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To:

Assistant Schools Division Superintendent

Chief Education Supervisors Education Program Supervisors Public Schools District Supervisors

Elementary and Secondary School Heads

All Others Concerned

This Office informs all concerned that the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) in collaboration with PhilSA will conduct the Kibo Asian Try Zero-G (ATZG) 2025 competition.

Attached is Advisory No. 201, s. 2024, for further details and inquiries.

CAROLINA S. VIOLETA, EdD, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

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INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ASIAN TRY ZERO-G (ATZG) 2025

Kibo Asian Try Zero-G (ATZG) 2025 is a competition, organized by the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) in collaboration with PhilSA, allows students to propose experiments to be performed in a zero-gravity environment aboard the Kibo module of the International Space Station (ISS).

The competition is open to students enrolled in Philippine institutions up to the postgraduate level. Participants can join individually or in teams. Selected winners will have their experiments conducted by a JAXA astronaut and will also get a chance to visit the Tsukuba Space Center in Japan to witness the live demonstration and meet astronauts. The deadline for submission is on 3 January 2025.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact sesd@philsa.gov.ph with the subject '[Asian Try Zero G 2025]: Inquiry'.

Participation of teachers from public and private schools shall be purely voluntary and will not hamper instructional time in compliance with the provisions of DepEd Order (DO) No. 009, s. 2024 titled Implementing Guidelines on the School Calendar and Activities for the School Year 2024- 2025 and DO 9, s. 2005 titled Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith. Enclosed is the letter of invitation from the organizer for reference and other details.

CLMD3/clmd4 December 16, 2024 RONNIE S. MALLYRI, PhD, CESO V Regional Director

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Attachment-1: Video List

2011 Astronaut Furukawa

Experiment Title	URL	Tool (Attachment)	
The Experiment of a Yo-yo in Space	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=3ecb00d63fc79 af9dbfc7672d9b472a3	-	
Conservation of Weight https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=4520cd463ae5 e3a03a4eed49f4a1e6eb		Attachment-2, No.5, 8	
Soap Bubbles Floating in https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=616aab49fb7d 20774ba6c09816e3b935		-	
Compass	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=027c98b5d98c 0cc438d0cc2463e8a41e	Attachment-2, No.3	

2012 Astronaut Hoshide

Experiment Title URL		Tool (Attachment)	
Weight Station	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xMJq4v5VQzY	Attachment-2, No.6	
	0:00-1:34		
Effect of gravity on capillary	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xMJq4v5VQzY	-	
action	1:34-3:13		
Verification of Inertia	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xMJq4v5VQzY	Attachment-2, No.1	
	3:13-5:10		
Liquid Stuck in Straw	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xMJq4v5VQzY	-	
	5:10-7:00		
Juggling in Space	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xMJq4v5VQzY	Attachment-2, No.1	
	7:00-7:48		
Weight suspended from bar	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xMJq4v5VQzY		
	7:48-8:56		

2014 Astronaut Wakata

Experiment Title	URL	Tool (Attachment)
Capillarity under zero-gravity	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=960efc6afd770 3ef51eccb827a22363c# 0:00-2:23	Attachment-2, No.7
Growing bubbles in a glass of water	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=960efc6afd770 3ef51eccb827a22363c#	-



	2:23-3:46	
Bernoulli's principle	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=960efc6afd770 3ef51eccb827a22363c# 3:46-7:43	-
Mass and weight comparison center of mass	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=960efc6afd770 3ef51eccb827a22363c# 7:43-12:29	Attachment-2, No.1, 7

2015 Astronaut Yui

Experiment Title	URL	Tool (Attachment)	
Spinning a ball on its own axis with one finger	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=496e0f3e0d73420 7c7eb6ef91b9a9f64	Attachment-2, No.9	
Can we make wind in space?	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=8f7a4d0c0c981 f44ab4a0f45e9098247#	Attachment-2, No.1	
The incredible hoop glider! https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=4dae01ecf2c6a <a href="description-decomposition-no-negative</td><td>-</td></tr><tr><td colspan=2>Paper ball inside a water ball https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=844daf0c10ac4137182fdc12343f63e7#		-	
Zero-G painting https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=b618fdd6cd41c87 509c50c361802a2f8#		Attachment-2, No.7	
Sizable substance set on somersaulting stretched slinky	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=342aefe980eba18 144f65547b86ef977#	Attachment-2, No.2, 4	

2016 Astronaut Onishi

Experiment Title URL		Tool (Attachment)	
The Flying Paper Plane	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=edc947cfea9aa b115037268b47df5434	-	
Magnus Effect	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=6d4d7d522915 9d6362647b4d752680d6#	Attachment-2, No.2, 13	
Blocks in Jar	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=7d47a857bf08 b2fd7bd07b6828b0bcd8#	Attachment-2, No.2	
Capillary in Zero Gravity	Gravity <u>https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=1032d0dbf7abf</u> A <u>05831e4fb0338962186#</u>		
Liquid Density Action	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=da6d7e02188aca8 5c7f547a0801dad4e#	Attachment-2, No.14	



