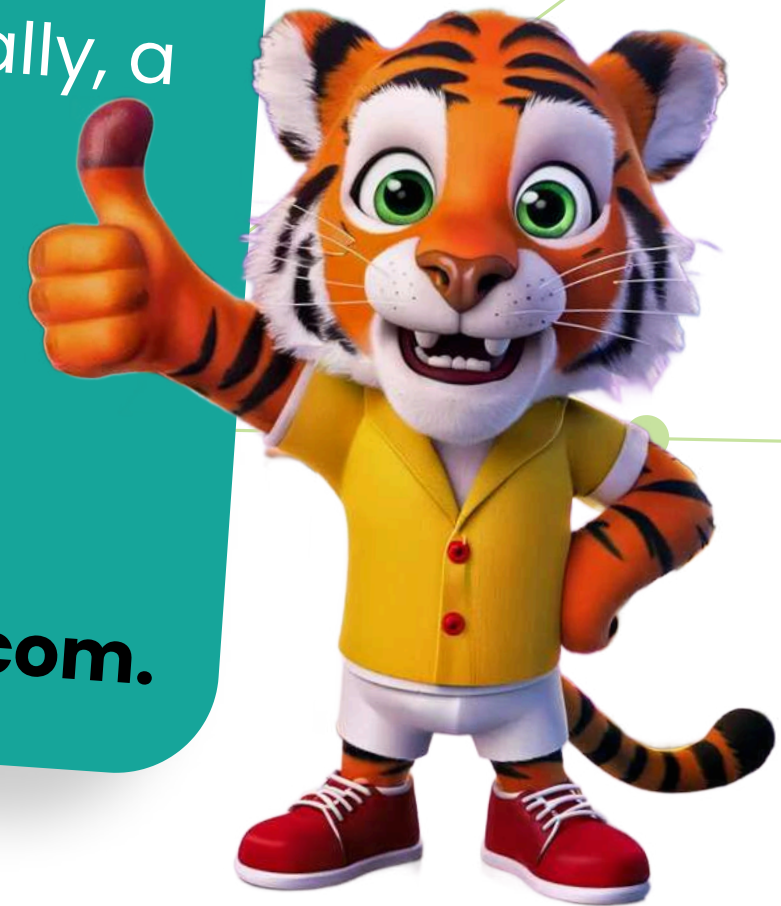
**Study Resources:**

All exam preparation materials, including Sample Questions, can be found in the Resources menu on the Olympiad website. Additionally, a free study presentation is available for Project Categories.

**Eligibility:**

Participants may select one subject to compete in, as well as one project category.

**\*For more detailed information, please visit [brainiacsolympiad.com](http://brainiacsolympiad.com).**



# VENUE



XIAMEN UNIVERSITY MALAYSIA  
廈門大學 馬來西亞分校

“ Xiamen University  
Malaysia will be the  
venue for the inaugural  
Brainiacs Olympiad,  
taking place from  
April 24–30, 2025 ”





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