

2015 FJCL State Latin Forum Derivatives II

I. Choose the response which means the same as the underlined word.

1. The classicists are studying the nascent civilization of ancient Greece.
 a. intelligent b. advanced c. creative d. beginning
2. The answer was conjectured from the facts given in the paper.
 a. guessed b. proven c. assimilated d. proven false
3. A sedentary lifestyle has been linked to a higher risk of heart disease.
 a. mobile b. itinerant c. inactive d. thrill-seeking
4. The defendant's rule of lenity argument was deemed meritorious.
 a. clemency b. ambiguity c. negligence d. torts
5. After years of obloquy from her father, the girl was glad to move in with her mother and step-father.
 a. rigidity b. verbal abuse c. neglect d. permissiveness
6. Pliny the Elder wrote extensively about horticulture in the 1st century C.E.
 a. history b. philosophy c. gardening d. arts
7. The boys were embarrassed by the profuse laudatory comments by their teacher.
 a. scant b. excessive c. inappropriate d. inopportune
8. It was incumbent upon the president to react very quickly to the threat of such an attack.
 a. necessary for b. reckless for c. impossible for d. credible for
9. They presented a cogent argument for the passage of the constitutional amendment.
 a. flimsy b. serious c. fallacious d. compelling
10. Although he was somnambulant, he never seemed to get into trouble.
 a. defiant b. an overeater c. a wanderer d. a sleepwalker

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

11. decay
 a. fall b. receive c. head d. dog
12. cessation
 a. learn b. hollow c. yield d. beware

13. renown
a. learn b. name c. sign d. new

14. alert
a. rule b. read c. lighten d. couch

15. sociologist
a. public b. mind c. friend d. outsider

16. controversial
a. make b. fear c. turn d. word

17. viaduct
a. win b. street c. bridge d. house

18. oboe
a. good b. owl c. reed d. high

19. auspice
a. omen b. dare c. hear d. bird

20. congestion
a. carry on b. thicken c. heavy d. crowd

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

21. *gaudeo*
a. groan b. gaudy c. gerund d. conjoin

22. *caput*
a. mischievous b. decoy c. capsule d. dishevelled

23. *puto*
a. impurity b. approval c. counter d. appoint

24. *dens*
a. condense b. dent c. dandelion d. deny

25. *domus*
a. diminution b. indomitable c. dormant d. dungeon

26. *cupio*
a. covet b. coverlet c. covert d. comeuppance

27. *dignitas*
a. digital b. dainty c.gneiss d. condone

28. dies
 a. dirigible b. ditty c. joust d. journeyman
29. utor
 a. abstruse b. torpor c. usurp d. torrid
30. sto
 a. storage b. distress c. assist d. bonanza

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

31. indolent
 a. doleo b. dolus c. indo d. induco
32. farrior
 a. facio b. ferrum c. rideo d. arx
33. savor
 a. salveo b. devoro c. sapiens d. vos
34. experience
 a. pereo b. perimo c. expers d. experior
35. festoon
 a. orno b. sto c. eo d. festus
36. ravine
 a. vinum b. rapio c. ramus d. vinco
37. interrogate
 a. rogo b. rogus c. rosa d. rex
38. prosecute
 a. sequor b. seco c. securus d. secedo
39. invective
 a. vinco b. vicus c. vaho d. verto
40. purvey
 a. venio b. video c. vereor d. verro

V. Choose the word that does not belong by derivation.

41. a. derivative b. arrival c. rival d. rivet
42. a. reparation b. parcel c. particle d. partner
43. a. armistice b. estate c. distant d. distinct

44. a. contiguous b. protege c. tact d. integrity

45. a. manacle b. manner c. menagerie d. manure

VI. Choose the word derived from the same Latin root as the given word.

46. altar
a. unaltered b. adulterate c. enhance d. inertia

47. preclude
a. closet b. circlet c. sirloin d. allusion

48. opportunity
a. portable b. purport c. support d. passport

49. entertain
a. contaminate b. lieutenant c. attain d. intense

50. prove
a. approbation b. appropriate c. prosper d. reproach