2018 Astronaut Kanai

Experiment Title	URL	Tool (Attachment)
Paper Boomerang	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=a67caddd4bc3 9ab23f0df9ee3ba6ba2d#	-
Aircraft Stability	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=308a7dc67e07 acf5ba820a2224c36ab5#	-
Spinning Ring	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=bdc5b4dfdfc55 b5a9c9aa6f103f51d20#	Attachment-2, No.7
Gyroscope & Tippe Top	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=abd471ef90d0 70a886bad210e2f1d122#	Attachment-2, No.11, 12
Wire Top	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=b0e4b19524fcca8e 1a9cb787fe27644a#	Attachment-2, No.20
Balls inside Slinky	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=023d9bda5849 212fe34a39024621ec76#	Attachment-2, No.2, 4, 13
Paper Spring	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=989bb63650d20b7 48085b0cab9afc2cc#	Attachment-2, No.1
Double-Layered Liquid Ball	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=58980b07704754c ea5a63e23db4bf1bc#	-

2022 Astronaut Wakata

Experiment Title	URL	Tool (Attachment)
Rotation of 'Dumbbell- shaped' objects in Space	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=2ca9eff2f38e61 5cf24a7bcc9c03620c	Attachment-2, No.15
The Water Vortex in Zero Gravity Condition	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=2a6af73a4a57fe78e72eb0ce46aad532	-
Double Pendulum in space	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=02243e3ae16e 33fad865eb1246212bc2	
Self-assembly of granular gas and three-dimensional pattern formation in a microgravity environment	three-dimensional 5aa648b2b9265d5793 formation in a	
Study of the height of water which is risen up in microgravity https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=cf01555be3864 03aaddfd6a3d26bf99f		
Water sphere disturbance in zero gravity	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=287232f0b099 1fb1dd66308361e7cd33	

2023 Astronaut Furukawa

Experiment Title URL	Tool (Attachment)
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wist Athlete Robot https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=b27788763ac2 2beba879023fd713c045		Attachment-2, No.21
Stranger things two ball on string	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=4195d183a19d aaad45e6be3af63e976e	Attachment-2, No.24
Lato-Lato motion trials in zero gravity	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=98ad1efd0c6d6 f6977466dc100f52b3f	Attachment-2, No.26, 27
Try a total elastic collision in space using the Lato-Lato game		
Finding the shape of Magnetic Field Lines	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=c99f9f57f0f19a 2af9eebd6e0da931d7	Attachment-2, No.28
Magnus Glider Looping Phase in Microgravity	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=babbc55c217e d61a51c486d19dcd7085	Attachment-2, No.29, 30
Behaviors of the magnus effect in zero-gravity		
Water Spheres and Electrostatic Force	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=2cd97b46830cdc0c3c278c56169a96ee	Attachment-2, No.32, 33
Oloid's Movement in Microgravity		
Acceleration of liquid surface in capillary action in microgravity	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=f9dc4b24a605c fefb6f5c44c6795e412	Attachment-2, No.35
Zero-G Siphon	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=169bc577d8d4f af39cf4a229b1223bdb	Attachment-2, No.35, 36
Let us blow (exercise)	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=6d156d6c8b66 25976efb4970a61ef42d	Attachment-2, No.37, 38
Flexibility exercises with rope (exercise)	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=bd1a756bcd3e 0f9bac6fcebe5b160b47	
The Effectivity of Elastic Resistance Band Exercise When Performed in Zero- Gravity (exercise)	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=69dce16cbdc9 b8aee6b1e3e7a22c3e92	
Starfish exercise for Microgravity (exercise)	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=11079bfe25b8 659cfc9677c008ceb2a2	
Rubber gymnastics on air chair (exercise)	https://jda.jaxa.jp/result.php?lang=e&id=ae0173129ad5 21ccfcd8d982278f0d2d	

Summary of Asian Try-Zero-G videos

- 2018 (Astronaut Kanai)
- 2022 (Astronaut Wakata)
- 2023 (Astronaut Furukawa)

Other videos



- 2009 (Astronaut Wakata)*1
- 2010 (Astronaut Noguchi①, ②)*1
- 2014 (Astronaut Wakata) *1
- 2016 (Astronaut Onishi 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6)*2
- *1: Japanese audio with English subtitles
- *2: Japanese audio only



Attachment-2: Available Items (1/13)

No.1



Blocks Weight Kit (Blocks)

Material

Aluminum, Steel, Polymer, Wood

Size

L 30 x W 30 x H 30 [mm]

<u>Mass</u>

Aluminum: 73 [g] Steel: 210 [g] Polymer: 38 [g] Wood: 12 [g]

Quantity 1 set

Reference

- Astronaut Hoshide, 2012
 (3:13-5:10, 7:00-7:48)
- Astronaut Wakata, 2014 (7:43-12:29)
- · Astronaut Yui, 2014
- · Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.2



