Math Kangaroo USA

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International Competition in Mathematics

Policy for Independent Math Kangaroo Preparation Classes

Applies to: All Math Kangaroo Competition Centers, schools, teachers, and instructors offering classes or lessons that prepare students for the Math Kangaroo Competition.

1. Independent Status

Competition Centers, schools, teachers, and instructors may offer their own preparation classes for the Math Kangaroo Competition. Unless a program has been expressly developed or approved in writing by Math Kangaroo USA, it is an independent service and is not operated, sponsored, approved, or endorsed by Math Kangaroo USA.

All promotional and registration materials must clearly include the following statement:

"**This preparation program is independently offered and is not affiliated with or endorsed by Math Kangaroo USA.**"

2. Use of the Math Kangaroo Name and Branding

A provider may state that:

- It is an official Math Kangaroo Competition Center, if applicable.
- Its classes are intended to help students prepare for the Math Kangaroo Competition.

The following restrictions apply:

- **Email addresses and display names:** The Math Kangaroo name may not be used in an email address (including the username or domain name) or email display name (sender name) in a way that implies the account is officially affiliated with or operated by Math Kangaroo USA.
- **Program representation:** The Math Kangaroo name may not be used in a way that suggests an independent preparation program is an official Math Kangaroo USA program.

- **Logos and official branding:** The Math Kangaroo logo and other official branding may not be used to advertise independent preparation programs without prior written approval from Math Kangaroo USA.

3. Registration and Fees

Registration for the official Math Kangaroo Competition must remain separate from registration for independent preparation classes.

- The official competition registration fee may be listed for informational purposes.
- The competition registration fee may not be included in or bundled with the cost of a preparation program.
- Preparation classes may not be presented as required or expected for participation in the competition.
- All preparation fees must be clearly identified as charges from the school, center, teacher, or instructor—not from Math Kangaroo USA.
- Families must not be led to believe that any preparation fee is paid to, collected for, or designated by Math Kangaroo USA.

4. Instruction and Materials

Independent providers may select their own instructors, curriculum, format, schedule, and pricing.

Any use of Math Kangaroo questions, past competition papers, solutions, or other proprietary materials must comply with Math Kangaroo USA's copyright and content-use requirements.

5. Purpose

This policy ensures that families can clearly distinguish the official Math Kangaroo Competition and its registration fee from independently offered preparation classes and their fees.

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