

# ROMAN NUMERALS

**I = 1**

**V = 5**

**X = 10**

**L = 50**

**C = 100**

**D = 500**

**M = 1,000**

1-9 by 1s	10-90 by 10s	100-900 by 100s
I	X	C
II	XX	CC
III	XXX	CCC
IV	XL	CD
V	L	D
VI	LX	DC
VII	LXX	DCC
VIII	LXXX	DCCC
IX	XC	CM

- If a smaller number (one of lesser value) is placed before a larger number, that smaller number is subtracted from the larger number.

IV    Placing I before the V is 5 minus 1, or 4.

IX    Placing I before the X is 10 minus 1, or 9.

- If a smaller number (one of lesser value) is placed after a larger number, that smaller number is added to the larger number.

VI    Placing I after the V is 5 plus 1, or 6.

XII   Placing II after the X is 10 plus 2, or 12.

- No more than three of any one letter are next to each other.

III    3            CCC    300            MMM    3,000

- A dash over a number multiplies the value by 1,000.

$\overline{X}$  = 10,000       $\overline{V}$  = 5,000