Mass Comparison Kit (Balls)

Material

Aluminum, Polyethylene, Vinyl, Rubber, Wood, Steel

Size

dia. 27 [mm]

Mass

 Aluminum
 : 40 [g]

 Polyethylene
 : 14 [g]

 Vinyl
 : 20 [g]

 Rubber
 : 21 [g]

 Wood
 : 9 [g]

 Steel
 : 110 [g]

Quantity 2 sets

Reference

- · Astronaut Yui, 2015
- · Astronaut Onishi, 2016
- · Astronaut Onishi, 2016
- · Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.3



Compass

Material Aluminum

Size

L 73 x W 54 x H 23 [mm]

Mass 66 [g]

Quantity

1

Reference

Astronaut Furukawa, 2011



Attachment-2: Available Items (2/13)

No.4



Slinky

Material Steel

Size

dia. 40 x L 32 [mm] (Inside dia. 37 [mm])

Mass 46 [g]

Quantity 1

Reference

- · Astronaut Yui, 2015
- · Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.5



Spring Kit (Springs, Weights)

Material

Size

Steel

Large Spring : dia. 14 x L 91 [mm]
Medium Spring : dia. 9 x L 75 [mm]
Small Spring : dia. 5 x L 46 [mm]
Weight : dia. 20 x L 9 [mm]
(include hooks: L 29 x W 20 x H 20 [mm])

[[[[[[]]]

Mass

Large Spring : 17 [g]
Medium Spring : 6 [g]
Small Spring : 1.25 [g]
Weight : 25 [g]

Quantity

1 set (Spring: each 1, Weight: 3)

Reference

Astronaut Furukawa, 2011

No.6



Spring Balance

Material

Case: Acrylic resin, Spring: Steel

Size

L 30 x W 250 x H 20 [mm]

Mass 69 [g]

Quantity

1

Reference

Astronaut Hoshide, 2012 (0:00-1:34)



Attachment-2: Available Items (3/13)

No.7



Ink Brush

Material Polyester

<u>Size</u> L 234 x W 9 x H 5 [mm]

Mass 5 [g]

Quantity 1

Reference

- Astronaut Wakata, 2014
 (0:00-2:23, 7:43-12:29)
- · Astronaut Yui, 2015
- · Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.8



Origami Paper

Material Paper

<u>Size</u> L 150 x W 150 x H 0.1 [mm]

Mass 1 [g]

Quantity 3 sets

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2011

No.9



Star Chart

Material Plastic

<u>Size</u> L 273 x W 276 x H 1 [mm]

Mass 68 [g]

Quantity 1

Reference
- Astronaut Yui, 2018



Attachment-2: Available Items (4/13)

No.10



Tape measure

Material

Case: Plastic, Tape: Vinyl

Size

L 52 x W 52 x H 17 [mm] (Tape length: 1.5 [m])

Mass 27 [g]

Quantity

No.11



Tppe Top

Material Wood

dia. 26 x L 34 [mm]

Mass 8 [g]

Quantity 2

Reference

Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.12



Gyroscope

Material Steel

Size

dia. 61 x L 87 [mm] (Thread length: 500 [mm])

Mass 80 [g]

Quantity 2

Reference

Astronaut Kanai, 2018



Attachment-2: Available Items (5/13)

No.13



Sponge Ball

Material Polyurethane



Size

Yellow: dia. 75 [mm] Orange 1: dia. 50 [mm] Orange 2 : dia. 26 [mm]

Mass

Yellow: 6.3 [g] Orange 1 : 1.2 [g] Orange 2: 0.22 [g]

Quantity Yellow: 1 Orange 1: 1 Orange 2: 2

Reference

- Astronaut Onishi, 2016
- Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.14



Plastic Syringe

Material Plastic

Size

30ml: L 139 x W 40 D 29 [mm] 50ml: L 144 x W 47 D 35 [mm]

Mass

30ml : 20 [g] 50ml : 24 [g]

Quantity 30ml :2 50ml :5

Reference

- Astronaut Onishi, 2016
- · Astronaut Onishi, 2016

No.15



Rotator Pack (Weights attached bar's both ends)

Material Bar: Steel,

Ball: Plastic, Aluminum, Brass

Size

dia. 30 x L 267 [mm]

Mass

Plastic – Plastic : 52 [g] Plastic – Aluminum: 73 [g] Plastic – Brass : 151 [g]

*Individual Mass

Bar : 14 [g] Plastic Ball : 19 [g] Aluminum Ball: 40 [g] Brass Ball : 118 [g]

Quantity

3

Reference

· Astronaut Wakata, 2022



Attachment-2: Available Items (6/13)

No.16





Spool Pack (Spools)

Material

Wood, Aluminum, Cotton

Size

dia. 90 x L 56 [mm]

Mass

Wood : 45 [g]/123 [g] (thick roll)

Aluminum: 129 [g]

