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A summons must accompany a complaint when a lawsuit is filed by the plaintiff. A summons is a formal notice given to the defendant that a lawsuit has been filed against them. In plain terms, the summons acts as an instruction guide for the party to let them know exactly what to do next. The original of your Answer must be filed with the Clerk's Office of the Court of Common Pleas, _____, Delaware and must include proof that a copy of the Answer was served on the plaintiff or his/her attorney who is named on this Summons. Terms: The summons, complaint, and answer are the documents that begin a lawsuit. These documents present the positions of both the plaintiff and defendant and are required before a lawsuit can proceed. The Federal Rules of Civil Procedure outline the basic requirements for the contents of each of these documents. Sample of a Civil Court Summons. The following is an example of a civil summons for a credit card debt lawsuit. Notice that the summons tells the defendant that they have 20 days to answer or a judgment will be entered against them. If this debt buyer is suing for \$20,000.00 and I don't answer this summons within 20 days, they win easily because I failed to answer. - Sample Of Summons