

World Cup in Chess Solving
for boys and girls under 8, 10 and 12 years
June 22, 2026 - Batumi, Georgia

INVITATION

Time and Place - The World Cup will take place on June 22, 2026 in Batumi, Georgia.

The World Cup consists of six main categories - Boys U8, Girls U8, Boys U10, Girls U10, Boys U12, Girls U12.

Participation - All qualified players can participate in the championship.

Competition Structure – This competition will be organized on June 22 during the free day of the Chess World Cup 2026, at the same six categories of age and gender as the over-the-board competitions:

Boys U8, Girls U8: 5 problems of mate in 2 moves. 1 endgame study;
Boys U10 Girls U10: 4 problems of mate in 2 moves, 1 problem of mate in 3 moves, 1 endgame study;
Boys U12, Girls U12: 4 problems of mate in 2 moves, 1 problem of orate in 3 moves, 1 endgame study.

1. For each category the time of 60 minutes is allotted for solving.
2. A solver may leave the solving hall only after finishing solving and handing in his solving sheet.
3. The use of all electronic or technological aids which can help in solving is forbidden as well as any other kind of unfair behavior.
4. The solutions are to be written in algebraic notation. It is not acceptable to do it by drawing arrows on diagrams, instead of writing the moves.

Winners - The winning places will be determined according to accumulated points. In case of an equal score, the time spent is taken into account.

Registration Fee - 15 Euros

Registration - June 15-20 in Batumi

The Tournament Schedule

Boys U8 and Girls U8 - June 22 11:00-12:00
Boys U10 and Girls U10 - June 22 12:30-13:30

Boys U12 and Girls U12 - June 22 15:30-16:30

Results - The preliminary results will be published on June 24 11:00. The results can be appealed in person on June 24 between 12:00 and 18:00. The final results will be published on June 25 12:00.

Awarding - The winners will be awarded with cups, golden medals and diplomas. Participants ranked in second and third places will be awarded with medals and diplomas of corresponding quality.

The Main Referee of the Championship - The International Arbiter in Chess
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