Quantity 3 No.17



Parachute Pack (Parachute, Weights)

Material

Parachute: Nylon

Weight: Wood and Brass

Size

Parachute : dia. 430 x L 430 [mm] Wood Weight : dia. 30 x L 45 [mm] Brass Weight : dia. 30 x L 45 [mm]

Mass

Parachute : 19 [g] Wood Weight : 14 [g] Brass Weight : 123 [g]

Quantity 1 set No.18



Flapping Bird

Material Plastic

Size

L 260 x W 160 x H 40 [mm]

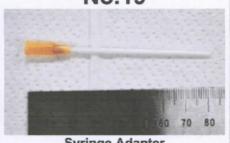
Mass 11 [g]

Quantity 1



Attachment-2: Available Items (7/13)

No.19



Syringe Adapter

Material Plastic

Size L 82 x W 8 x D 6 [mm]

Mass 0.4 [g]

Quantity 2

No.20



Wire Top (Type A, B, C)

Material Copper

Size Wire: 2 [mm] Type A: dia. 81 x H 2.1 [mm] Type B: dia. 81 x H 4.8 [mm] Type C: dia. 83 x H 3.8 [mm]

Mass

Type A: 6.49 [g] Type B: 8.11 [g] Type C: 11.87 [g]

Quantity 1 set

Reference Astronaut Kanai, 2018

No.21



Acrylic Stick experiment kit

Material Acrylic, Crude rubber

L 250 x W 250 x H 17 [mm]

Mass 17 [g]



Attachment-2: Available Items (8/13)

No.22



Acrylic stick

Material Acrylic

<u>Size</u> L 250 x W 6 x H 6 [mm]

Mass 8.5 [g]

No.23



Crude rubber

Material Crude rubber

<u>Size</u> L 50 x W 50 x H 2 [mm]

Mass 0.2 [g]

No.24



Two ball string experiment kit

Material Aluminum, Nomex

<u>Size</u> L 20 x W 645 x H 20 [mm]

Mass 24 [g]



Attachment-2: Available Items (9/13)

No.25



Aluminum ball

Material Aluminum

<u>Size</u> L 20 x W 20 x H 20 [mm]

Mass 11 [g] No.26



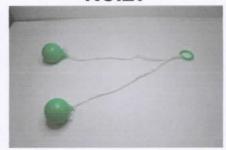
Nomex rope

Material Nomex

Size L 1000 (As required) x W 3 x H 0.5

Mass 1.5 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 No.27



Rope clackers

Material Plastic

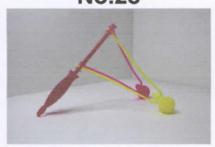
<u>Size</u> L 47 x W 549 x H 47 [mm]

Mass 60 [g]



Attachment-2: Available Items (10/13)

No.28



Stick clackers

Material Plastic

<u>Size</u> L 180 x W 550 x H 25 [mm]

Mass 24 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 No.29



Magnet

Material Magnet

<u>Size</u> L 50 x W 9 x H 9 [mm]

Mass 24 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 No.30



Magnus Glider experiment kit (cup)

Material Paper

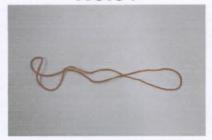
<u>Size</u> L 80 x W 240 x H 80 [mm]

Mass 17 [g]



Attachment-2: Available Items (11/13)

No.31



Magnus Glider experiment kit (Crude rubber)

Material

Crude rubber

<u>Size</u> L 1 x W 225 x H 2 [mm]

Mass 0.5 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 No.32



Cup

Material Paper

<u>Size</u> L 80 x W 120 x H 80 [mm]

Mass 8 [g] No.33



Colored water bag

Material PVC

<u>Size</u> L 250 x W 130 x H 2 [mm]

Mass 237 [g]



Attachment-2: Available Items (12/13)

No.34



Ruler

Material Acrylic

Size L 35 x W 311 x H 4 [mm]

Mass 27 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023

No.35



Lint free wipe

Material Paper

<u>Size</u> L 325 x W 385 x H 1 [mm]

Mass 9.3 [g]

No.36



Colored Water Container

Material
Polyethylene, colored water

<u>Size</u> L 50 x W 50 x H 60 [mm]

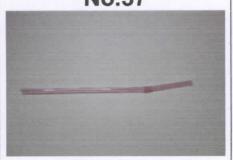
Mass 91 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 Astronaut Furukawa, 2023



Attachment-2: Available Items (13/13)

No.37



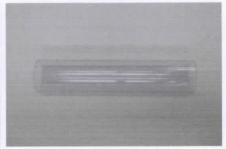
Straw

Material Plastic

<u>Size</u> L 50 x W 50 x H 60 [mm]

Mass 0.3 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 No.38



3 cm pipe

Material Acrylic

<u>Size</u> L 150 x W 32 x H 32 [mm]

Mass 19 [g]

