

Mathematics 300

Quiz 5

Name: Key

*You must show your work to get full credit.*

1. Use the roster method to specify the elements in the following set and then write a sentence in English describing the set.

$$S = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : x^2 < 2\}.$$

(a) The roster form of  $S$  is  $\{-1, 0, 1\}$

- (b) An English sentence describing the set is:

*The set of integers whose square is less than 2.*

2. Use set builder notation to describe the following set

$$S = \{1, 4, 9, 16, 25, \dots\}.$$

$$S = \{n^2 : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

3. Use set builder notation to describe the set  $A$  of all integers strictly between 17 and 42.

$$A = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 17 < x < 42\}$$