

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2006
PENTATHLON

I. Customs

1. The compluvium would have been found in the _____ of a Roman house.
a. atrium b. cubiculum c. peristylum d. vestibulum
2. The Roman term for breakfast:
a. prandium b. cena c. gustus d. ientaculum
3. The Saturnalia was celebrated in the month of
a. January. b. April. c. May. d. December.
4. Who supervised food supplies, streets, and public buildings in Rome?
a. praetors b. censors c. quaestors d. aediles
5. On the dies lustricus, a Roman boy did **NOT** receive
a. a bulla. b. crepundia. c. the toga virilis. d. his praenomen.
6. Which of the following was worn by a victorious general in his triumphal procession?
a. toga picta b. toga praetexta c. toga pura d. toga candida
7. A hypocaust, an apodyterium, and a laconicum were all found in Roman
a. temples. b. baths. c. apartments. d. aqueducts.
8. A biga and a quadriga would have been seen in a Roman
a. house. b. circus. c. bath. d. temple.
9. The slave to whom the management of a farm was entrusted:
a. ianitor b. nutrix c. vilicus d. atriensis
10. Who joined the hands of the bride and groom during a wedding ceremony?
a. flamen b. materfamilias c. pronuba d. paterfamilias

II. Mythology

11. Cupid : Psyche :: Pyramus ::
a. Thisbe b. Scylla c. Helen d. Andromeda
12. Jupiter : thunderbolt :: Pluto :
a. trident b. bow and arrow c. fire d. bident
13. Theseus : Minotaur :: Perseus :
a. Pegasus b. Hydra c. Medusa d. Harpies
14. The Lethe River and the Acheron River were located
a. on Mt. Olympus. b. near Sparta. c. in Phrygia. d. in the Underworld.

15. Leda : swan :: Io :
a. peacock b. cow c. snake d. flower
16. Which of the following groups shared an eye?
a. Furies b. Graeae c. Parcae d. Pleiades
17. Ismene and Antigone were the daughters of
a. Creon. b. Aeetes. c. Tantalus. d. Oedipus.
18. Which of the following was **NOT** a son of Zeus?
a. Jason b. Hermes c. Perseus d. Heracles
19. Which of the following is often represented as the messenger of Hera?
a. Maia b. Iris c. Hebe d. Alcyone
20. Which of the following was **NOT** one of the Graces?
a. Aglaea b. Thalia c. Clotho d. Euphrosyne

III. History

21. How many times was Marius elected consul?
a. 3 b. 4 c. 6 d. 7
22. Which event took place in A.D. 79?
a. eruption of Vesuvius b. battle of the Teutoberg Forest c. the death of Trajan
d. the sack of Rome by Alaric
23. Which of the following was **NOT** a member of the Flavian Dynasty?
a. Nerva b. Titus c. Vespasian d. Domitian
24. Who was **NOT** a member of the First Triumvirate?
a. Mark Antony b. Julius Caesar c. Pompey d. Crassus
25. Caracalla and Geta were sons of
a. Constantine. b. Septimius Severus. c. Marcus Aurelius. d. Diocletian.
26. Which of the following was the **FIRST** Roman province?
a. Hispania b. Britannia c. Gallia d. Sicilia
27. Which emperor did **NOT** serve in A.D. 69?
a. Otho b. Vitellius c. Titus d. Galba
28. Which of the following events happened **LAST**?
a. slave revolt of Spartacus b. birth of Cicero c. formation of the Second Triumvirate
d. the invasion of Italy by Hannibal

29. Which of the following lists the events in correct chronological order?
 a. death of Vergil, battle of Actium, death of Julius Caesar
 b. death of Julius Caesar, battle of Actium, death of Vergil
 c. battle of Actium, death of Julius Caesar, death of Vergil
 d. death of Julius Caesar, death of Vergil, battle of Actium
30. Agrippina was the wife of
 a. Nero. b. Augustus. c. Caligula. d. Claudius.

IV. A. Vocabulary

31. Choose the **ANTONYM** of tum.
 a. nunc b. quando c. ubi d. etiam
32. Which of the following does **NOT** belong by meaning?
 a. caput b. homo c. manus d. pes
33. Which of the following is **NOT** a meaning of peto?
 a. seek b. beg c. entrust d. attack
34. Choose the **SYNONYM** of par.
 a. modus b. region c. olim d. aequus
35. What is the meaning of constituo?
 a. determine b. take c. stop d. meet

B. Derivatives

36. Choose the meaning of the word from which “paucity” is derived.
 a. supply b. powerful c. get ready d. few
37. From which word do we derive “champion”?
 a. campus b. puto c. amo d. magnus
38. No one doubted the witness’s _____ because everyone knew her to be a hard-working honest woman.
 a. verbiage b. veracity c. voracity d. vitality
39. Which of the following does **NOT** belong by derivation?
 a. marinate b. marine c. marital d. rosemary
40. Which of the following is derived from rego?
 a. reason b. rigid c. intersect d. source

V. Grammar

41. Marcus est _____ liberorum domini.
 a. magistrum b. magister c. magistri d. magistrorum

42. Girls, come into the house immediately.
 a. venite b. venitis c. veniunt d. veni
43. Agricolae _____ in agris laborabant.
 a. bonae b. boni c. bonus d. bonis
44. Servi _____ sunt.
 a. in villam b. ad villam c. prope villā d. trans villā
45. Which noun can **NOT** be modified by bonus?
 a. salus b. poeta c. nauta d. ramus
46. Multae fabulae de terrā novā a nautis _____ erant.
 a. narrate b. narrates c. narratae d. narrate
47. We shall move the grain from the fields in carts.
 a. cum carris b. in carris c. in carros d. carris
48. Which verb does **NOT** belong by tense?
 a. ducet b. portabit c. erit d. scribit
49. miles : milites :: flumen :
 a. fluminis b. flumini c. flumina d. fluminibus
50. A supply of grain was sent to the provinces by the Romans.
 a. Copia frumenti ad provincias a Romanis miserunt.
 b. Copia frumenti provinciis Romanos miserat.
 c. Copia frumenti ad provincias a Romanis missa est.
 d. Copia frumenti provinciis ad Romanos missa erat.