Reference Astronaut Furukawa, 2023 No.39



1 cm pipe

Material Acrylic

<u>Size</u> L 150 x W 12 x H 12 [mm]

Mass 7 [g]

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1. Applicant Information

Experiment Title		
	Name	
Personal	Nationality	
information/	Age	
(Team Leader)	Gender (M/F/X)	
	School	
	Major (if applicable)	
	E-mail	

Member List (if you apply with a group)

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	Name	
Personal	Nationality	
information	Age	
	Gender (M/F/X)	
	School	
	Major (if applicable)	
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information	Age	
	Gender (M/F/X)	
	School	
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	Major (if applicable)	
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the public and broadcast.		
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☐ I reside or am from the EU	J and agree to GDPR in Entry Guideline (check if applicable)	
*Check is needed to send	proposal, if applicable.	

2. Abstract (200 words)

3. Hypothesis and Theory

- Hypothesis
- Schematic Model
- Mathematical and Theoretical Hypothesis (If applicable)

4. Verification Methods and Procedures

- Overview of the Verification Methods
- Show step by step procedures and expected time.

No	Procedure	Time*
		(minutes)
1		
2		
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9		
10		
	Total	

^{*} The time required for operations on orbit is about **twice as long** as the time required for the same operations on the ground.

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(A video explanation is best if there are.)

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5. Tools and Items

• Tools and Items from Attachment-2
(Write to identify what is in Attachment-2 and amount/number pcs)

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1. Applicant Information

Experiment Title		
	Name	Hanako Tsukuba
Personal	Nationality	Japan
information/	Age	14
(Team Leader)	Gender (M/F/X)	F
	School	Southern Ibaraki Junior High School
	Major (if applicable)	N/A
	E-mail	xxxxxxx@xxxxx

Member List (if you apply with a group)

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	Name	Jiro Ibaraki
Personal	Nationality	Japan
information	Age	14
	Gender (M/F/X)	M
	School	Southern Ibaraki Junior High School
	Major (if applicable)	N/A
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	Name	Sakura Ibaraki
Personal	Nationality	Japan
information	Age	12
	Gender (M/F/X)	F
	School	Southern Ibaraki Junior High School
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	Name	
Personal	Nationality	
information	Age	
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	School	
	Major (if applicable)	
	E-mail	

If you have more members, please add the list on the next page.

Asian Try Zero-G 2025 Proposal Form (Sample) (Attachment-4)

Photo

Please attach your/group photo	
if you wish to participate in the	
photo session. The	
image/picture will be open to	
the public and broadcast.	

- ☑ I agree to the Terms and Conditions indicated in the Asian Try Zero-G 2025 Entry Guideline
- ☐ I am not from the EU and do not live in the EU,
- ☐ I reside or am from the EU and agree to GDPR in Entry Guideline (check if applicable)

^{*}Check is needed to send proposal, if applicable.

2. Abstract (200 words)

The purpose of this experiment is to analyze the difference in capillary action between the microgravity condition on the ISS and the normal gravity condition on the ground. Since water in a tube has surface tension with surface adhesion force and cohesion force, we can see in daily life that the water surface is concave down. It's called capillary action. And gravity is said to be one of the variables that can affect capital action. Therefore, in this experiment, we will fill a small plastic syringe-like tube with water, observe the water surface in a microgravity condition, and compare it with the experiment on the ground to investigate how the gravity affects the capillary phenomenon. As a result of this experiment, we expect the water surface to be parallel or convex rather than concave in a microgravity environment because the effect of gravity is less pronounced.

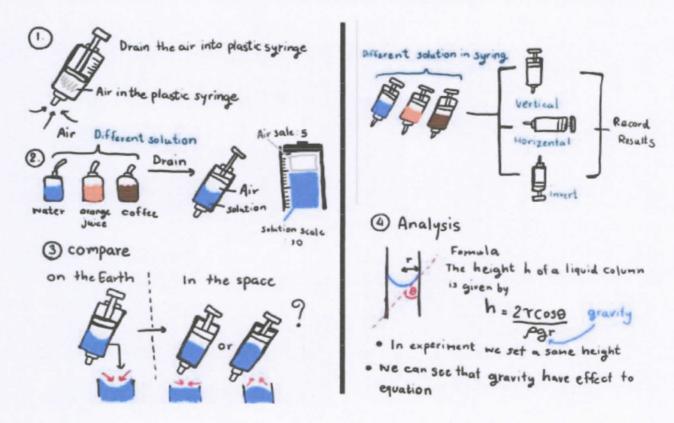
3. Hypothesis and Theory

Hypothesis

Surface tension is the force which makes fluid surface acquired the least area possible. Its direction is parallel with fluid surface and perpendicular with the edge of surface is act by force in any direction. In molecules at the surface is act by force in only under direction. So, that made fluid have surface force act into center. We can see it normally in daily life when we drain water into tube. Then, water surface is concave down because water in tube have surface tension with surface adhesion force and cohesion force. It's call capillary action. And gravity is also one of variable that can affect to capitally action. So, I think that if we drain water into a small tube such as plastic syringe and then observe it in zero gravity condition how difference of surface by compare with a syringe in normal gravity condition.

