## WORCESTER COUNTY MATHEMATICS LEAGUE STUDENT INFORMATION REGARDING ANSWER FORMS

All answers must be in simplified exact form unless the question states otherwise. Consider the following situations:

1. $\sqrt{12}$ is not acceptable; it should be written as $2 \sqrt{3}$.
2. Numerators and denominators of all fractions must be relatively prime.
3. Fractions with radicals in the denominator must be rationalized; e.g., $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ is not acceptable; it should be written as $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$.
4. When calculators are allowed, all answers written in decimal form must be rounded to three (3) decimal places. The calculator answer for $\sqrt{7}$ is 2.646 ; it is not 2.65 or 2.7 or 2.645 .

## ANSWERS MUST BE LEGIBLE

If the answer is not clearly written, it will probably be marked wrong. Unreasonable calculations need not be carried out; e.g. $17^{23}$.

