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KAPNAYAN 2025

“A Cure's Formula: Catalyzing Drug Discovery Towards Health Equity Through Medicinal Chemistry”

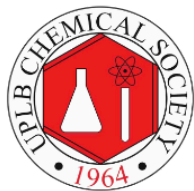
The **National Poster Making Contest** is a minor competition event under the KAPNAYAN 2025, the triennial weeklong chemistry fair organized by the UPLB Chemical Society. This contest fosters the creativity of the youth in the visual arts, as well as the ability to concretize ideas adhering to the theme into tangible posters.

ELIGIBILITY RULES

1. All bona fide Junior and Senior high school students of recognized learning institutions in the Philippines are qualified to participate in the competition.
2. Only one (1) contestant from a registered institution for KAPNAYAN 2025 can join the contest. The contestant will be accompanied by **ONLY** one (1) adviser/coach.
3. This contestant may participate in one (1) major competition but may no longer participate in any other minor competition in KAPNAYAN 2025 except for the photo contest.
4. Only a maximum of 50 participants may participate in this competition. Securing the slot will be on a first-come, first served basis.

CONTEST PROPER

1. The contestant must be present at the venue **ten (10) minutes** before the start of the event. Otherwise, they will be automatically **disqualified**.
2. The contestant should wear their respective school uniform and the identification card provided at the registration booth during the event.
3. Only the following materials may be used in the contest:
 - a. **One-fourth (¼) illustration** board provided by and containing the logo of the UPLB Chemical Society at the back;
 - b. **One A4 scratch paper** provided by and containing the logo of the UPLB Chemical Society; and
 - c. Non-noxious coloring materials to be provided by the contestant shall be **limited** to:
 - i. oil pastel
 - ii. pencils
 - iii. watercolor
 - iv. colored markers
 - v. crayons
 - d. Supplementary materials (such as tissue paper, cotton, eraser, sharpener, masking tape, etc.) **provided by the contestants** that were deemed necessary by the UPLB Chemical Society.
4. All unnecessary materials **must** be surrendered to their coaches. The use of any other materials not specified above will result in the automatic **disqualification** of the contestant.
5. The poster must be based on the theme provided by the UPLB Chemical Society.
6. The completed work must be given a title not exceeding **15 words** in standard American English or standard Filipino.
7. The contestant is only given **two (2) hours** to complete their work, including the title. One point shall be deducted from the overall score for each exceeding minute in the specified timeframe. Contestants are allowed to take bathroom breaks at any time as long as they do not carry any materials and are ushered by a UPLB Chemical Society member.
8. Posters **should not** include any slogan or any depiction of **copyrighted materials** (i.e. establishment logo, mascot, etc.). This will result in automatic disqualification.
9. The name of the contestant as well as the school **SHOULD NOT BE WRITTEN** on any



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- part of the poster. This will mean an automatic disqualification for the contestant.
10. The criteria for judging will be announced before the start of the contest proper.
 11. All entries will be judged by the selected board of judges. Winners will be identified as **First Placer, Second Placer, and Third Placer**, which shall be announced during the Awarding Ceremony after the National Chemistry Quiz Contest on February 1, 2025.
 12. The winners shall receive the following prizes:
 - a. First Placer: A winner's plaque, a medal, a certificate, and a 3,000 peso cash prize.
 - b. Second Placer: A medal, a certificate, and a 2,000 peso cash prize.
 - c. Third Placer: A medal, a certificate, and a 1,500 peso cash prize.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

1. Any **gadgets** or **reference materials** are **NOT** allowed during the contest proper. Doing so will result in disqualification.
2. Only the **white portion** of the illustration board shall be used.
3. The title of the work will be written on the paper attached to the back portion of the board.
4. Any **modification or alteration** to the size of the board shall mean an automatic disqualification.
5. All concerns shall be addressed to and resolved by the Quiz Committee. The committee's decision is final and irrevocable.
6. All posters shall automatically become the property of the **UPLB Chemical Society**.
7. The **UPLB Chemical Society** has the right to publish the submitted posters on our social media sites. The works should not be posted on any social media accounts until the end of the Kapnayan week.
8. The Quiz Committee reserves the right to change these rules with the appropriate notice to the concerned.

CRITERIA

Relevance to the Theme <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>The poster reflects the theme of the contest.</i>	40%
Content <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>The poster tells a compelling story.</i>	25%
Creativity <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>The use of the coloring materials made the elements pop and the poster pleasing to the eyes.</i>• <i>The contestant finished during the allotted time.</i>	25%
Originality <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>The ideas presented in the poster are unique to the contestant.</i>	10%
TOTAL	100%