

## **Congratulations to these outstanding math students**

Several **Lexington Traditional Magnet** students excelled in the American Mathematics Competition 8 (AMC 8) in November.

The team of **Sadik Shahidain, Idrees Kahloon** and **Jessie Li** placed first in the state with a score of 68 out of a possible 75. These three students, along with **Alec Henthorne**, were selected to the AMC 8 Distinguished Honor Roll for scoring in the top 1 percent in the nation individually; **Hank Russell** and **Matthew Williams** scored in the top 5 percent. Also, Russell and **Christine Brandewie** won Certificates of Merit for high scores among the sixth-graders nationally.

LTMS had the highest team score statewide, led by Shahidain's 24 out of a possible 25.

Among the highest-scoring seventh-graders in the state were Li (1st), **Rachel Dixon** (tied for 4th), **Victoria Zachman** (tied for 4th) and **Jessica Richardson** (tied for 10th).

Shining among the sixth-graders statewide were Russell (1st), Brandewie (2nd), **Helen Lee** (tied for 3rd), **Olja Busbaher** (tied for 5th) and **Jacob Richardson** (tied for 8th).