

FJCL STATE LATIN FORUM 2001

HEPTATHLON

I. Grammar

1. Which noun cannot be modified by omne?
a. pontus b. corpus c. hortus d. pondus
2. Select the construction of the underlined phrase: Octo dies Romae manserunt.
a. duration of time b. place toward which
c. time within which d. time when
3. Which of the following forms expresses both the present and perfect tense forms?
a. potuimus b. audit c. defendimus d. iuivit
4. If he had written to Caesar, he would have been wise.
a. sit b. esset c. fuisset d. futurus esset
5. Which word does NOT belong grammatically?
a. fruor b. sequor c. vescor d. fungor
6. Imperator a me quaerit quid homines _____.
a. fecerant b. fecissent c. fecerunt d. fecerint
7. He saw that his goods had been lost.
a. amissa sunt b. amissa esse c. amissa essent d. amissa erant

II. Vocabulary

8. whoever
a. quidam b. quisquam c. quisque d. quisquis
9. torch
a. for b. faux c. fax d. fas
10. pay out
a. impendo b. impleo c. impero d. impendeo
11. Which word is the ANTONYM of macies?
a. pinguitudo b. munditia c. felicitas d. lassitudo
12. Which word is the ANTONYM of inivitus?
a. laetus b. libens c. gratus d. aeger

13. Which word does **NOT** belong by meaning?
a. collis b. pilum c. testudo d. tragula
14. Which word does **NOT** belong by meaning?
a. hiems b. ver c. crus d. aestas

III. Derivatives

15. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which we derive tertiary.
a. unimportant b. sad c. third d. culpable
16. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which we derive profligate.
a. to ruin b. to fly c. to enjoin d. to waste
17. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which we derive funnel.
a. game b. tube c. pour d. death
18. Which word is **NOT** derived from the same root as the others?
a. arraign b. regime c. resource d. alert
19. The word constitution is derived from a Latin word meaning
a. to believe. b. to stand c. to enact. d. to found.
20. From which Latin word do we derive notorious?
a. novus b. nosco c. obliviscor d. nascor
21. From what Latin word do we derive qualify?
a. quaero b. facere c. quot d. ferre

IV. Mottoes, Abbreviations, and Quotations

22. Which state's motto has more than two words?
a. Arkansas b. Idaho c. Arizona d. Colorado
23. The abbreviation for the phrase "that which is proven" is
a. e.g. b. ibid. c. Q.E.D. d. D.L.
24. Which is **NOT** a medical abbreviation?
a. feb. duc. b. p.r.n. c. p.o. d. b.q.
25. Nullum saeculum magnis ingeniis clausum est.
a. Cicero b. Juvenal c. Seneca d. Catullus

26. Which college's motto does NOT have a subjunctive verb?
a. University of Chicago b. Brown c. University of Washington d. Amherst
27. Which phrase refers specifically to legal matters?
a. ibidem b. ne plus ultra c. pari passu d. ex post facto
28. How would you classify this question: "Do you walk to school or carry a lunch?"
a. mea culpa b. non sequitur c. per se d. in medias res

V. History

29. When Trajan crossed the Danube, whom had he conquered?
a. Germans b. Dacians c. Helvetians d. Celts
30. Who was the first of the Five Good Emperors?
a. Hadrian b. Vespasian c. Marcus Aurelius d. Nerva
31. Which emperor thought he was a manifestation of Hercules?
a. Nero b. Domitian c. Caligula d. Commodus
32. The man who became emperor in 193 was
a. Septimius Severus. b. Caracalla.
c. Antoninus Pius. d. Severus Alexander.
33. Put these battles of the First Punic War in the correct chronological order:
a. Mylae, Ecnomus, Drepana, Aegates Islands
b. Ecnomus, Mylae, Aegates Islands, Drepana
c. Mylae, Aegates Islands, Drepana, Ecnomus
d. Drepana, Ecnomus, Mylae, Aegates Islands
34. Octavia facilitated a reconciliation between Octavian and Antony and brought about this treaty, through which the Triumvirate was renewed:
a. Misenum b. Tarentum c. Messana d. Brundisium
35. The Voscians invaded Roman territory around 486 B.C. with the aid of the _____; this war continued 50 years, and later involved Cincinnatus.
a. Teutones b. Aequians c. Cimbrians d. Aeduans

VI. Mythology

36. Ares and Aphrodite produced a daughter who became the wife of Cadmus:
a. Harmonia b. Euryale c. Hecabe d. Europa

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37. The sculptor who fell in love with the statue of the ideal woman that he made was
a. Narcissus. b. Leander. c. Pygmalion. d. Castor.
38. In the Titanomachy, which of these did **NOT** side with Zeus?
a. Hecatonchires b. Hera c. Cyclopes d. Atlas
39. What son of Cyrene taught the management of bees?
a. Arion c. Achelous c. Aristaeus d. Admetus
40. Echidna and Typhon bore all of the following EXCEPT
a. Geryon. b. Cerberus. c. Hydra. d. Chimaera.
41. Which of the following women was NOT sacrificed during the course of a military campaign?
a. Macaria b. Iphigenia c. Deianira d. Polyxena
42. The muse of choral dance and song was
a. Clio b. Melpomene c. Terpsichore d. Erato
- VII. Customs
43. When a young man came of age and moved into the realm of an adult, he removed his bulla and childhood clothes and put on a
a. toga candida. b. tunica recta. c. toga praetexta. d. toga virilis.
44. Every eight days the Roman farmers had a market day to sell their wares. What was this day called?
a. octavus dies b. nundinae c. herbidi d. dies venalis
45. A Roman slave could save his money and use it to buy his freedom. What was this money called?
a. gratia b. sportula c. argentum d. peculium
46. The first bathing chamber in a typical Roman bath was the
a. tepidarium. b. caldarium. c. natatio. d. frigidarium.
47. In what setting would you be most likely to find laudiceni?
a. basilica b. templum c. circus d. thermae
48. Which of the following was commonly worn by people of all classes during Saturnalia?
a. anulus aureus b. endromis c. bulla d. pilleus

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49. Which of the following was responsible for safekeeping of the last will and testament of most Romans?
- a. praetors b. Pontifex Maximus c. senators d. Vestals
50. Which type of gladiator carried a small round shield, a parma, and a curved sword, a sica?
- a. Thrax b. Myrmillo c. Retiarius d. Samnis