



CAAA 2014 International Events

CAAA would like to invite you and your child(ren) to join us in attending three abacus and mental arithmetic competitions this year, which will enhance students' interest and help them learn more about the abacus. These events will provide students with more exposure to the world, and are also a unique opportunity to enjoy an international cultural exchange trip with family. Those who participate in these enriching group activities will have an amazingly interesting summer experience to remember. Plus, there's something for everyone! Teachers on the trip will have the opportunity to attend seminars to discuss the newest innovations in teaching methodology with other educators around the world.

A. 2014 World Association of Abacus and Mental Arithmetic Mental Arithmetic Competition (July 20-22, Beijing, China)

- ❖ Prerequisites:
 - *Student Registration:*
 - a) Advanced level in the CAAA Annual Assessment Test; and b) Review and approval by CAAA.
 - Students' accompanying family members, CAAA advisors, teachers and their accompanying family members.

B. 2014 World City Cup: Abacus, Mental Arithmetic & Mathematics Competition and International Culture Exchange Trip (July 26-30, Okinawa, Japan)

- ❖ Prerequisites:
 - Students grade-level 4 and above in CAAA assessment tests, *or* Students with CAAA teacher recommendation, and CAAA approval thereof.
 - Students' accompanying family members, CAAA advisors, volunteers, teachers and their accompanying family members.

C. 2014 TCOC International Abacus & Mental Arithmetic Invitational Competition (August 17, Taiwan)

- ❖ Prerequisites:
 - Students grade-level 4 and above in CAAA assessment tests, *or* Students with CAAA teacher recommendation, and CAAA approval thereof.
 - Students' accompanying family members, CAAA advisors, volunteers, teachers and their accompanying family members.

For more details on the events above, please see the CAAA 2014 International Events **Application Form** (中美珠心算學會 2014 國際活動報名總表)

How to Apply:

- Complete the application, registration and information/waiver forms (please make a copy for your records).
- Application fee information is on the application form. Application fees are non-refundable once accepted.
- **Completed forms:** a) Application forms, registration and waivers for each of the following as applicable: I. Student(s); II. Parent(s); III. Accompanying Minor(s), with copies of passport facing pages and insurance card(s); b) Scanned 2" x 2" headshot photo, e-mailed to CAAA (caaa.us@gmail.com). **A check payable to CAAA for the amount of all applicable fees should be mailed to CAAA prior to Thursday, May 15th.**
- CAAA has the right to accept or reject applications at its discretion.
- If you have any questions about the application form and/or details of this exciting trip, please contact your CAAA teacher, the CAAA office, or check our website at www.caaa-abacus.org for further information.