Schematic Model

Asian Try Zero-G 2025 Proposal Form (Sample) (Attachment-4)



Mathematical and Theoretical Hypothesis (If applicable)

The height of liquid column is given by

$$h = 2\gamma \cos\theta/r\rho g$$

we can apply this equation to find θ

γ is the liquid-air surface tension (energy/area)

 θ is the contact angle

ρ is the density of liquid (mass/volume)

g is acceleration due to gravity (length/time^2)

r is radius of tube (length)

4. Verification Methods and Procedures

- Overview of the Verification Methods
 Compare and analysis syringe in zero gravity condition and compare contact angle(θ) from equation with contact angle from experiment.
- Show step by step procedures and expected time.

No	Procedure	Time*(minutes)
1	Drain air into three syringes to 5 ml scale	1

Asian Try Zero-G 2025 Proposal Form (Sample) (Attachment-4)

2	Drain water or other liquids into syringes to 10 ml scale	3
3	Observe them and take photos and videos	6
4	Measure contact angle and compare with syringe in normal condition (activity on ground)	
5		
6		
7		
8		
9		
10		
	Total	10

^{*} The time required for operations on orbit is about **twice as long** as the time required for the same operations on the ground.

Add lines here as needed.

NOTE (If applicable):

If available to use one syringe, please repeat step 1-3. It will take more time.

(A video explanation is best if there are.)

Show the URL storing a	
video for sharing	

5. Tools and Items

- Tools and Items from Attachment 2
 (Write to identify what is in Attachment 2 and amount/number pcs)
 - Item No.1, Aluminum Wood block 1pcs
 - Item No.11, Tippe Top 2pcs
 - Item No.20, Wire Top (Type A)



Republic of the Philippines Office of the President

Philippine Space Agency



10 December 2024

DR. RONNIE S. MALLARI

Regional Director Department of Education – Region III Maimpis, City of San Fernando, Pampanga

SUBJECT: Request for DepEd Advisory to the Asian Try Zero-G (ATZG) 2025

Dear Dr. Mallari:

Greetings from the Philippine Space Agency (PhilSA)!

We are pleased to inform you about an opportunity for Filipino students to participate in the Asian Try Zero-G (ATZG) 2025. This competition, organized under the Asian Beneficial Collaboration through Kibo Utilization (Kibo ABC) Program by the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) in collaboration with PhilSA, allows students to propose experiments to be performed in a zero-gravity environment aboard the Kibo module of the International Space Station (ISS).

The competition is open to students enrolled in Philippine institutions up to the postgraduate level. Participants can join individually or in teams. Selected winners will have their experiments conducted by a JAXA astronaut and will also get a chance to visit the Tsukuba Space Center in Japan to witness the live demonstration and meet astronauts.

In line with this, we would like to request the release of an advisory to enjoin participation in the competition. Key details of the competition are as follows:

- Submission Deadline: 17 January 2025 (Friday)
- Submission Link: https://form.jotform.com/230890523254454
- More information: https://philsa.gov.ph/news/asian-try-zero-g-call-for-proposals-2025/

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact sesd@philsa.gov.ph with the subject '[Asian Try Zero G 2025]: Inquiry' or by phone at +632 8568 99 31.

Sincerely yours,

ARIEL C. BLANCO, Dr. Eng.

Officer-in-Charge, Space Science Missions Bureau

Reference No. SSMB-ACB-E2024-108

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Asian Try Zero-G 2025 Application Guidelines

Looking for experiments to try out in space!!

November 1, 2024

1. Introduction

Asian Try Zero-G 2025 allows agencies from member countries/region to participate in the Kibo-ABC (Asia Beneficial Collaboration through Kibo Utilization) initiative that utilizes the Kibo Japanese Experiment Module on the International Space Station (ISS). Each participating agency, which acts as the point of contact (POC), will publicly seek proposals for experiments and select candidate themes from their respective countries/regions. All the participating agencies will then select the experiments together, and selected experiments will be carried out aboard Kibo. JAXA is the POC in Japan.

*See the video of Asian Try Zero-G 2023: 2023 (Astronaut Furukawa)

2. Application Information

Asian Try Zero-G 2025 is calling for themes related to simple physics experiments that will be carried out in the Japanese Experiment Module Kibo.

2-1. Application Summary

- 1. Ideas for visually confirming physical phenomena.
- Describe the hypothesis/scientific basis as mathematically or logically as possible.
- 3. The only tools that can be used in the experiment are those that have been used in past Asian Try Zero-G experiments. For details, please refer to section 3.

