

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2008
GRAMMAR I

I. Choose the word that does NOT belong grammatically.

1. a. sine b. post c. ex d. ab
2. a. ancilla b. lingua c. poeta d. vita
3. a. bellum b. oppidum c. regum d. virum
4. a. duce b. fili c. Caesar d. Marce
5. a. bibit b. contendit c. defendit d. dicit
6. a. mittemus b. ponemus c. regemus d. timemus
7. a. clamor b. dolor c. timor d. uxor
8. a. animus b. equus c. tempus d. murus
9. a. verberari b. moneri c. reliqui d. vinci
10. a. celeritate b. festinate c. laborate d. imperate

II. Choose the answer which best translates the underlined word(s).

11. Tomorrow we will be in Sicily.
a. eramus b. erimus c. fuimus d. fuerimus
12. Caecilius gave the worried farmer advice.
a. sollicitam b. sollicitum c. sollicitae d. sollicito
13. Gaius used to live in Spain.
a. habitaverat b. habitare c. habitabat d. habitavit
14. The ashes fell from the sky.
a. caelō b. caela c. caeli d. caelum
15. The words of the senator were lauded by his colleagues.
a. de senatore b. e senatore c. senatoris d. senatori
16. Lucius, I saw your sisters in the Forum today.
a. vestras sorores b. tuas sorores c. vestris sororibus d. tuis sororibus
17. The consul spoke briefly in the Curia.
a. breve b. brevi c. brevem d. breviter
18. The messenger travelled to Rome on a horse.
a. equō b. per equum c. in equō d. cum equō

19. Where are you going, Grumio?
 a. Grumionis b. Grumioni c. Grumio d. Grumione
20. I am going to Brundisium with my brother.
 a. cum meō fratre b. cum meum fratrem c. meo fratri d. mei fratris
21. You ought to be proud that you are a Latin student.
 a. esse b. eritis c. eras d. es
22. I will have finished my homework in time to go to the games.
 a. conficiam b. confeci c. confecero d. confeceram
23. Caecilia showed great concern for her friends.
 a. amicorum b. amicis c. amicos d. amici
24. Lead the way, Clemens.
 a. ducere b. duc c. duce d. duci
25. A huge supply of weapons had been moved to the camp.
 a. movebatur b. mota erat c. mota sunt d. mota est
26. He wrote the letter carefully.
 a. magnae curae b. magna cura c. magnam curam d. magnā curā
27. The house of the senator was beautiful.
 a. pulchra b. pulchram c. pulcher d. pulchrum
28. Isn't this test fun?
 a. Num est b. Estne c. Non est d. Nonne est

III. Choose the answer which correctly fills in the blank or translates the underlined word(s):

29. Decem minus sex sunt _____.
 a. quartus b. quattuor c. quinque d. quintus
30. Cum gladiatore _____ pugnabat.
 a. acri b. acris c. acrem d. acre
31. Castra a militibus _____.
 a. ponentur b. ponitur c. posita est d. posuerant
32. Dormire in ludō est _____.
 a. malō b. mala c. malum d. malus
33. Milites frumentum _____ transportabunt.
 a. urbi b. in urbem c. urbe d. in urbe
34. Mater _____ narravit, “Properate ad casam.”
 a. filias b. filiabus c. filiae d. filiam

35. Numerus populi in familiā est _____.
 a. tres b. tertius c. tribus d. tertīā
36. Praedam _____ mandabo.
 a. miles b. militi c. militem d. milite
37. Pisces in _____ natant.
 a. maria b. mare c. maris d. mari
38. Curram ad Forum cum amicis.
 a. run b. I will run c. I am running d. I ran
39. Euge, dixisti, pulchre.
 a. you have spoken b. you were speaking
 c. you will speak d. you will have spoken
40. Hodie a omnibus videberis.
 a. Today everyone will see you. b. Today everyone saw you.
 c. Today you will be seen by everyone d. Today you were seen by everyone

Questions 41-50 refer to the following passage.

Olim Ascanius, filius Aeneae, cum sociis suis in silva errabat et cervum (deer) album vidit.
 Quod gloriam desiderabat et non quod Silviae inimicus erat, Ascanius cervum necare temptabat.
 Itaque cervum sagittā suā vulneravit.

Cervus ad casam Silviae fugit. Ubi Silvia cervum paene mortuum vidit, vehementer
 5 lacrimavit.

Sed ubi Tyrillus sagittam vidit, iratus erat. Dixit, “Sagitta est Troiana! Perfidi Troiani!
 Cervum filiae meae sagittis vestris vulneravistis; sagittis nostris, igitur, Ascanium et socios eius
 vulnerabimus.”

Itaque Tyrillus cum filiis suis et amicis filiorum castra Troiana vehementer oppugnavit; hoc
 10 erat initium belli.

41. Identify the case and usage of sociis (line 1).
 a. dative, indirect object b. ablative, manner
 c. ablative, accompaniment d. genitive, possession
42. What is the best translation of necare (line 2)?
 a. kill b. to kill c. he killed d. he will kill
43. Vehementer (line 4) is a(n)
 a. adjective b. adverb c. infinitive d. preposition
44. Identify the case and number of Troiani (line 6).
 a. genitive singular b. dative singular c. nominative plural d. vocative plural

45. Identify the case and usage of sagittis vestris (line 7).
a. genitive, possession b. dative, indirect object
c. ablative, means d. ablative, agent
46. Identify the case and usage of belli (line 10).
a. nominative, predicate nominative b. nominative, subject
c. genitive, possession d. genitive, objective
47. Which of the following is an appositive?
a. filius (line 1) b. inimicus (line 2) c. mortuum (line 4) d. Troiana (line 6)
48. Why did Ascanius shoot an arrow at the deer?
a. the deer belonged to his enemy b. to win glory
c. he needed food for the Trojans d. as a gift for Silvia
49. Why did Silvia weep?
a. She was afraid of the deer b. She loved Ascanius
c. The deer had run away d. The deer was wounded
50. Which of the following statements about the story is true?
a. Tyrrhus was the brother of Silvia.
b. Silvia gave her pet deer to Ascanius.
c. Ascanius wounded Tyrrhus' allies.
d. Tyrrhus attacked the Trojan camp.