

EUROPEAN GIRLS' MATHEMATICAL OLYMPIAD 2026, FRANCE



Welcome to EGMO 2026

The European Girls' Mathematical Olympiad (EGMO) is one of the most prestigious international mathematics competitions for high school students, and the largest one dedicated to women. Its aim is to encourage girls to pursue their passion for mathematics and to illustrate their talent on an international stage. EGMO was first held in 2012 and has grown significantly since then, attracting nowadays participants from over 50 countries, across Europe and beyond.

France has been an active participant in EGMO since the beginning. Every year, an intensive training and selection program gives the four best young female mathematicians the opportunity to represent their country at the international level. From April 9th to 15th, 2026, and for the first time since 1983, France will host an international mathematical olympiad, which will also be the largest competition of the sort ever organized in the country: EGMO 2026, in Bordeaux. This is a major event to promote mathematics, and a gateway towards a better representation of women in mathematical competitions and the discipline in general.

+200 contestants

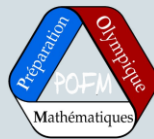
+450 people

7 days of maths & fun



EGMO 2026 will be organized by Animath, an association founded in 1998 to promote Olympic and recreational mathematics among middle and high school students. Among others, Animath is responsible for the French Olympic Mathematics Preparation (POFM). Every year, this program trains around 200 students for various international olympiads, and around 100,000 students benefit from at least one of Animath's actions.

The association is also deeply involved in activities specifically for girls, such as the "Girls, Mathematics and Informatics" days since 2009 (JFMI) or the Young Mathematicians and Computer Scientists Meetings since 2016 (RJMI).



A long-standing experience in mathematics olympiads

France has a long mathematical tradition, symbolized by several Fields medalists and many famous schools and universities.

Although the country may not have hosted many competitions, the French Olympic Mathematics Preparation (POFM) has participated in various international contests for many years, not only through contestants but also in the organizing boards and juries.

In 2020, France was one of the founding members, and the organizer, of the French-speaking Countries' Mathematical Olympiad (OFM).



47 RJMI since 2017
9 in 2023 **3**

Arrivals

9/4

Treasure hunt
Opening ceremony

10/4

Contests morning 1
Afternoon activities

11/4

Contests morning 2
Afternoon activities

12/4

Whole day excursion
Coordination

13/4

Group excursion
Closing ceremony
& medals

14/4

Departures

15/4

Bordeaux

Located on the Gironde estuary on the Atlantic coast, Bordeaux is a dynamic French metropole known for its pleasant lifestyle and for being the world's capital of fine wines. It is as such an icon of French gastronomy, but also a rich historical site and a large part of its architecture features on the UNESCO World Heritage list. Beyond the city walls, unique natural landmarks and varied landscapes make it a complete touristic destination.

Bordeaux is also a major economic, academic and scientific hub, home to a number of high-tech industries and exceptional research facilities.

+400 historical
monuments

+80 000 students

Sept
2023

Project under discussion
within Animath, choice
of host city

Feb-Mar
2024

Submission of official
application to be
host country in 2026

April
2024

Selection of France for the
EGMO 2026, during the
closing session of the jury at
EGMO 2024

May
2024

France joins
EGMO Board

Summer
2024

Graphics and main
organization
guidelines

End of
2024

Selection of main
sponsors and partners,
launch of the website

April
2025

Official video
presentation during
EGMO 2025

Sept
2025

Selection of guides
and volunteers

Jan
2026

Final communication
campaign, jury and
coordination selection

April
2026

Contest week



The University of Bordeaux and its Mathematics Institute

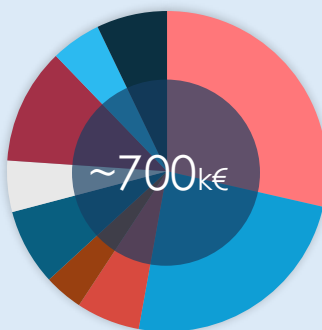
One of the major scientific and academic hubs within both French and European networks, the University of Bordeaux will be an essential partner in the organization of EGMO 2026, as well as the Mathematical Institute of Bordeaux and the National Center for Scientific Research (CNRS).

These institutions are, as well as the whole French scientific community, very keen to encourage the promotion of mathematics for young people, and strive towards equal opportunities and a better representation of women in sciences. This is all the more necessary in the recent context, as we observe with the last school reform a drop from 44% to 17% in the proportion of girls having in their final year of high school at least 12 hours of scientific subjects each week and 5.5 hours of mathematics, while the challenges of today call for ever more scientific minds to create the world of tomorrow.

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INVEST WITH US

As an sponsor of EGMO 2026, you will not only connect with young talent but also champion the advancement of women in science. Engaging directly with volunteers and organizers, this partnership offers you a way to realize your commitment to diversity and excellence, and to promote with us the values that inspire you.



- Housing
- Food
- Rooms and spaces
- Transports
- Excursions and activities
- Goodies and medals
- Ceremonies and party

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| Media & Visibility | logo on website, ceremony, newsletter | sponsor video posted before the event | sponsor video during the event | specific excursion with associated video | medal handler by a company representative |
| Event & Promotional | 1 small goodie | 1 "EGMO" goodie | stand during a lunch + 1 representative | stand during 2 meals + 2 representatives t-shirt/ backpack / water bottle | stand during Gala + stand during 3 meals + 3 representatives |

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