

**FJCL REGIONAL FORUM 2019  
PENTATHLON**

**N.B. There are no macrons on this test.**

**GRAMMAR**

1. Which of the following would you use to introduce this question: “You aren’t going to break this, are you?”  
A. -ne                      B. non                      C. nonne                      D. num
2. People used to gather at the place where Caesar was assassinated.  
A. conveniebant              B. convenient              C. convenerant              D. convenerunt
3. Ancillae sine \_\_\_\_\_ revererunt.  
A. domini                      B. domino                      C. dominum                      D. dominus
4. Which of the following is a feminine noun?  
A. carrus                      B. corpus                      C. ludus                      D. virtus
5. The boys ran into the house.  
A. ad casam                      B. in casa                      C. in casam                      D. per casam
6. Laborate, agricolae, hodie in agris.  
A. genitive, possessive                      B. nominative, predicate nominative  
C. nominative, subject                      D. vocative, direct address
7. The soldiers fought the enemy with swords.  
A. gladiis                      B. gladio                      C. gladiatorum                      D. gladios
8. Multi libri de imperio Romano ab poetis \_\_\_\_\_ sunt.  
A. scripta                      B. scripti                      C. scriptis                      D. scripto
9. Which of the following is **NOT** in the ablative?  
A. bellis                      B. cive                      C. militis                      D. signo
10. Navis : naves :: gladi : \_\_\_\_\_  
A. gladiis                      B. gladiatorum                      C. gladios                      D. gladium

**CUSTOMS**

11. Which of the following is **NOT** a praenomen?  
A. Gnaeus                      B. Julius                      C. Manius                      D. Titus
12. Which of the following is **NOT** a form of marriage?  
A. coemptio                      B. confarreatio                      C. jus conubii                      D. usus

13. How many lictors preceded a consul?  
 A. 6                              B. 12                              C. 18                              D. 24
14. The lowest status seat in a Roman dining room was \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. on the medius                              B. on the summus  
 C. on the imus                              D. to the left of the host
15. Which gladiator fought with a helmet, an oblong shield, and a sword and had a fish crest on his helmet?  
 A. essedarius                              B. myrmillo                              C. retarius                              D. Thracian
16. A father accepted a new infant into the family by \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. naming the child                              B. picking up the infant  
 C. placing the child in his mother's arms                              D. presenting the infant with a bulla
17. Which was **NOT** part of the *cursus honorum*?  
 A. aedile                              B. centurion                              C. praetor                              D. quaestor
18. Which toga was worn by victorious generals in processions?  
 A. toga candida                              B. toga libera                              C. toga picta                              D. toga praetexta
19. Which of the following is Roman army formation tactic?  
 A. onager                              B. pugio                              C. scorpio                              D. testudo
20. In which month would the Ides **NOT** fall on the 15th day?  
 A. March                              B. July                              C. October                              D. September

### MYTHOLOGY

21. The muse of comedy was \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. Calliope                              B. Euterpe                              C. Melpomene                              D. Thalia
22. Who was forced to become a Vestal Virgin?  
 A. Juturna                              B. Lavinia                              C. Rhea Silvia                              D. Tarpeia
23. This man was deified as Quirinus.  
 A. Aeneas                              B. Augustus                              C. Julius Caesar                              D. Romulus
24. What form did Zeus take in his encounter with Danaë?  
 A. bull                              B. her husband                              C. shower of gold                              D. swan
25. Which of the following goddesses is **NOT** a virgin?  
 A. Artemis                              B. Athena                              C. Eos                              D. Hestia

26. Asclepius was killed with a thunderbolt because \_\_\_\_\_ feared the power of his medicine.  
 A. Apollo                      B. Hades                      C. Poseidon                      D. Zeus
27. Amphitryon, Oedipus, and Laius were all \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. brothers                      B. kings of Thebes  
 C. married to the same woman                      D. punished by Hera
28. The curse on the House of Atreus was due, first of all, to the actions of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. Aegisthus                      B. Pelops                      C. Tantalus                      D. Thyestes
29. Which of the following did **NOT** help Psyche on her quests?  
 A. ants                      B. birds                      C. dogs                      D. river reed
30. Which of the following was **NOT** turned into a type of vegetation?  
 A. Daphne                      B. Narcissus                      C. Niobe                      D. Syrinx

## HISTORY

31. Which list of emperors is in the correct chronological order?  
 A. Antoninus Pius/Trajan/Hadrian/Marcus Aurelius  
 B. Hadrian/Trajan/Marcus Auerlius/Antoninus Pius  
 C. Trajan/Hadrian/Antoninus Pius/Marcus Aurelius  
 D. Trajan/Marcus Aurelius/Hadrian/Antoninus Pius
32. Tarquinius Superbus was expelled from Rome in \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. 44 BC                      B. 264 BC                      C. 509 BC                      D. 753 BC
33. Which of the following was **NOT** one of the Five Good Emperors?  
 A. Antoninus Pius                      B. Commodus                      C. Hadrian                      D. Nerva
34. Hannibal won all of the following battles with the Romans **EXCEPT** \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. Cannae                      B. Lake Trasimene                      C. Ticinus River                      D. Zama
35. Which emperor abdicated in AD 305?  
 A. Antoninus Pius                      B. Diocletian                      C. Domitian                      D. Theodosius I
36. Which Roman woman is famous for betraying Rome and was crushed to death for it?  
 A. Cornelia                      B. Livia                      C. Tanaquil                      D. Tarpeia
37. Constantine saw the words *In hoc signo vinces* in the sky before the battle at \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. Adrianople                      B. Milvian Bridge                      C. Pharsalus                      D. Zama
38. Which law allowed plebians to marry patricians?  
 A. Aurelia                      B. Canuleia                      C. Gabinia                      D. Manila

39. The last Roman emperor in the West.  
 A. Decius  
 C. Romulus Augustulus  
 B. Honorius  
 D. Valens
40. Who was the mother of the Gracchi brothers?  
 A. Antonia  
 B. Cornelia  
 C. Livia  
 D. Sempronia

**VOCABULARY / DERIVATIVES**

41. Which word is an **ANTONYM** of *sedeo*?  
 A. curro  
 B. excedo  
 C. capio  
 D. sto
42. *tenebrae*  
 A. darkness  
 B. dress  
 C. hold  
 D. spine
43. Which word is a **SYNONYM** of *schola*?  
 A. Hora  
 B. littera  
 C. ludus  
 D. magister
44. Which of the following does **NOT** belong by meaning?  
 A. contendo  
 B. festino  
 C. maturo  
 D. ostendo
45. All of the following translate *ago* **EXCEPT** \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. compel  
 B. discuss  
 C. do  
 D. spend
46. By derivation, it is clear that a *sexton* works \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. as a marriage counselor  
 B. at a hospital  
 C. in a church  
 D. six months out of every year
47. A *veracious* person \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. eats a lot  
 B. is sociable  
 C. tells the truth  
 D. works hard
48. Which of the following is a derivative of the verb *video*?  
 A. Individual  
 B. review  
 C. vehement  
 D. verbatim
49. Which of the following is **NOT** derived from *via*?  
 A. deviate  
 B. envious  
 C. impervious  
 D. obvious
50. What is the meaning of the word from which we derive *peregrination*?  
 A. field  
 B. foreign  
 C. live  
 D. travel