

DEADLINE: January 17, 2025 Registration for Chemistry Olympiad local section exam

Orange County American Chemical Society Education Committee



Chemistry Olympiad Local Section Exam (LSE)

Saturday, March 1, 2025

- Advanced Chemistry HS students (AP/IB)
- Registration submitted by **parents or guardians only**
- *Top student per school, USNCO qualifiers, & top school teams are guests at the HS Awards Dinner*

*Irvine Valley College
8:45 - 11:00 am*

CHEMISTRY OLYMPIAD LOCAL SECTION EXAM (LSE)

Primarily for IBHL, second year high school chemistry, and first year AP chemistry students. Students taking this LSE exam may **NOT** also take the OCACS first-year exam.

- **Only** parents/guardian can register by **JANUARY 17, 2025** at the following link: [ChemOly Registration](#)
- The 110-minute 60 multiple-choice test is prepared by the National ACS Olympiad Committee. A tiebreaker written by local university chemistry instructors will also be given.
- School team scores are determined by adding the scores of their top four students.
- Any past qualifier for the USNCO national round is strongly encouraged to compete on this year's LSE exam, but they will be competing on an individual basis only - not on the school team.
- As determined by the National ACS, this year's top 12 from Orange County - with a maximum of two from any single school - will be invited to take the USNCO on April 12, 2025.
 - The top 20 students on the USNCO in the U.S. will be invited to the National Study Camp in June.
 - The top four from the study camp represent the U.S. at the International Chemistry Olympiad (IChO) in July.

For other information along with the results from previous years, please go to:

[Orange County Chemistry Olympiad Info](#)

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