



RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE COMPETITIVE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION TO THE SECOND CYCLE OF HIGHER SCHOOLS

Preamble

These regulations establish the essential rules governing the competitive entrance examination for admission to the second cycle of Higher Schools, organized at the National Polytechnic School of Constantine on Monday, June 29, 2026. Their purpose is to ensure fairness among candidates, transparency in the examination process, and the proper conduct of the examination sessions.

Regulatory Reference

The examination is organized in accordance with Ministerial Order No. 778 of June 10, 2026, which lays down the procedures for organizing the competitive entrance examination to the second cycle of Higher Schools.

Examination Schedule

The examination will take place on Monday, June 29, 2026, according to the following schedule:

Examination	Module	Grading	Duration	Coefficient
Examination 1	Mathematical Analysis (3 & 4)	12/20	2 hours	1
	Numerical Analysis (1 & 2)	8/20		
Examination 2	Physics (3 & 4)	10/20	2 hours	1
	Chemistry (3 & 4)	10/20		

All examination papers are written exclusively in English.

Article 1: Access and Admission of Candidates

Candidates must arrive at the examination venue starting from 08:00 a.m.

Access to the examination rooms is subject to the mandatory presentation of the following documents:

- Student card;
- A valid official identification document.

Candidates must report to their assigned examination rooms at least thirty (30) minutes before the start of each examination and must occupy only the seats assigned to them.

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Access to the examination premises is strictly reserved for candidates and personnel responsible for organizing and supervising the examination. Any person not directly involved in the examination is prohibited from entering the premises.

Article 2: Random Selection of the Examination Paper

At the beginning of each examination session, the examination paper shall be selected by random draw.

Volunteer candidates chosen from those present in the lecture halls shall participate in drawing one (1) examination paper from among three (3) sealed envelopes.

The paper selected by the candidates' representatives shall be printed immediately in their presence before being distributed to all candidates.

The remaining two envelopes shall also be opened to verify that the unused examination papers are distinct and compliant.

Article 3: Conduct of the Examination and Discipline

- Candidates must strictly comply with all instructions given by invigilators and examination officials throughout the examination.
- Any candidate arriving more than fifteen (15) minutes late shall not be allowed to take the corresponding examination.
- No candidate may leave the examination room permanently before thirty (30) minutes have elapsed from the beginning of the examination.
- At the beginning of each examination every candidate must sign the attendance sheet, answer each module on a separate paper, writing its title at the preamble. And submit their answer script (each module separately) even if blank, at the end of the examination. Absence from any examination results in disqualification from the competition.
- Candidates must bring their own equipment (pens, ruler, authorized calculator, etc.). No exchange of materials is permitted.

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- Mobile phones must be switched off and handed to the invigilators before the examination begins. All electronic devices (smartwatches, earphones, tablets, or any other electronic devices) are strictly prohibited.
- Answers must be written exclusively in the language of the examination paper and in blue ink. Any answer script containing identifying marks outside the designated areas shall be invalidated.

Article 4: Academic Integrity and Fraud

Any act of cheating, attempted cheating, or behavior disrupting the proper conduct of the examination shall result in the immediate exclusion of the candidate, without prejudice to the sanctions provided for under the applicable regulations.

Final Provision

Participation in the competitive examination implies full and unconditional acceptance of these Rules and Regulations. Every candidate is required to comply fully with all the provisions herein.