

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2000
DERIVATIVES I

I. Choose the word or phrase which best completes the sentence, means the same as the underlined word(s), or answers the question.

1. What was originally believed to cause malaria?
a. bad air b. bathing in cold water c. plague d. lack of sleep
2. Ubiquitous phenomena are
a. rare. b. unique. c. timeless. d. everywhere.
3. Which of the following does NOT derive from a Latin word?
a. cent b. nickel c. dime d. quarter
4. Martin Luther King, Jr., was famous for his commitment to nonviolent resistance and for his _____ approach to social change.
a. vindictive b. implacable c. pacific d. indignant
5. Which of the following professionals would be most concerned with fenestration?
a. an architect b. a chef c. a diplomat d. a doctor
6. Which letter of the alphabet undulates?
a. H b. S c. O d. A
7. A supernumerary is a(n)
a. the person in charge. b. obedient to authority. c. an extra person.
d. untouched by daily life.
8. What was originally stored in a pannier?
a. money b. paper c. bread d. household gods
9. A factotum
a. thinks easily. b. is a mathematical term. c. forms part of a larger group.
d. does everything.
10. The antepenultimate syllable of the word "antepenultimate":
a. pe b. nul c. ti d. mate

II. Select the meaning of the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

11. discipline
a. punishment b. school c. severity d. training
12. embellish
a. war b. twice c. good d. drink

13. marinate
a. sea b. remain c. bitter d. eat
14. financier
a. promise b. nine c. ship d. end
15. postage
a. people b. send c. carry d. place
16. authority
a. increase b. bird c. listen d. name
17. effort
a. brave b. luck c. shape d. work
18. vanguard
a. save b. before c. battle d. year
19. amount
a. warn b. move c. mountain d. much
20. taxpayer
a. prepare b. peace c. father d. foot

III. Choose the English word which is derived from the given Latin word.

21. habeo
a. inhale b. ability c. oboe d. ebony
22. mens
a. semester b. mention c. mesa d. demented
23. mitto
a. messmate b. mitigate c. mixture d. measure
24. ago
a. exaggerate b. insatiable c. aged d. squatter
25. medius
a. remedy b. meanwhile c. medicine d. meditate
26. cedo
a. secret b. conceal c. mischief d. necessary

27. altus
a. haughty b. alimony c. adult d. unaltered
28. capio
a. cabbage b. capital c. recover d. recant
29. ager
a. agility b. peregrination c. agent d. prodigal
30. caput
a. cattle b. capsule c. carpet d. capture

IV. Choose the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

31. champagne
a. pagus b. campus c. ago d. habeo
32. auspicious
a. avus b. spiro c. spes d. avis
33. portico
a. porta b. portus c. portio d. porto
34. canary
a. cano b. aureus c. canis d. animus
35. journal
a. iungo b. dies c. durus d. ius
36. surfeit
a. ferus b. rego c. urbs d. facio
37. parasol
a. sol b. pars c. solus d. paro
38. ransom
a. sum b. nomen c. emo d. animus
39. deter
a. terreo b. terminus c. terra d. tero
40. entreat
a. tres b. natus c. traho d. ratio

V. Choose the word which does NOT belong by derivation.

41. a. equivocate b. voice c. vowel d. vulgar
42. a. trivial b. impervious c. surveyor d. voyager
43. a. vigorous b. evident c. visit d. advice
44. a. achieve b. cardinal c. precipitate d. handkerchief
45. a. possible b. interest c. presence d. summary
46. a. pretentious b. abstain c. detention d. lieutenant
47. a. attempt b. contention c. tentacle d. tentative
48. a. dissect b. sedate c. assess d. preside
49. a. sergeant b. dessert c. reserve d. service
50. a. cost b. arrest c. insist d. stolid