

Instructions for Round 3 Log1 Contest

1. Go to the site: <http://log1.wamath.net/tests1617.php>. Save each of the topic test files. You should have 1 test file; 1617individual.pdf. There is a Theta, Alpha and Mu level test in the file, as well as answers and solutions.
2. Make sufficient copies of the test so that each student will have their own to work on. Students will only be taking this one test for Round 3, unlike the first two rounds. We suggest you ask the students ahead of time to anticipate the number of copies needed.
3. You may administer the test anytime during the January 18th through February 17th testing period but you must give the test to everyone from your school at the same time. Students from your school taking the test at a different time may do so but their scores will not count. Students should be told not to discuss the tests with others before February 13th as some schools may take it later in the period.
4. After distributing the tests, inform the students that they will have 30 minutes to complete the test. NO CALCULATORS are allowed and answers should be placed in the provided areas. Tell the students that the questions have different values and that they should not spend too much time on any one problem. For some students, some later problems may be easier than the first ones.
5. During the testing, make sure students are following directions. Give them 15 minutes, 5 minutes and 1 minute left warnings. After 30 minutes, collect the papers.
6. After the testing, feel free to go over any problems for which the students have questions. The solutions provided are certainly not the only way to do the problems. Some of the problems are quite tricky. Remind the students that scores will be scaled based on the math level. Coaches should score each of the tests, remembering that questions are worth different point values. Questions 1-5 are worth 4 points, 6-10 are worth 5 points and questions 11-15, 6 points.
7. DISPUTES. If there are any disputed questions/answers, the coach should email: richard.roths@highlineschools.org with the test, problem number and reason for the dispute. These disputes are due by the end of the day February 17th. If accepted, the resolution will be emailed to all coaches so that scores can be adjusted.

8. Student names will come from the national office. We will be getting an updated feed of student names from all participating schools during the first week of February.
9. Go to the "Student Info" screen, select the appropriate math level from the pull-down menu for each student. You are now ready to enter the scores for the second round.
10. Go to the "Student Info" page to record the scores for Round 3. Until February 21st, coaches can enter the scores for each student. The boxes under the Round 3 column will be "active" and have text boxes to enter the scores. Enter your student scores in these "active" text boxes when you are ready. These scores may be edited anytime up to February 21st. If a dispute goes through, emails will be sent to all coaches so that scores can be adjusted. Be sure to keep the student tests at least until the 21st.
11. The third-round scores will be posted to the "Scores" link from the header soon after the conclusion of the 3rd round.