

Global Academic Challenge Spring session

The only academic competition for Australian students based on internationally endorsed frameworks, designed by a globally renowned educational research centre.

For years 4, 6 and 8 Available online from 28 August - 8 September



Mathematics



Reading



Science

Each learning area takes one session of approximately 60 minutes to complete. Students can participate in 1, 2 or all 3 learning areas

Rewarding student achievement

Each student's achievement in the Challenge will be recognised with a hard-copy certificate ready for presentation at school assemblies or ceremonies. Top performers will also receive a personalised medallion.

Unique, objective insights

Quickly see how your students compare to students across Australia and around the world with easy-to-read, interactive reports.

See how your students' perform on the world stage

The Global Academic Challenge helps you see how your students' results compare to students around the world with reliable international benchmarks based on years of international assessment experience.

Designed by the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER), the creators of PAT.

Join the 2023 Spring Challenge

Register: www.acer.org/global-academic-challenge Email: gachallenge@acer.org

Orders close 21 August 2023

Supplementary orders throughout the competition will be available

Challenge your students beyond the curriculum

Linked to international frameworks, the Global Academic Challenge assesses achievement beyond the expectations of a curriculum-linked assessment, allowing students to demonstrate higher levels of skill.

The questions encourage students to actively engage with real-life contexts to solve problems, apply knowledge and employ a range of strategies.

Each challenge takes **no more than 60 minutes** to administer.

Awards



Medallions

Each student who achieves the top result in each learning area will receive a personalised medallion, as well as their certificate.



Certificates

Every student who takes part in the Challenge will receive a certificate recognising their level of achievement.

Results and reports

Instant reports

Immediately after the competition you will have instant access to international comparison data to see how your students compare to an international cohort.

National results announced

9 October 2023

Competiton awards will be announced and your students' certificate results will be released.

All interactive reports will also be updated to include national comparison data.

Awards sent to schools The week beginning 23 October 2023

Personalised medallions, printed certificates and hard-copy individual reports will be sent to schools.