2-2. Key Points

- Please propose an experiment that has never been conducted before (a new experiment) or an experiment that has been conducted in the past but has been further developed or improved. Please refer to the "Past Experiment Reports" (below) and "Attachment-1_Video List" for examples of previous experiments.
 - https://humans-in-space.jaxa.jp/en/biz-lab/kuoa/tryzerog/
- Please make sure that your proposal is written in a way that is easy for anyone to understand. If the content is too complicated, there is a possibility that the theme selectors will not understand the purpose of the experiment. If necessary, it is also possible to supplement the experimental process and hypothesis using videos and diagrams. Please refer to section 7 for information on how to write a proposal.

3. Application Requirements

A total of 9 themes will be adopted across all Kibo-ABC participating countries/region. Please note that the number of themes adopted may change depending on the content of the

selected themes.

- You can apply as an individual or as part of a group.
- The activity must be completed inside Kibo.
- 3) No special tools required, or you can only use tools that can be used in the ISS.
 - a. Stationery (Paper, pen, scissors, ruler, binder clip, Ziploc bag, etc.)
 - b. Tools (screwdriver, wrench, tweezers, tape, rubber gloves, etc.)
 - c. Simple tools that have been used in the past (See Attachment-2_Available Items).
 *Depending on the situation, the aforementioned items may not be available.
 - d. The items listed in Attachment-2 can also be used in combination with each other.
- 4) The activity should be completed in 10 minutes. Please clearly and concisely explain the procedures.
 - *You can also submit your application with a video showing how to carry out the experiment.

 *The time required for operations on orbit is about **twice as long** as the time required for the same operations on the ground.
- 5) As a rule, only experiments can be carried out by one crew member. However, proposals that would require two crew members will be considered.
- 6) The whole process will be recorded with a high-resolution camera. The high-resolution images are downlinked to the ground and distributed to the proposers.
 - *The video distributed may only be used for educational purposes at the educational institution to which the proposer belongs. If you would like to use it for other purposes, please consult JAXA. Also, if you are using images of astronauts, please consult JAXA. Example:
 - Use at school cultural festivals, etc. (no permission required)
 - Use at academic conferences outside the school, use of images featuring astronauts (permission required)
- 7) Please keep the following in mind when preparing your material for the presentation externally. In addition, please allow JAXA to confirm the materials before submitting them.
 - a. The results have to be indicated as obtained through participation in the Asian Try Zero-G 2025.
 - b. The materials should be sent to JAXA for pre-confirmation before submission. (It takes approximately 10 days for confirmation.)
- You should inform JAXA if you are interviewed or featured in a newspaper, TV, or other media.
- Proposals that are deemed to be linked to the financial interests of specific groups or organizations will not be accepted. Furthermore, the activities of Asian Try Zero-G cannot be used for advertising or publicity.

4. Eligibility

Students, up to postgraduate, (individuals or teams) must be enrolled in schools in Kibo-ABC countries/region*1 that are participating in Asian Try Zero-G*2.

To be eligible to apply in Japan, you must either be a Japanese citizen or a foreign national living in Japan (if you have Japanese citizenship, you can also apply if you are living overseas).

*1 Kibo-ABC Member countries/region (in alphabetical order) Australia, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Nepal, New Zealand, Republic of the Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, United Arab Emirates, Vietnam Kibo-ABC URL: https://humans-in-space.jaxa.jp/en/biz-lab/kuoa/

*2 Asian Try Zero-G 2025 Participating countries/region (as of November 2024) Australia, Bangladesh, Japan, Republic of the Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, United Arab Emirates. Participation from other countries is being coordinated. Please check the official website for the latest participating countries/region.

Asian Try Zero-G: https://humans-in-space.jaxa.jp/en/biz-lab/kuoa/tryzerog/

5. Schedule

January 2025 Initial selection in each country/region

March 2025 Final selection

December 2025 - February 2026 Experiments conducted on orbit (Dates TBA)

May 2026 Wrap-up Session * The schedule is subject to change without prior notice.

* Ask about the proposal deadline for the agency / local secretariat in your country/region.

6. Points to Consider

There are cases where experiments cannot be carried out on the ISS/Kibo due to safety concerns or restrictions on the activities of astronauts. Check the following points when proposing an idea, and make sure that none of them apply.

- 1) The following activities are considered to be unsafe onboard the ISS/Kibo:
 - · Use of dangerous materials/objects
 - · Release of large amounts of water (1 liter or more) inside Kibo's cabin
 - · Release of gases that cannot be processed on the ISS
 - · Scattering of tiny objects such as bolts, nuts, pieces of paper, and powders
 - · Spinning an object with a large mass at high speed
 - Handling of fragile objects (glass, etc.)
 - · Handling of objects with sharp edges
- 2) The following activities are considered to be impractical onboard the ISS/Kibo:
 - · Long hours of work
 - · Any action that could lead to infringe on the rights and privacy of crew members
 - Stopping the air circulation in the cabin for a long time
 - Blocking astronaut emergency escape routes (Closing hatches, etc.)

7. How to Write a Proposal

Please refer to the Attachment-4 sample and fill in the following information in the Attachment-3 proposal form.

