

The University of the State of New York  
THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
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## IMPORTANT NOTICE

### Notice to Teachers

## 2012 Grade 5 Mathematics Test

### Book 3

### Question 65 Only

Due to the ambiguous nature of Question 65 on the 2012 New York State Grade 5 Mathematics Test, the State Education Department has decided that Question 65 ***will not be counted in determining students' test scores***. If your school has not yet scored this question, it is not necessary to do so. If your school has scored this question, no further action is required.

The necessary adjustment will be made by the Department's contractor.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you and we thank you for your hard work on behalf of the students in New York State.