

**REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2000**  
**HEPTATHLON**

**I. Customs**

1. Which of the following did Romans believe had healing powers?  
a. bread b. rice c. salt d. cabbage
2. All of the following were terms for "books/notebooks" **EXCEPT**  
a. volumina. b. tabellae. c. paginae. d. pugillares.
3. What name was given to the veil worn by a bride?  
a. velumen b. rica c. integumentum d. flammeum
4. Which gladiator rode in a two-wheeled chariot?  
a. Essedarius b. Thrax c. Hoplomachus d. Laquearius
5. The modern equivalent of a.d. V Id. Sept.:  
a. September 8 b. September 9 c. September 10 d. September 11
6. What was the name of the small pools inside the large public baths?  
a. solia b. natationes c. piscinae d. unctoria
7. What were tabernacula?  
a. religious shrines b. military tents c. small shops d. roadside inns

**II. Mottoes**

8. What state has a motto which has more than two words?  
a. New Mexico b. Arizona c. West Virginia d. Idaho
9. Which of the following is **NOT** found on United States currency?  
a. E Pluribus Unum b. Annuit Coeptis c. In Deo Speramus  
d. Novus Ordo Seclorum
10. Which abbreviation stands for a phrase which includes a word in the accusative case?  
a. N.B. b. M.D. c. A.D. d. P.M.
11. Complete this phrase: De mortuis nil  
a. nisi bonum b. in parvo c. sui generis d. vobiscum
12. Which college has a motto which consists of three nouns?  
a. Washington b. Dartmouth c. Michigan d. Nebraska

13. Who is credited with saying, "Salus populi suprema lex"?  
a. Cicero b. Caesar c. Vergil d. Horace
14. What would be the Latin equivalent of "Man proposes, Fate disposes"?  
a. Sunt lacrimae rerum, et mentem mortalia tangunt.  
b. Dis aliter visum.  
c. Tu ne cede malis.  
d. Facilis descensus Averno.

### III. Derivatives

15. A salubrious atmosphere promotes  
a. peace. b. profit. c. health. d. relaxation.
16. What is the meaning of the Latin word from which we derive "lunatic"?  
a. crazy b. moon c. shine d. play
17. Which of the following is **NOT** derived from premo?  
a. print b. sprain c. compress d. premium
18. What is the meaning of the Latin word from which we derive "umpire"?  
a. fair b. equal c. right d. part
19. The man's nescient behavior was due to extensive brain damage.  
a. ignorant b. erratic c. hostile d. docile
20. Which word does **NOT** belong by derivation?  
a. appetite b. perpetual c. repeat d. petite
21. Which of the following was a tergiversator?  
a. George Washington b. Nathan Hale c. Patrick Henry d. Benedict Arnold

### IV. Vocabulary

22. altogether  
a. quidem b. tutus c. omnino d. talis
23. stop  
a. coepi b. augeo c. subito d. desino
24. quisquam  
a. each one b. certain c. anyone d. indeed

25. Choose the **SYNONYM** of casus.  
a. fortuna b. clarus c. turpis d. ascensus
26. Choose the **ANTONYM** of morior.  
a. vivo b. maturo c. incolo d. cado
27. Choose the word which does **NOT** belong by meaning.  
a. ambulo b. curro c. salio d. sedeo
28. Choose the word which does **NOT** belong by meaning.  
a. nasus b. manus c. auris d. pes

**V. History**

29. In what year did Caesar invade Britain for the first time?  
a. 57 B.C. b. 55 B.C. c. 54 B.C. d. 52 B.C.
30. Which of the following did **NOT** rule during A.D. 69?  
a. Titus b. Galba c. Vespasian d. Vitellius
31. Where did Hannibal defeat Gaius Flaminius in 217 B.C.?  
a. Lake Trasimene b. Ticinus River c. Metaurus River d. Lake Como
32. Which emperor founded the Praetorian Guard?  
a. Domitian b. Caligula c. Nero d. Augustus
33. Who offered to help the Romans against Pyrrhus of Epirus?  
a. Macedonia b. Egypt c. Syria d. Carthage
34. Which of the following was **NOT** a member of the Severan dynasty?  
a. Geta b. Valerian c. Caracalla d. Elagabalus
35. Which king is credited with establishing the cult of Diana?  
a. Servius Tullius b. Tarquinius Priscus c. Numa d. Ancus Marcius

**VI. Mythology**

36. Which of the following does **NOT** belong?  
a. Clotho b. Atropos c. Euterpe d. Lachesis
37. Who was the husband of Pandora?  
a. Prometheus b. Tantalus c. Orestes d. Epimetheus

38. Whom did Hercules save by wrestling Death?  
a. Theseus b. Alcestis c. Deianeira d. Jason
39. Who was struck by a lightning bolt after bragging about his affair with a goddess?  
a. Telamon b. Anchises c. Paris d. Theseus
40. The teacher of Heracles who was killed by his pupil:  
a. Chiron b. Eurytus c. Eumolpus d. Linus
41. Chrysaor was the son of  
a. Echidna. b. Pyrrha. c. Medusa. d. Europa.
42. Which of the following was born last?  
a. Hestia b. Apollo c. Hermes d. Athena

## VII. Grammar

43. Four of the women have at least two children.  
a. Quattuor feminae b. Quattuor feminarum c. Quattuor a feminis  
d. Quattuor ex feminis
44. To whose sister did you entrust the painting?  
a. Cuius sorori b. Ad cuius sororem c. Cui sorori d. Ad quem sororem
45. We knew that he was coming.  
a. is venisse b. eum venire c. eum venisse d. is venire
46. Morata erat.  
a. She was delayed. b. She had delayed. c. She had been delayed.  
d. She was delaying.
47. Mandavit  
a. eis ut pugnarent. b. eos pugnare. c. eis ut pugnent. d. eos ut pugnarent.
48. Liber mihi legendus est.  
a. Read the book to me. b. The book is being read to me.  
c. I must read the book. d. My book must be read.
49. I wish I were taller.  
a. Utinam eram altior. b. Utinam essem altior. c. Utinam eram multo altius.  
d. Utinam essem altius.
50. Take the number of gerund forms, multiply it by the number of words in the motto of Florida State University, add the number of letters in the Latin word for "thief," subtract the number of children Minerva had, and add the year of Julius Caesar's death. What is the correct answer?  
a. 56 b. 57 c. 59 d. 60