Please write your proposal in English, as it will be reviewed internationally.

- 1) Applicant affiliation
- 2) Title
- Summary of the proposed experiment (approx. 200 words)
 Background, purpose, experiment process, predicted results, discussion, etc.
- 4) Hypothesis/Theory
 - a) Hypothesis
 - b) Schematic diagram
 - c) Mathematical/theoretical supposition/scientific basis

- 5) Items required for implementation
- Experiment Procedure
 Please also include the estimated time for each step.
- 7) Optional: Photo of the applicant (If you wish to be photographed with the astronaut, your photo will be sent up to the ISS and a commemorative photo taken in Kibo together with the astronaut(s). Please note that the photo will be made public.)
 - * Please make sure to provide easy-to-understand explanations of the hypotheses, theories and experimental procedures of your experiment, using diagrams and supplemented videos, etc. Also, if you are sharing a video as supplementary material, please change the file name to the name of the experiment.

8. Submitting the Proposal

- Please submit your proposal (in English) and any supporting documents to the local secretariat.
 - For applicants in Japan, please submit your proposal here (Japanese).
- Deadline: Please check the deadline for submitting the application form with the local secretariat in your country/region.

9. Selection Result Announcement

Selected themes will be posted on the JAXA website, along with the content and the name of the school of the person who proposed it.

https://humans-in-space.jaxa.jp/en/biz-lab/kuoa/tryzerog/

Announcement date: March 2025 (subject to change without prior notice)

*The applicants whose proposal is selected have opportunities to watch the experiment the crew conducts on the ISS and the facility tour of JAXA.

10. Terms of Conditions

Applicants shall be deemed to have agreed to all the following. EU residents must also agree to the contents of the Appendix.

- 1) Management of Application Content
 - a) All rights to modify, implement, and use the results of all submitted ideas for public and educational purposes belong to JAXA. It may also be used in space awareness and utilization activities by the partner company.
 - b) Images and videos submitted with your application may be published on the websites of JAXA and related companies.
 - c) If there are any provisions that are contrary to these application guidelines, the proposal may be dropped even after it has been announced to be selected.

2) Privacy Policy

- a) The personal information collected will be used for contact purposes, for publicizing the selection results, and for other matters related to the Asian Try Zero-G and Asian cooperation activities.
- b) Footage and photographs of participants and other related parties taken in relation to Asian Try Zero-G may be published on the websites of JAXA and related companies.
- 3) Responsibilities of the Applicant and JAXA's Disclaimer

- a) JAXA shall not be liable for any problems that may occur during participation in this event. The applicant shall be responsible for resolving any possible problems on their own.
- b) The applicant must ensure that their proposal does not infringe on any legal rights, such as intellectual property rights. If any legal issues arise in relation to the submitted material, the applicant shall be fully responsible for resolving them.

11. Contact

JAXA Kibo-ABC Secretariat E-mail: Z-ATZG@ml.jaxa.jp

Please write "ATZG Inquiry" in the subject line of your email.

Appendix

For the purposes of notification of event information and results of your recruitment, JAXA needs to collect your personal data requested in the present form.

You may at any time object to the use of your data for this purpose by writing to the following address:

Z-ATZG@ml.jaxa.jp

You will find below all the detailed information concerning this processing of your personal data and a reminder of your rights, in application of the legislation in force.

JAXA, willing to respect the privacy and protection of personal data of its prospects and clients, complies with the legislation in force regarding the protection of personal data as data controller, and in particular Law no. 78-17 of 6 January 1978 (the "Data Protection Act") and, from 25 May 2018, Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data and the free movement of such data (the "GDPR").

JAXA does not transfer personal data to third countries or parties outside the European Economic Area.

You have, under the conditions defined by the Data Protection Act and the GDPR, unless otherwise provided:

- (i) The right to withdraw at any time your consent to the processing implemented by JAXA based on such consent;
- (ii) The right to obtain from JAXA the confirmation that your personal data are or are not processed and, when they are, access to said personal data as well as to several information on the processing (processing purposes, categories of personal data concerned, recipients or categories of recipients to whom your personal data have been or will be communicated, the retention period of the personal data envisaged or, where this is not possible, the criteria used to determine this duration, etc.)
- (iii) A right of access, rectification and/or erasure of your personal data;
- (iv)The right to receive your personal data provided to JAXA, in a structured, commonly used and legible format, and the right to transfer this data to another data controller without JAXA having to obstruct it;
- (v) A right of opposition, for legitimate reasons, to the processing of your personal data and the right of opposition to the use of such personal data;
- (vi)The right to request from JAXA the portability of your personal data in the event you wish to obtain the transfer of your personal data to the benefit of another data controller.

You can set, change and revoke at any time guidelines for the retention, erasure and communication of your personal data after your death. You have the right to appoint a third party to whom your data may be communicated after your death. You agree to inform this third party of your approach. You may exercise the rights described above by writing to JAXA at the following email address: Z-ATZG@ml.jaxa.jp